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## State Demonstrations Group

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Dana Hittle  
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Dear Ms. Hittle:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) completed its review of the Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Monitoring Protocol, which is required by the Special Terms and Conditions (STC), specifically, STC #20, of Oregon's section 1115 demonstration, "Oregon Health Plan Substance Use Disorder 1115 Demonstration" (Project No: 11-W-00362/10), effective through March 31, 2026. CMS determined that the Monitoring Protocol, which was submitted on September 29, 2021, and revised on May 16, 2023, meets the requirements set forth in the STCs, and thereby approves the state's SUD Monitoring Protocol.

The Monitoring Protocol is approved for the demonstration period through March 31, 2026 and is hereby incorporated into the demonstration STCs as Attachment G (see attached). In accordance with STC 52 (Public Access), the approved SUD Monitoring Protocol may now be posted to your state's Medicaid website.

We look forward to our continued partnership on the Oregon Health Plan Substance Use Disorder section 1115 demonstration. If you have any questions, please contact your CMS demonstration team.

Sincerely,

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cc: Nikki Lemmon, State Monitoring Lead, CMS Medicaid and CHIP Operations Group