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Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada
Executive Board President
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Elko Band Council
1745 Silver Eagle Drive
Elko, Nevada 89801

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 change for chapter 1300 of the Medicaid Service Manual (MSM) is updating the reporting timeframes for Continuous Positive Airway Pressure device (CPAP) and Bi-level Positive Airway Pressure device (Bi-PAP) to match Medicare and expanded sleep study requirement to include diagnostic and titrated sleep studies for Bi-PAP and CPAP.

Added definition of misuse and added erectile dysfunction equipment to non-covered items list, removed references to fee schedule for rent to purchased equipment, added tablets as items not allowed for Augmentative Communication Devices.

No fiscal impact to tribes.

If you would like a consultation regarding this new policy, please contact Tanya Benitez 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 blue ink that reads "Laurie Squartsoff".

Laurie Squartsoff
Administrator

Cc: Elizabeth Aiello, Deputy Administrator
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