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Jason A. Helgerson  
State Medicaid Director  
Deputy Commissioner  
Office of Health Insurance Programs  
NYS Department of Health  
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Albany, NY 12237

RE: SPA 12-18 Acknowledgement of withdrawal

Dear Mr. Helgerson:

This acknowledges your letter dated December 13, 2012 requesting to withdraw State Plan Amendment (SPA) 12-18. This SPA had originally proposed to delay the effective date of the drug reimbursement carve-out from the rates paid to residential treatment facilities for children and youth, which was originally approved in SPA 11-88, from July 1, 2012 to September 1, 2012. This delay was subsequently incorporated into and approved as part of SPA 12-26.

Accordingly, SPA 12-18 is now considered formally withdrawn as of December 13, 2012.

If you have any questions, please call Tom Brady at 518-396-3810 ext. 109.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael J. Melendez". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Michael J. Melendez  
Associate Regional Administrator  
Division of Medicaid & Children's Health