

Bureau of Health Services Financing

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Dear Louisiana Tribal Contact:

RE: Notification of Louisiana State Plan Amendment

In compliance with the provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009, the Louisiana Department of Health, Bureau of Health Services Financing is taking the opportunity to notify you of a State Plan amendment (SPA) that may have an impact on your tribe.

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Attached for your review and comments is a summary of the proposed SPA. Please provide any comments you may have by **December 13, 2024,** to Marjorie Jenkins via email at <u>Marjorie.Jenkins@la.gov</u> or by postal mail to:

Louisiana Department of Health Bureau of Health Services Financing Medicaid Policy and Compliance P.O. Box 91030 Baton Rouge, LA 70821-9030

Should you have additional questions about Medicaid policy, Ms. Jenkins will be happy to assist you. You may contact her via email at the email address above or via telephone at (225) 342-3881.

Thank you for your continued support of the tribal consultation process.

Sincerely,

Marjorie V. Jenkins for

Kimberly Sullivan, J.D. Medicaid Executive Director

Attachment

KS/MJ/KC

c: Nancy Grano Tobias Griffin

State Plan Amendment for Submittal to CMS

Request for Tribal Comments November 13, 2024

Child and Adult Core Sets Effective date: December 31, 2024

The purpose of this SPA is to attest to mandatory annual state reporting of the Child Core Set and behavioral health measures on the Adult Core Set, in compliance with Centers for Medicare and Medicaid requirements.