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Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada
Executive Board President
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P.O. Box 256
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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:

Attachment 4.19-B, Page 1c: Physician Services.

The DHCFP is revising the language in Section 5.a.1 to expand the range of procedure codes that will receive the 15% pediatric enhancement. The range will now include all surgery procedure codes (CPT Codes 10000 – 58999 and 60000 – 69999). The changes will be effective July 1, 2017.

SFY 2018: a projected increase in State General fund expenditures of \$291,945.

SFY 2019: a projected increase in State General fund expenditures of \$299,010.

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,

Lynne Foster
Chief of Division Compliance

Cc: Shannon Sprout, Deputy Administrator, DHCFP

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