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December 18, 2019

Stephanie Bates
Acting Commissioner, Department for Medicaid Services
Commonwealth of Kentucky
Cabinet for Health and Family Services
275 East Main Street, 6 West A
Frankfort, KY 4062

Re: Kentucky State Plan Amendment 19-0008

Dear Ms. Bates:

We have reviewed the proposed Kentucky state plan amendment, KY 19-0008, which was submitted to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) on December 17, 2019. This amendment designates Stephanie M. Bates, Acting 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 19-0008 was approved on December 18, 2019. The effective date of this amendment is December 11, 2019. 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,

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Enclosures