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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 effective January 1, 2024:

As a result of the passage of Senate Bill 420 during the 81st (2021) Nevada Legislative Session, coverage for Pregnant Women is being expanded to those whose household income is between 165% and 200% of the federal poverty level (FPL). Previously, the FPL cutoff for pregnant women was 165%.

There is no anticipated fiscal impact to Tribal Governments.

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,

Casey Angres

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Division Compliance Chief, DHCFP

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