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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 revisions to Medicaid Operations Manual, Chapter 200, to align with the provisions of Senate Bill 378. The proposed revisions consist of changing the name of the Pharmacy and Therapeutics (P&T) Committee to Silver State Scripts Board, updating policy allowing discussions associated with cost for prescription drugs on the Nevada Medicaid Preferred Drugs List, updating the DHHS Director as the appointing authority for members of the Silver State Scripts Board, removing restrictions concerning the numbers of members of the Silver State Scripts Board, and lastly updating the title of the Board Coordinator to DHHS Senior Advisor on Pharmacy.

There is no anticipated fiscal impact to the Tribal Governments.

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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Tammy Moffitt".

Tammy Moffitt
Chief of Operations

Elken Flowers
for Tammy Moffitt

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