

From: HHS MLR Adjustments (HHS)
Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2011 2:28 PM
To: Fontenot, Emma L
Cc: HHS MLR Adjustments (HHS); Guidry, Carol
Subject: RE: MLR Request for Additional Information

Dear Deputy Commissioner Fontenot,

On July 1, 2011, the Center for Consumer Information & Insurance Oversight ("CCIIO") sent the Louisiana Department of Insurance ("DOI") a letter requesting additional information and clarifications regarding the information provided by the DOI on April 29 and May 24, 2011 in support of the DOI's request for an adjustment to the 80 percent medical loss ratio standard applicable to the Louisiana individual market.

We have not yet received a response to our July 1 letter, and would appreciate it if you could provide us with an estimate of the timeframe for when we could expect receiving the DOI's responses.

We greatly appreciate the DOI's time and effort in assembling the requested information so that the Secretary can make a fully informed assessment and determination. Please feel free to contact the Office of Oversight by email at MLRQuestions@hhs.gov or by phone at (301) 492-4457 if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you.

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