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Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada  
Executive Board President  
Vinton Hawley, Chairman  
Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe  
P.O. Box 256  
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Dear Tribal Members:

This letter amends the previous notice that was sent on April 28, 2017 to revise the projected change in aggregate annual GME Supplemental Payments for SFY 2018 and SFY 2019.

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:

**Attachment 4.19-A, Pages 31 & 31a:** DHCFP is proposing an amendment to the Nevada Medicaid State Plan that would separate the current Graduate Medical Education (GME) Supplemental Payment Program into distinct supplemental payments for both Fee-for-Service (FFS) and Managed Care Organization (MCO) Medicaid services. This amendment will also change and expand eligibility criteria for the GME Supplemental Payment to all public hospitals in Nevada, as well as certain private hospitals that have or may have GME programs in the future.

This covers all public and private entities under this provider type. The DHCFP projects a change in annual aggregate expenditures as follows:

A projected increase of \$1,607,589 in aggregate GME Supplemental Payments for SFY 2018.

A projected increase of \$1,607,589 in aggregate GME Supplemental Payments for SFY 2019.

If you would like a consultation regarding this new policy, please contact Colleen McLachlan 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,



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Chief of Division Compliance

Cc: Shannon Sprout, Deputy Administrator, DHCFP  
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