DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

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Disabled and Elderly Health Programs Group

May 20, 2020

Jim Jones, Medicaid Director State of Wisconsin Department of Health Services 1 West Wilson Street P.O. Box 309 Madison, WI 53701-0309

Dear Mr. Jones:

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

WAIVER TITLE	CMS AMENDMENT CONTROL NUMBER
Children's Long-Term Support Waiver Program	WI.0414.R03.03

The amendment that the state has requested in the Appendix K is effective from March 1, 2020, through February 28, 2021, and apply in all locations served by the individual waiver for anyone impacted by COVID-19.

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 this waiver program other than Appendix K.

If you need assistance, feel free to contact Deanna Clark of my staff at 410-786-4697 or by email at deanna.clark@cms.hhs.gov or Mary Marchioni at 303-844-7094 or by e-mail at mary.marchioni@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

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