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November 3, 2021

Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada
Serrell Smokey, ITCN President
Tribal Chairman of Washoe Tribe
919 Highway 395 S
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 Board of Examiners met September 14, 2021 and approved the new risk-based managed care contracts effective January 1, 2022. Contracts have been executed for Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield, Health Plan of Nevada, SilverSummit Healthplan, and Molina Healthcare of Nevada. The term of the contracts will be January 1, 2022 - December 31, 2025. DHCFP is proposing to update the State Plan section 3.1-F – Conditions or Requirements of Managed Care to align with the requirements of the newly executed Managed Care Contracts effective January 1, 2022.

The proposed changes affect all Medicaid-managed care contracted vendors; Molina Healthcare of Nevada, SilverSummit Healthplan, Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield, and Health Plan of Nevada.

No change in annual aggregate expenditures is anticipated.

There is no anticipated fiscal impact to the Tribal Government.

If you would like a consultation regarding this proposed change in policy, please contact Crystal Biselli at (775) 684-3722 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,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jessica Kemmereer".

Jessica Kemmereer
HIPAA Privacy and Civil Rights Officer, DHCFP

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