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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 the Nevada Medicaid State Plan Attachment 3.1-A, Page 6b.4, Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Addendum definitions, and MSM Chapter 400 Outpatient Mental Health and Alcohol/Substance Abuse Services, (Section 403 and Attachment A) to amend supervision requirements of the Behavioral Health Community Network (BHCN). The proposed modifications will remove the requirement of Medical Supervision from the BHCN delivery model and consolidate the oversight of service delivery under Clinical Supervision. Clinical Supervision will be responsible for Outpatient Mental Health (OMH) and Rehabilitative Mental Health (RMH) services provided by the BHCN.

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 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,

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