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State Plan Amendment (SPA) #: 23-0013

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
601 E. 12th St., Room 355
Kansas City, Missouri 64106



Medicaid and CHIP Operations Group

October 11, 2023

Sarah Aker
Director
Medical Services Division
ND Department of Health and Human Services
600 East Boulevard Avenue Dept. 325
Bismarck, ND 58505-0250

Re: North Dakota State Plan Amendment (SPA) 23-0013

Dear Ms. Aker:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) reviewed your Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) submitted under transmittal number (TN) ND-23-0013. This amendment proposes to amend the State Plan to remove the Medication Therapy Management specific section to avoid duplication within this section.

We conducted our review of your submittal according to statutory requirements in Title XIX of the Social Security Act and implementing regulations 42 CFR 440.60. This letter is to inform you that North Dakota Medicaid SPA 23-0013 was approved on October 11, 2023, with an effective date of July 1, 2023.

If you have any questions, please contact Tyson Christensen at (816) 426-6440 or via email at Tyson.Christensen@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,



James G. Scott, Director
Division of Program Operations

Enclosures

cc: LeeAnn Thiel

**TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF
STATE PLAN MATERIAL
FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES**

1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER <u>2 3</u> — <u>0 0 1 3</u>	2. STATE <u>ND</u>
3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT <input checked="" type="radio"/> XIX <input type="radio"/> XXI	

TO: CENTER DIRECTOR
CENTERS FOR MEDICAID & CHIP SERVICES
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE
July 1, 2023

5. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION
42 CFR 440.60

6. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT (Amounts in WHOLE dollars)
a. FFY 2023 \$ 0
b. FFY 2024 \$ 0

7. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT

Attachment to Page 3 of Attachment 3.1-A
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8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable)

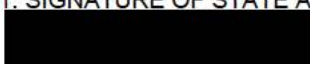
Attachment to Page 3 of Attachment 3.1-A (TN 18-0010)
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9. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT

Amends the State Plan to remove the Medication Therapy Management specific section to avoid duplication within this section.

10. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One)

<input type="radio"/> GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT	<input checked="" type="radio"/> OTHER, AS SPECIFIED: Krista Fremming, Interim Director Medical Services Division
<input type="radio"/> COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED	
<input type="radio"/> NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL	

11. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL


12. TYPED NAME
Krista Fremming

13. TITLE
Interim Medical Services Director


14. DATE SUBMITTED
July 19, 2023

15. RETURN TO
Krista Fremming, Interim Director
Medical Services Division
ND Department of Health and Human Services
600 East Boulevard Avenue Dept 325
Bismarck ND 58505-0250

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16. DATE RECEIVED <u>July 19, 2023</u>	17. DATE APPROVED <u>October 11, 2023</u>
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PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED

18. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL <u>July 1, 2023</u>	19. SIGNATURE 
20. TYPED NAME OF APPROVING OFFICIAL <u>James G. Scott</u>	21. TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL <u>Director, Division of Program Operations</u>

22. REMARKS

LIMITATIONS ON AMOUNT, DURATION AND SCOPE

6.d. (Continued)

Nursing Services provided in a School to Children with Complex Medical Needs and provided by a Registered Nurse

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