DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

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Disabled and Elderly Health Programs Group

September 9, 2020

Robin Butrick, Medicaid Policy Coordinator Idaho Department of Health and Welfare Division of Medicaid 3232 Elder Street Boise, Idaho 83705

Dear Ms. Butrick,

We are writing to inform you that the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is approving Idaho's request to amend the following 1915(c) Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) waivers with the Emergency Preparedness and Response Appendix K in order to respond to the COVID-19 pandemic:

WAIVER TITLE	CMS AMENDMENT CONTROL NUMBER
Aged and Disabled Waiver	ID.1076.R06.07
Developmental Disabilities Waiver	ID.0076.R06.04

The amendments that the state has requested in the Appendix K are effective for the waivers from January 27, 2020 through January 26, 2021 and apply in all locations served by the individual waivers for anyone impacted by COVID-19.

For each waiver, we have included the approved Appendix K pages with this correspondence. Please utilize the waiver management system for HCBS waivers for any further amendments to these waiver programs other than Appendix K.

If you need assistance, feel free to contact Ryan Shannahan of my staff at 410-786-0295_or by e-mail at ryan.shannahan@cms.hhs.gov or Mary Marchioni at 303-844-7094 or by e-mail at mary.marchioni@cms.hhs.gov .

Sincerely,

Alissa Mooney DeBoy Director

Enclosure