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SERVICES
DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
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O.W.,

PETITIONER.

**ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION** 

V.

FINAL AGENCY DECISION

AMERIGROUP.

OAL DKT. NO. HMA 03353-18

RESPONDENT.

As Director of the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services, I have reviewed the record in this matter, consisting of the Initial Decision, the documents in evidence and the entire contents of the OAL case file. No exceptions to the Initial Decision were filed. Procedurally, the time period for the Agency Head to render a Final Agency Decision is July 23, 2018 in accordance with an Order of Extension. The Initial Decision in this case was received on April 24, 2018.

Based upon my review of the record, I hereby ADOPT the findings, conclusions and recommended decision of the Administrative Law Judge in their entirety and incorporate the same herein by reference. The issue in this case concerns the approval of a root canal

Based upon my review of the record, I hereby ADOPT the findings, conclusions and recommended decision of the Administrative Law Judge in their entirety and incorporate the same herein by reference. I agree with the Administrative Law Judge that the Petitioner did not submit any evidence to rebut Amerigroup's determination or support a finding that Petitioner's proposed dental plan is medically necessary.

THEREFORE, it is on this day of JUNE 2018,

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision affirming Amerigroup's denial is hereby ADOPTED.

Meghan) Davey,

Division of Medical Assistance

and Health Services