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Region VIII

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Maggie Anderson, Medicaid Director
Medical Services Division
North Dakota Department of Human Services
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RE: North Dakota #09-014

Dear Ms. Anderson:

We are pleased to inform you that North Dakota's State Plan amendment 09-014 has been approved effective July 1, 2009. This State Plan concerns changing the timeframe for coverage of replacement of eyeglasses, for Medicaid individuals age 21 and over, from once every three years to once every two years.

We appreciate the cooperation extended by your staff in the review and approval of this state plan amendment.

If you have any questions concerning this amendment, please contact Sophia Hinojosa at (303) 844-7129.

Sincerely,

/s/

Richard C. Allen
Associate Regional Administrator
Division for Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

CC: Mary Lou Thompson