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CERTIFICATION OF EMERGENCY RULES
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Pursuant to Code of Alabama 1975, §§41-22-5 (b) and 41-22-6 (c) (2) a. and b.

I certify that the attached emergency rule is a correct copy as promulgated and adopted on the 6th day of April, 2020.

AGENCY NAME: Alabama Medicaid Agency

RULE NO. AND TITLE: 560-X-1-.29 ER COVID-19 Emergency Rule

EFFECTIVE DATE OF RULE: April 6, 2020

EXPIRATION DATE (If less than 120 days): _____

NATURE OF EMERGENCY:
The above-referenced rule is being added to address program changes in accordance with the time prescribed by the governor as a State of Emergency due to the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) pandemic.

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: Social Security Act, Title XIX; State Plan

SUBJECT OF RULE TO BE ADOPTED ON PERMANENT BASIS __YES _X_ NO

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Rule No. 560-X-1-.29ER COVID-10 Emergency Rule – NEW RULE

Nothwithstanding the rules of the Alabama Medicaid Administrative Code, while the State of Alabama is under a state of emergency proclamation related to the COVID-19 pandemic, any Alabama Medicaid Agency Provider ALERT specifically related to COVID-19 and the COVID-19 emergency shall supersede the Administrative Code where the COVID-19 ALERT may contradict a covered service or delivery of a covered service described within the Code.

Author: Kathy Hall, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Program Administration
Statutory Authority: Social Security Act, Title XIX; State Plan
Emergency Rule: Filed and effective April 6, 2020.