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To: Frank W. Berry, Commissioner

From: Blake Fulenwider, Deputy Commissioner, Medical Assistance Plans

Project: Planning for Healthy Babies

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Pursuant to 42 C.F.R. 430.12(b)(1)(i), the Georgia Department of Community Health, the single state agency for administration of the Medicaid program, “must submit the State plan and State plan amendments to the State Governor or his designee for review and comment before submitting them to the CMS regional office.” Further, and by Executive Order from the Governor’s Office of the State of Georgia issued on November 28, 2012, the Governor exercised delegation of this authority to the Commissioner of the Georgia Department of Community Health, as authorized under 42 C.F.R. 430.12(b)(2)(i). This delegation has been approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) on March 4, 2013, through State Plan Amendment 13-001.

As Commissioner, the state level review of the above reference proposal has been completed. Pursuant to the above referenced authority, this State Plan Amendment is approved for submission to CMS.

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Date