May 18, 2011

Mr. Anthony E. Keck, Director  
South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services  
Post Office Box 8206  
Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8206

Re: South Carolina Title XIX State Plan Amendment, Transmittal #11-010

Dear Mr. Keck:

We have reviewed South Carolina’s State Plan Amendment (SPA) 11-010, which was submitted to the Atlanta Regional Office on April 26, 2011. This amendment was submitted as part of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) of 2010, Section 6505 entitled, “Prohibition on Payments to Institutions or Entities Located Outside of the United States.”

Specifically, the SPA amends section 1902 of the Social Security Act and requires that a State shall not provide any payments for items or services provided under the State plan or under a waiver to any financial institution or entity located outside of the United States.

Based on the information provided, we would like to inform you that South Carolina SPA 11-010 was approved on May 16, 2011. The effective date is June 1, 2011. The signed CMS-179 and the approved plan pages are enclosed. If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please contact Tandra Hodges at (404) 562-7409.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Jackie Glaze  
Associate Regional Administrator  
Division of Medicaid & Children's Health Operations

Enclosures
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION

TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL

FOR: HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION

TO: REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR
HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

5. TYPE OF PLAN MATERIAL (Check One):

☐ NEW STATE PLAN ☐ AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS NEW PLAN ☒ AMENDMENT

COMPLETE BLOCKS 5 THRU 10 IF THIS IS AN AMENDMENT (Separate Transmittal for each amendment)

6. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION:

1902 (q)(80) of the Act, P.L. 111-148 (Section 6505)

7. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT FMAP
   a. FFY 2011 $ N/C
   b. FFY 2012 $ N/C

8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT:

Basic Text, pages 25a

9. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable):

10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT:

   The State shall not provide any payments for items or services provided under the State plan or under a waiver to any financial institution or entity located outside of the United States.

11. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One):

   ☑ GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT
   ☐ COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED
   ☐ NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL

12. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL:

13. TYPED NAME: Anthony F. Keck
14. TITLE: Director
15. DATE SUBMITTED: April 29, 2011

16. RETURN TO:

South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services
Post Office Box 8206
Columbia, SC 29202-8206

17. DATE RECEIVED:

18. DATE APPROVED:

05/16/11

19. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL:

06/01/11

20. SIGNATURE OF REGIONAL OFFICIAL:

Jackie Glaze
Associate Regional Administrator
Division of Medicaid & Children's Health Ops

21. TYPED NAME: Jackie Glaze
22. TITLE:

25. REMARKS:

FORM HCFA-179 (07-92)
STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State/ Territory: South Carolina

SECTION 4 GENERAL PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION

4.44 Medicaid Prohibition on Payments to Institutions or Entities Located Outside of the United States

Citation

Section 1902(a)(80) of the Social Security Act, P.L. 111-148 (Section 6505)

X The State shall not provide any payments for items or services provided under the State plan or under a waiver to any financial institution or entity located outside of the United States.

TN No. SC 11-010
Supersedes Approval Date: 05-16-11 Effective Date: 06/01/11
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