

NOTICE OF OPEN PUBLIC MEETING

The Division of Health Care Financing and Policy, Drug Utilization Review Board, will conduct a public meeting) on September 18, 2003, beginning at 1:00 p.m. at the following location:

**Legislative Building
Room 3137
Carson City, Nevada**

**Videoconferencing: Grant Sawyer Building
Room V4401
Las Vegas, Nevada**

Reasonable efforts will be made to assist and accommodate physically challenged persons desiring to attend the meeting. Please call Tiger Pope at: 775-684-3605 or toll free at: 1-800-992-0900, ext. 43605 in advance, but no later than two working days prior to the meeting, so that arrangements may be conveniently made.

Below is an agenda of all items scheduled to be considered. Unless otherwise noted, items may be taken out of order at the discretion of the Chairperson.

Public comment may be limited to 5 minutes per person at the discretion of the Chairperson.

AGENDA

- I. Call to order and Roll Call
- II. Introductions and Welcomes
- III. *Approval of Minutes, June 19, 2003 meeting
- IV. Administrator's Report
 - a. Update on Role of DUR Board and Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee
 - b. Role of First Health Services
 - c. Next Steps
- V. *Drug Use Criteria Review
 - a. FluMist (Influenza Virus Vaccine Live, Intranasal)
 - b. Xolair (Omalizumab)

15 minute Break

- VI. Prospective Drug Utilization Review (ProDUR)
 - a. Goals
 - b. Process
 - c. Reports
 1. Pro DUR Message and Savings Report
 2. Top Ten Pro DUR Encounters by Problem Type
 3. Top 10 Therapeutic Classes By Payment and Claims Count
 4. Top 50 Drugs Ranked by Payment and Claims Count
 5. Cost and Utilization Analysis by Drug Type
 - d. *Consideration of Additional Edit Denials
- VII. Retrospective Drug Utilization Review (RetroDur)
 - a. Goals
 - b. Process
 - c. Future Focus
- VIII. Old Business
 - a. *Duragesic Criteria Review
 - b. *J Code Review

IX. Public Comment

Adjournment

*** Denotes items on which an action may be taken.**

This notice and agenda has been posted on or before 9:00 a.m. on the third working day before the meeting at the following locations:

Notice of this meeting will be available on or after September 11, 2003 at the DHCFP Web site (dhcfp@state.nv.us).

Posting of the Agenda will be at the Nevada Medicaid Central offices in Carson City and Las Vegas; Nevada State Library; Carson City Library; Churchill County Library; Las Vegas Library; Douglas County Library; Elko County Library; Lincoln County Library; Lyon County Library; Mineral County Library; Tonopah Public Library; Pershing County Library; Goldfield Public Library; Eureka Branch Library; Humboldt County Library; Lander County Library; Storey County Library; Washoe County Library; and White Pine County Library and may be reviewed during normal business hours.

If requested in writing, a copy of the action items will be mailed to you or they may be reviewed Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. or at the meeting. Please call at least one day ahead for an appointment for document review. Written comments on the proposed changes may be sent to the DHCFP, 1100 E. William Street, Suite 102, Carson City, NV 89701.

All persons that have requested in writing to receive the Open Meeting Agenda have been duly notified by mail or e-mail.