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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.

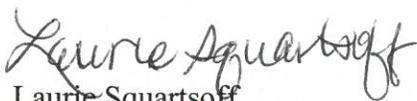
Attachment 4.19-A, Pages 32B and 32C: DHCFP is proposing an amendment to the Nevada Medicaid State Plan that would allow the continuation of the supplemental payment program based on inpatient hospital utilization rates in order to preserve access to inpatient acute services through SFY 2016 and SFY 2017.

The Fiscal Impact is as follows:

Federal Fiscal Impact:	State General Fund Fiscal Impact:
FFY 2016: \$23,952,485.62	SFY 2016: \$0
FFY 2017: \$24,304,499.68	SFY 2017: \$0

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,


Laurie Squartsoff
Administrator

Cc: Elizabeth Aiello, Deputy Administrator
Coleen Lawrence, Chief, Clinical Policy Team
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