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As a pediatrician and a member of the Medicaid Advisory Committee, I am again letting you know that I along with pediatricians throughout NM support the plan to extend postum Medicaid coverage from 60 days to 12 months. Extended coverage is essential for both mothers and infants to stay healthy and thrive.

Thank you for this action,  
Laurence Shandler MD FAAP