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Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada
Len George, ITCN President
Tribal Chairman of Fallon Paiute Shoshone Tribe
565 Rio Vista Drive
Fallon, NV 89406

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 DHCFP is proposing changes to Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 100 – Medicaid Program, Section 102.2(B)(9) – Conditions of Participation – All Providers and Applicants, which currently states that the Fiscal Agent shall not enroll a provider or applicant convicted of a criminal offense related to any other State or Federally funded assistance program. However, in the best interest of the Medicaid program, it is being proposed to move this reference to a section which limits the time frame a provider shall not be considered for enrollment with such a conviction to the preceding ten years.

There is no anticipated fiscal impact to the Tribal Governments.

If you would like a consultation regarding this proposed change in policy, please contact Colleen McLachlan at (775) 684-3767 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 blue ink, appearing to read "Lynne Foster".

Lynne Foster
Chief of Division Compliance

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