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DIVISION OF MEDICAID & CHILDREN'S HEALTH OPERATIONS

December 7, 2017

Mari Cantwell Chief Deputy Director, Health Care Programs California Department of Health Care Services P.O. Box 997413, MS 0000 Sacramento, CA 95899-7413

Dear Ms. Cantwell:

Enclosed is an approved copy of California State Plan Amendment (SPA) 17-038. This SPA was submitted to my office on September 25, 2017 to remove Amador, Kern, Mendocino, Sacramento and San Joaquin counties from the list of geographic areas offering Targeted Case Management (TCM) services for the "Individuals with a Communicable Disease" TCM group. This SPA also adds Sutter County to the list of geographic areas providing this service.

The effective date of this SPA is July 1, 2017. Enclosed is the following approved SPA page that should be incorporated into your approved State Plan:

• Supplement 1f to Attachment 3.1-A, page 1

If you have any questions, please contact Cheryl Young by phone at (415) 744-3598 or by email at <u>Cheryl.Young@cms.hhs.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED

Henrietta Sam-Louie Associate Regional Administrator Division of Medicaid & Children's Health Operations

Enclosure

cc: John Mendoza, California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) Shelly Taunk, DHCS Nathaniel Emery, DHCS

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STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT State/Territory: CALIFORNIA

TARGETED CASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES INDIVIDUALS WITH A COMMUNICABLE DISEASE

Target Group (42 Code of Federal Regulations 441.18(a)(8)(i) and 441.18(a)(9)):

Medi-Cal eligible individuals infected with a communicable disease, including tuberculosis, HIV/AIDS etc.; or individuals who have been exposed to communicable diseases, until the risk of exposure has passed. Such individuals must also be:

- a) At high risk for medical compromise due to one of the following conditions:
 - i) Failure, or inability to take advantage of necessary health care services, or
 - ii) Noncompliance with their prescribed medical regime, or
 - iii) An inability to coordinate multiple medical, social and other services due to the existence of an unstable medical condition in need of stabilization, or
 - iv) An inability to understand medical directions because of comprehension barriers, or
 - v) A lack of community support system to assist in appropriate follow-up care at home, or
 - vi) Substance abuse, or
 - vii) A victim of abuse, neglect or violence; and
- b) In need of assistance in accessing necessary medical, social, educational, or other services, when comprehensive case management is not being provided elsewhere.

For those individuals in this target group, who may receive case management services under a waiver program, case management services shall not be duplicated, in accordance with Section 1915(g) of the Social Security Act. This target group excludes persons enrolled in a Home and Community-Based Services waiver program from receipt of Targeted Case Management (TCM) Services.

There shall be a county-wide system to ensure coordination among TCM providers of case management services provided to Medi-Cal beneficiaries who are eligible to receive case management services from two or more programs.

<u>Areas of State in which services will be provided (§1915(g)(1) of the Act)</u>: Entire State.

X Only in the following geographic areas: Counties of Alameda, Contra Costa, Humboldt, Imperial, Kings, Lake, Los Angeles, Madera, Orange, Riverside, San Diego, Santa Clara, Solano, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Ventura, Yuba, City of Berkeley, and City of Long Beach.

Comparability of Services (§§1902(a)(10)(B) and 1915(g)(1))

- ____ Services are provided in accordance with Section 1902(a)(10)(B) of the Act.
- X Services are not comparable in amount, duration, and scope (§1915(g)(1)).

<u>Definition of Services (42 CFR 440.169)</u>: Targeted Case Management services are defined as services furnished to assist individuals, eligible under the State Plan, in gaining access to needed medical, social, educational an other services. Targeted Case Management includes the following assistance: