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## State Demonstrations Group

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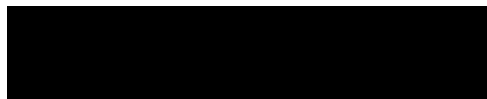
Dear Ms. Cooper,

We are writing to inform you that the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is approving California's request to revise the end date of the "California Advancing and Innovating Medi-Cal (CalAIM)" (project no. 11-W-00193/9) demonstration authorities in the state's Attachment W to allow the state to resume normal operations for the Community-Based Adult Services (CBAS) beginning on October 1, 2022. This will be incorporated into the demonstration's Special Terms and Conditions as an updated Attachment W and supersedes the June 9, 2021 Attachment which had previously allowed Temporary Alternative Services (TAS) and virtual assessment activities through six months after the end of the public health emergency.

The authorities that the state has requested in the Attachment W are now effective from March 13, 2020 through September 30, 2022. These authorities apply in all locations served by the demonstration for anyone impacted by COVID-19 who receives home and community-based services through the demonstration.

We have included the updated Attachment W pages with this correspondence. If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact your CMS project officer, Ms. Rachel Nichols, at [Rachel.Nichols@cms.hhs.gov](mailto:Rachel.Nichols@cms.hhs.gov).

Sincerely,



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Enclosure

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