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Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada Serrell Smokey, ITCN President Tribal Chairman of Washoe Tribe 919 Highway 395 South Gardnerville, Nevada 89410

Dear Tribal Members:

In accordance with established consultation guidelines, the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) is notifying Nevada tribes of the following proposed change in policy:

The Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) Waiver for Individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (ID Waiver), Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 2100, is being updated to align with the current approved Appendix K to include the addition of Dental Services for ID Waiver recipients ages 21 and over. Additional proposed changes include provisions of the HCBS Final Regulation (<u>https://dhcfp.nv.gov/Home/HCBS/FinalRegulation/</u>).

There is no anticipated fiscal impact to Tribal Governments at this time.

If you would like a consultation regarding this proposed change in policy, please contact Monica Schiffer at (775) 684-3653 who will schedule a meeting. We would appreciate a reply within 30 days from the date of this letter. If we do not hear from you within this time, we will consider this an indication that no consultation is requested.

Sincerely,

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