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Kevin W. Concannon  
Director  
Department of Human Services  
1305 E. Walnut Street  
Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0114

Dear Mr. Concannon:

We have reviewed Iowa's State Plan Amendment (SPA) 08-010 submitted to the Kansas City Regional Office on June 2, 2008. This SPA revises Iowa's Sovereign States Drug Consortium (SSDC) supplemental rebate agreement (SRA) by adding updated language and deleting language previously stated in the original agreement. Based on the information provided, we are pleased to inform you that Iowa SPA 08-010 is approved, effective June 1, 2008.

Approval of Iowa SPA 08-010 extends only to Iowa's SSDC SRA with its Attachments submitted to CMS on August 14, 2008. If changes are subsequently made to the SRA or Attachments to the SRA a new SPA and any required documents should be submitted to CMS for review and authorization.

A copy of the CMS-179 form, as well as the pages approved for incorporation into the Iowa State plan, will be forwarded by the Kansas City Regional Office. If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please contact Yolanda Reese at (410) 786-9898.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Deirdre Duzor".

Deirdre Duzor  
Director  
Division of Pharmacy

cc: James Scott, ARA, Kansas City Regional Office  
Mandy Hanks, Kansas City Regional Office  
Sharon Taggart, Kansas City Regional Office