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# NOTICE OF MEETING TO SOLICIT PUBLIC COMMENTS AND INTENT TO ACT UPON AMENDMENTS TO THE NEVADA MEDICAID SERVICES MANUALS (MSM)

## AGENDA
## REVISED

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| **Date of Publication:** | **March 11, 2016** |
| **Date and Time of Meeting:** | **April 14, 2016, 9:10AM or Upon Completion of the Amendments to the State Plan for Medicaid Services Public Hearing** |
| **Name of Organization:** | **The State of Nevada, Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP)** |
| **Place of Meeting:** | **Nevada State Legislature Building<br>401 S. Carson Street Room 3138<br>Carson City, Nevada 89701** |
| **Place of Video Conference:** | **Grant Sawyer Office Building<br>555 E. Washington Avenue Suite 4406<br>Las Vegas, Nevada 89101** |
| **Teleconference Number:** | **(877) 402-9753** |
| **Access Code:** | **7316372** |

## AGENDA

1. **Public Comment**

2. **For Possible Action: Review and approve meeting minutes from the March 10, 2016 public hearing.**

3. **For Possible Action: Discussion and proposed adoption of changes to MSM Chapter 400 – Mental Health and Alcohol and Substance Abuse Services**

**Revisions to Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 400 – Mental Health and Alcohol/Substance Abuse Services are being proposed to clarify requirements for the Behavioral Health Community Network (BHCN) providers to identify and measure specific domains of quality and care and the requirements for the BHCN Quality Assurance (QA) program and report.**

**Entities Financially Affected: PT14 – Behavioral Health Out Patient Treatment; PT82 – Behavioral Health Rehabilitative Treatment**

**Financial Impact on Local Government: None**

**Effective Date: May 1, 2016**

**a. Presentation of MSM Chapter 400**

**b. Public comment on proposed changes**

**c. Adoption of proposed changes**

**4. For Possible Action: Discussion and proposed adoption of changes to MSM Chapter 400 – Mental Health and Alcohol and Substance Abuse Services**

**Revisions to Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 400 – Mental Health and Alcohol/Substance Abuse Services are being proposed to clarify requirements for case management services and referring providers to MSM Chapter 2500 – Case Management, for further clarification of definitions, service requirements, service limitations, provider qualifications and documentation requirements. This is not a change to policy and is only providing further clarification.**

**Entities Financially Affected: PT14 – Behavioral Health Out Patient Treatment**

**Financial Impact on Local Government: None**

**Effective Date: April 15, 2016**

**a. Presentation of MSM Chapter 400**

**b. Public comment on proposed changes**

**c. Adoption of proposed changes**

**5. For Possible Action: Discussion and proposed adoption of changes to MSM Chapter 600 - Physicians Services**

**A revision to Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 600, Physicians Services, Attachment A, #6-04 Intrathecal Baclofen (ITB) Therapy is being proposed to align**

**with current billing procedures. Current policy incorrectly states that no prior authorization is required for ITB Therapy; however, prior authorization is required.**

**Entities Financially Affected: PT12 – Hospital, Outpatient; PT20 – Physician, M.D., Osteopath, D.O.; PT24 – Advanced Practice Registered Nurses; PT72 – Nurse Anesthetists; PT77 – Physician's Assistants**

**Financial Impact on Local Government: None**

**Effective Date: Upon approval at Public Hearing**

**a. Presentation of MSM Chapter 600**

**b. Public comment on proposed changes**

**c. Adoption of proposed changes**

**6. For Possible Action: Discussion and proposed adoption of changes to MSM Chapter 1300 - Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotic, and Supplies**

**Revisions to Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 1300 – Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics, and Supplies are being proposed as follows:**

- **Clarifying Provider responsibilities to address mobility equipment proper use and modifications were made to the Mobility Assessment Form.**
- **Clarifying the requirements and allowable documentation on orders/scripts, revised language to indicate "rental only" modifying used equipment option policy as NV Medicaid hasn't ever reimbursed for equipment used by other recipients.**
- **Addition of non-covered items electric implantable osteogenesis stimulators, travel, activity, or corner chairs, feeder seats and floor sitters.**
- **Policies for hospital beds were revised and oximeter policy changed to allow purchase rather than just rental.**
- **Added definition of "current" as being within the last 60 days for specific equipment to spell out timeframes for the provider.**

