

New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services

Notice of Federal Public Comment Period for “Building Capacity for Transformation” Section 1115 Demonstration Waiver



The “Building Capacity for Transformation” Section 1115 Demonstration Waiver submitted to the federal Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) by the New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) on May 30, 2014 has met the requirements for a complete application as specified under section 42 CFR 431.412 (a) and therefore is posted on the federal Medicaid.gov website for a 30-day public comment period, as required under 42 CFR 431.416(b).

The documents are available at the following location on Medicaid.gov for public comments:

<http://medicaid.gov/Medicaid-CHIP-Program-Information/By-Topics/Waivers/Waivers.html>

- First, select ‘Waivers’ from the ‘By-Topic’ list located on the left side of webpage.
- On the Waivers webpage, refine your search by unselecting ‘All States’ from the ‘State(s)’ list located on the left side of webpage, and then select ‘New Hampshire’.
- Then, unselect ‘Select All’ from the ‘Waiver Authority’ list on the left side of webpage, and then select ‘1115’.
- The search result will show the ‘New Hampshire Building Capacity for Transformation’ program seeking 1115 Waiver Authority with pending status. Select ‘Show More’.
- Please follow the hyperlinks to view the pending application and administrative record, or to view/submit comments.
- Once you select the ‘View/Submit Comments’ hyperlink, you will be directed to answer the questionnaire to submit comments.

Comments will be accepted until Friday, August 8, 2014 at 11:00 pm for consideration by CMS. CMS will accept comments beyond the 30-day period; however, CMS cannot guarantee that comments received after the 30-day comment period will be considered due to the need for timely federal review of a State’s waiver request. Therefore, CMS strongly encourages comments to be submitted within the 30-day federal comment period.

The waiver application is also available on New Hampshire DHHS’ website at:

<http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/section-1115-waiver/index.htm>

If you have any questions related to the New Hampshire’s “Building Capacity for Transformation” Section 1115 Demonstration Waiver and this federal public comment process, please submit them to 1115waiver@dhhs.state.nh.us.

Thank you.