

Corbett, Rebecca

From: Kulawik, Mary Eve
Sent: Tuesday, December 22, 2015 8:39 AM
To: Corbett, Rebecca
Subject: FW: technical corrections attached RE: Montana 1915(b) waiver - 2 year approval
Attachments: 12-18-15 Technical Corrections - Montana 1915(b)(4) Waiver Submission_RAI Revisio.docx

Here you go.

From: Kulawik, Mary Eve
Sent: Friday, December 18, 2015 11:21 AM
To: 'Manning, Scott (CMS/CMCS)'
Cc: Gibson, Alexis E. (CMS/CMCS); Corbett, Rebecca; Thompson, Jo
Subject: technical corrections attached RE: Montana 1915(b) waiver - 2 year approval

Scott, please find attached Montana's redlined technical corrections to our 1915(b)(4) Selective Contract. Would you like me to also send you a clean copy?

Thank you, Mary Eve

From: Manning, Scott (CMS/CMCS) [<mailto:Scott.Manning@cms.hhs.gov>]
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:12 PM
To: Kulawik, Mary Eve
Cc: Gibson, Alexis E. (CMS/CMCS)
Subject: RE: technical corrections RE: Montana 1915(b) waiver - 2 year approval

Hi Mary Eve,

We received your confirmation of the changes but did not send the attachment to include those changes. Please send when you get a chance and we will file it away for our formal records.

Thank you for following up,
Scott

From: Kulawik, Mary Eve [<mailto:MKulawik@mt.gov>]
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:07 PM
To: Manning, Scott (CMS/CMCS); Gibson, Alexis E. (CMS/CMCS)
Subject: RE: technical corrections RE: Montana 1915(b) waiver - 2 year approval

Scott, Alexis: my apologies. I realize just now that I do not believe I sent you the revised application itself, that incorporated the changes below. Can you confirm that you did/did not receive it from me? Thanks, Mary Eve

From: Kulawik, Mary Eve
Sent: Friday, November 20, 2015 4:45 PM
To: Manning, Scott (CMS/CMCS)
Cc: Gibson, Alexis E. (CMS/CMCS); Corbett, Rebecca; Peel, Meghan; Thompson, Jo
Subject: technical corrections RE: Montana 1915(b) waiver - 2 year approval

Scott: per your request of November 4, 2015, Montana is making the two technical corrections to the face sheet of the Section 1915(b) (4) Waiver Fee-for-Service Selective Contracting Program Application:

Effective Dates: This waiver/renewal/amendment is requested for a period of 52 years beginning January 1, 2016 and ending December 31, 2029[SM1] 17.

The State seeks Waiver approval through December 31, 2017 and beyond, pending reauthorization of the HELP Program beyond June 30, 2019 by the State Legislature. If the HELP Program is not reauthorized, Montana will terminate the Waiver.[SM2]

In your email of November 9, 2015, you indicated Montana can confirm these changes via email.

Thank you, Mary Eve

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From: Manning, Scott (CMS/CMCS) [<mailto:Scott.Manning@cms.hhs.gov>]

Sent: Monday, November 09, 2015 6:07 AM

To: Thompson, Jo

Cc: Gibson, Alexis E. (CMS/CMCS)

Subject: RE: Montana 1915(b) waiver - 2 year approval

Hi Jo,

Since we deem this a "technical correction" (we sometimes have small typos or waiver items that change at the last minute before approval) I think it's ok if you just reply with these changes in this email. The SPA mailbox is generally for waiver amendments (program changes subject to CMS' 90-day review and approval process). Once you've had a chance to submit the updated application to Alexis and I we will post it to our Medicaid.gov site as the official copy.

Thank you,
Scott

From: Thompson, Jo [<mailto:jonthompson@mt.gov>]

Sent: Sunday, November 08, 2015 9:40 AM

To: Manning, Scott (CMS/CMCS)

Cc: Gibson, Alexis E. (CMS/CMCS)

Subject: Re: Montana 1915(b) waiver - 2 year approval

Thank you Scott we will update that information and should we submit back to you or through the mailbox? Thanks, Jo

Sent from my iPad

On Nov 4, 2015, at 1:37 PM, Manning, Scott (CMS/CMCS) <Scott.Manning@cms.hhs.gov> wrote:

Hi Jo,

As you may be aware, Jim Golden (Director of the Division of Managed Care Plans) here in the CMS Central Office gave Mary Dalton a call on Monday to let her know that statutorily, CMS can only approve

the 1915(b) waiver on a 2-year cycle (Montana's original request was for 5 years). The state will of course still be eligible for renewal to continue operation of its waiver in 2 years.

As the state contact person for this waiver, we wanted to reach out to you to request that the state make two technical corrections on page 2 of the waiver (please see attachment). The requests simply update the waiver dates to align with the 2-year period noted in the state's approval letter.

Please feel free to reach out if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Scott Manning, Health Insurance Specialist – Medicaid Managed Care

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