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NASUAD welcomes Mike Nardone to new role at CMS January 6, 2015

Michael Nardone
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Dear Mr. Nardone:

On behalf of the National Association of States United for Aging and Disabilities (NASUAD), we are writing to congratulate you on your selection as Director of the Disabled and Elderly Health Programs Group in the Centers for Medicaid & CHIP Services at CMS. As you know, our organization represents the aging and disability agency directors that have primary responsibility for delivering home and community based services to Medicaid beneficiaries through waivers and state plans. Our members and our partners in the aging network are innovators in delivering services to older adults and individuals with disabilities as well as in helping to keep them well and engaged in their communities.

We are excited that you come to DEHPG with the background and perspective of a former Medicaid director, and hope to work closely with you and your staff on the many areas of mutual concern and interest we share. NASUAD, along with our Medicaid director counterparts, look forward to engaging more fully as partners with you in delivering high-quality and cost-effective home and community based services to our beneficiaries.

We wish you great success in your new position and stand ready to assist you in any way we can.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Martha Roherty".

Martha Roherty
Executive Director

cc: Vikki Wachino, Director, CMCS