

State of California—Health and Human Services Agency Department of Health Care Services



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Mr. James G. Scott, Director Division of Program Operations Medicaid and CHIP Operations Group Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services 601 East 12th Street, Suite 0300 Kansas City, MO 64106-2898

WITHDRAWAL OF STATE PLAN AMENDMENT 20-0006: PROPOSAL TO MODIFY SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER (SUD) SERVICES IN THE DRUG MEDI-CAL (DMC) TREATMENT PROGRAM, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020

Dear Mr. Scott:

Pursuant to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services' (CMS) direction, the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) is formally withdrawing State Plan Amendment (SPA) 20-0006.

On September 30, 2020, DHCS submitted SPA 20-0006. DHCS subsequently split SPA 20-0006 into two separate SPAs (SPA 20-0006-A and SPA 20-0006-B) at CMS' request. On December 20, 2021, CMS formally approved SPAs 20-0006-A and 20-0006-B. Therefore, DHCS is formally withdrawing SPA 20-0006.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Shaina Zurlin, Chief, Medi-Cal Behavioral Health Division, at (916) 584-3810 or by email at Shaina.Zurlin@dhcs.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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