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Dear Louisiana Tribal Contact:

**RE: Notification of Louisiana State Plan Amendment**

In compliance with the provisions of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009, the Louisiana Department of Health, Bureau of Health Services Financing is taking the opportunity to notify you of a State Plan amendment (SPA) that may have an impact on your tribe.

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Attached for your review and comments is a summary of the proposed SPA. Please provide any comments you may have by **August 29, 2025**, to Marjorie Jenkins via email at [Marjorie.Jenkins@la.gov](mailto:Marjorie.Jenkins@la.gov) or by postal mail to:

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Should you have additional questions about Medicaid policy, you may contact Marjorie at the email address above or by telephone at (225) 342-3881.

Thank you for your continued support of the tribal consultation process.

Sincerely,

*Marjorie V. Jenkins* for  
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Attachment

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**State Plan Amendment for Submittal to CMS**  
Request for Tribal Comments  
August 22, 2025

**Targeted Case Management – Ventilator Care Coordination**  
**Effective date: November 1, 2025**

The purpose of this SPA is to amend the provisions governing Targeted Case Management (TCM), in order to allow eligible beneficiaries, birth through 25, who require the use of mechanical ventilation to receive ventilator care coordination services. TCM services are services furnished to assist individuals, eligible under the State Plan, in gaining access to needed medical, social, educational and other services.