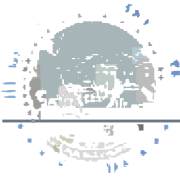


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November 26, 2019

**Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada
Anthony Sampson, ITCN President
Tribal Chairman of Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe
P.O. Box 256
Nixon, Nevada 89424**

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 requesting an extension and renewal to the 1915(b) Dental Prepaid Ambulatory Health Plan (PAHP) Waiver. The Waiver allows the state to utilize a Dental Benefits Administrator (DBA) for recipients residing in urban Clark and urban Washoe counties. The DBA has been active in Nevada since January 1, 2018 under the 1915(b) Waiver. The State is seeking to extend the waiver through March 31, 2020, then to renew the waiver through June 30, 2021.

There is no anticipated fiscal impact to the Tribal Government.

If you would like a consultation regarding this proposed change in policy, please contact Crystal Biselli at (775) 684-3722 to 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 black ink that reads "Cody L. Phinney".

Cody L. Phinney
Deputy Administrator, DHCFP

**Cc: DuAne Young, Deputy Administrator, DHCFP
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