**Entities Financially Affected: PT12 – Out Patient Hospitals; PT17 – Special Clinics; PT19 – Nursing Facility; PT20 – Physicians, Osteopath; PT24 – Certified RN Practitioner; PT77 – Physician's Assistant; PT33 - DMEPOS**

**Financial Impact on Local Government: None**

**Effective Date: May 1, 2016**

**a. Presentation of MSM Chapter 1300**

**b. Public comment on proposed changes**

**c. Adoption of proposed changes**

**7. For Possible Action: Discussion and proposed adoption of changes MSM Chapter 1200 - Prescribed Drugs**

**Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 1200, Prescribed Drugs, Section 1203 will be revised and reorganized. Obsolete policy will be deleted. Some information that is already found in other sources such as MSM Chapter 100, MSM Chapter 3300, in the NRS will be deleted. Information related to claims submission will be moved from Section 1203 to the Nevada Medicaid and Nevada Check Up Pharmacy Manual.**

**Regarding the Preferred Drug List Exception Criteria, the Continuity of Care clause will be revised to include all psychotropic medications not just antidepressants. Under Immunizations, the language under the Human Papillomavirus (HPV) is being revised to include males for both quadrivalent and bivalent HPV vaccines. Policy is being clarified that hospital-based ESRD facilities, hospice providers and facilities that bill by encounter will be added to the outpatient drug delivery model.**

**Revisions to Appendix A of MSM Chapter 1200, Prescribed Drugs were made to reflect approved actions by the Drug Use Review (DUR) Board at the September 3, 2015 and the November 5, 2015 meetings.**

**The DUR Board is a requirement of the Social Security Act to identify and reduce fraud, abuse, overuse, and medically unnecessary care. The DUR Board also works to minimize drug interactions, drug-induced illness, and undesirable drug reactions in recipients.**

**Revised and new prior authorization criteria were approved by the DUR Board on September 3, 2015. Prior authorization criteria were revised for Psychotropic Medications for Children and Adolescents; Kalydeco® (ivacaftor); Anti-fungal Onychomycosis agents; and Sedative Hypnotics. New prior authorization criteria were approved for Corlanor® (ivabradine).**

**Revised and new prior authorization criteria were approved by the DUR Board on November 5, 2015. Prior authorization criteria were revised for Immunomodulator Drugs, adding Arcalyst® (rilonacept), Cosentyx® (secukinumab) and Ilaris®**

**(canakinumab) to the current criteria. New prior authorization criteria were approved for Orkambi® (lumacaftor/invacaftor); Invega Trinza® (paliperidone palmitate); Praluent® (alirocumab); Entresto® (sacubitril/valsartan); Technivie® (ombitasvir/paritaprevir/ritonavir); and Daklinza® (daclatasvir).**

**Entities Financially Affected: PT12 – Out Patient Hospital; PT14 – Behavioral Health, Outpatient; PT16 – Intermediate Care Facility for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities; PT20 – Physicians, Osteopath; PT24 – Certified RN Practitioner; PT28 – Pharmacy; PT37 – Intravenous Therapy; PT77 Physician's Assistant**

**Financial Impact on Local Government: None**

**Effective Date: April 15, 2016**

**a. Presentation of MSM Chapter 1200**

**b. Public comment on proposed changes**

**c. Adoption of proposed changes**

**8. General Public Comments (Because of time considerations, the period for public comment by each speaker or organization may be limited to 5 minutes, and speakers are urged to avoid repetition of comments made by previous speakers.)**

**9. Adjournment**

**Nevada Medicaid is unaware of any financial impact to other entities or local government due to this public hearing, other than as stated above.**

**PLEASE NOTE: Items may be taken out of order at the discretion of the chairperson. Items may be combined for consideration by the public body. Items may be pulled or removed from the agenda at any time. If an action item is not completed within the time frame that has been allotted, that action item will be continued at a future time designated and announced at this meeting by the chairperson. All public comment may be limited to 5 minutes.**

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**Notice of this meeting and draft copies of the changes will be available on or after the date of this notice at the DHCFP Web site http://dhcfp.nv.gov/, Carson City Central office, Elko District Office, Reno District Office, and Las Vegas District Office and may be reviewed during normal business hours.**

**If requested in writing, a draft copy of the changes will be mailed to you. Requests and/or written comments on the proposed changes may be sent to the Ellen Felsing at the Division**

**of Health Care Financing and Policy, 1100 E. William Street, Suite 101, Carson City, NV 89701**.

**All persons that have requested in writing to receive the Public Hearings agenda have been duly notified by mail or e-mail.**

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