



**Division of Medicaid & Children's Health, Region VI**

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**Our Reference: SPA TX 10-54, TX 10-68**

Mr. Billy Millwee  
Associate Commissioner for Medicaid & CHIP  
Health and Human Services Commission  
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Austin, Texas 78711

Dear Mr. Millwee:

This letter is being sent as a companion to our approval to Texas State Plan Amendment (SPA) 10-54 which amends reimbursement methodology for ~~specialized rehabilitation services~~ targeted case management provided to infants and toddlers with developmental delays. As you are aware, CMS was concerned that coverage was not consistent with current CMS regulations. CMS believes that Texas has addressed these concerns by submitting SPA 10-68 that updates the service description to clarify the scope of service and provider qualifications for specialized rehabilitative services.

In response to this letter we request the State to provide a written assurance that it will continue to work with CMS toward the approval of SPA 10-68. The State has 90 days from the date of this letter to provide this assurance. During the 90 days, CMS will provide any required technical assistance.

If you have any questions about this request, please contact Scott Harper of my staff at either 214-767-6564 or by E-mail at [scott.harper@cms.hhs.gov](mailto:scott.harper@cms.hhs.gov)

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Sincerely,

/s/

Bill Brooks  
Associate Regional Administrator

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