

ATTACHMENT 1-1-A
STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT
MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

State of West Virginia

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S CERTIFICATION

I certify that:

The Bureau for Medical Services is the single State agency responsible for:

X administering the plan.

The legal authority under which the agency administers the plan on a statewide basis is:

W. Va. Code § 9-1-2(n) (defining "state medicaid agency" as "the division of the department of health and human resources that is the federally designated single state agency charged with administration and supervision of the state medicaid program"); W. Va. Code § 9-2-5 (general authority of DHHR to administer "welfare assistance programs"); W. Va. Code § 9-2-6(12) (authorizing the Secretary to submit state plans); W. Va. Code § 9-2-6(18) (authorizing DHHR Secretary to delegate powers and authority); W. Va. Code § 9-2-13(a)(3) (defining BMS as the "single state agency for Medicaid services in West Virginia"); and *Appalachian Regional Healthcare, Inc. v West Virginia Dept. of Health and Human Resources*, 232 W. Va. 388, 391, 752 S.E.2d 419, 422 (2013) (recognizing that BMS is the single state agency)

(Legal Authorities)

 supervising the administration of the plan by local political subdivisions.

The legal authority under which the agency supervises the administration of the plan on a statewide basis is contained in:

(Statutory citation)

The agency's legal authority to make rules and regulations that are binding on the political subdivisions administering the plan is:

(Statutory citation)

Date: _____



Signature



Title