

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
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DIVISION OF MEDICAID & CHILDREN'S HEALTH OPERATIONS

October 1, 2018

Carol H. Steckel, Commissioner
Department for Medicaid Services
275 East Main Street, 6WA
Frankfort, KY 40621-0001

Re: Kentucky State Plan Amendment 18-0011

Dear Ms. Steckel:

We have reviewed the proposed Kentucky state plan amendment, KY 18-0011, which was submitted to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) on September 6, 2018. This amendment designates Carol H. Steckel, Commissioner of the KY Department for Medicaid Services, as the Governor's designee for review and approval of state plan amendments.

Based on the information provided, the Medicaid State Plan Amendment KY 18-0011 was approved on October 1, 2018. The effective date of this amendment is September 4, 2018. We are enclosing the approved HCFA-179 and a copy of the new state plan pages.

If you have any additional questions or need further assistance, please contact Melanie Benning at (404) 562-7414 or Melanie.Benning@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

Shantina D. Roberts, MSN
Associate Regional Administrator
Division of Medicaid & Children's Health Operations

Enclosures

**TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF
STATE PLAN MATERIAL**

1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER:
18-011

2. STATE
Kentucky

FOR: HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION

3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE XIX OF THE
SOCIAL SECURITY ACT (MEDICAID)

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

4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE
September 4, 2018

5. TYPE OF PLAN MATERIAL (Check One):

- NEW STATE PLAN AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS NEW PLAN AMENDMENT

COMPLETE BLOCKS 6 THRU 10 IF THIS IS AN AMENDMENT (Separate Transmittal for each amendment)

6. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION:
42 CFR 430.12(b)

7. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT:
a. FFY 2016 \$0
b. FFY 2017 \$0

8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT:

Page 89

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 PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION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

Same

10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT:

State Governor's Review appoint Carol H. Steckel, Commissioner

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

X OTHER, AS SPECIFIED: Review delegated
to Commissioner, Department for Medicaid
Services

12. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL:


16. RETURN TO:

Department for Medicaid Services
275 East Main Street 6W-A
Frankfort, Kentucky 40621

13. TYPED NAME: Carol H. Steckel

14. TITLE: Commissioner, Department for Medicaid Services

15. DATE SUBMITTED: 9/5/18

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17. DATE RECEIVED: 09/06/2018

18. DATE APPROVED: 10/01/2018

PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED

19. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL:
09/04/2018

20. SIGNATURE OF REGIONAL OFFICIAL:


21. TYPED NAME: Shantina D. Roberts

22. TITLE: Associate Regional Administrator
Division of Medicaid & Children's Health Operations

23. REMARKS:

State: Kentucky

Citation 7.4 State Governor's Review

42 CFR 430.12(b) The Medicaid Agency will provide opportunity for the Office of Governor to review State plan amendments, long-range program planning projections, and other periodic reports thereon, excluding periodic statistical, budget and fiscal reports. Any comments made will be transmitted to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services with such documents.

- Not Applicable. The Governor-
- Does not wish to review any plan material.
- Wishes to review only the plan materials specified in the enclosed document.

I hereby certify that I am authorized to submit this plan on behalf of

Department for Medicaid Services
(Designated Single State Agency)

Date: September 4, 2018

Carol H. Steckel, Commissioner
Department for Medicaid Services

TN#: 18-011
Supersedes
TN#: 18-008

Approval Date: 10/01/2018

Effective Date: September 4, 2018