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

**REVISED AGENDA**

**Date of Publication:** May 22, 2018  
**Date of Revision:** May 23, 2018

**Date and Time of Meeting:** June 26, 2018 at 1:10 PM 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 Legislative Building  
401 S. Carson Street, Room 3137  
Carson City, Nevada 89701

**Place of Video Conference:** Grant Sawyer Office Building  
555 E. Washington Avenue, Room 4412E  
Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

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**AGENDA**

**1. Public Comment**

**2. For Possible Action: Discussion and adoption of changes to MSM Chapter 3800 – Care Management Organization (CMO)**

Revisions to MSM Chapter 3800 – Care Management Organization are being proposed to make the chapter obsolete on July 1, 2018 as the Nevada Medicaid will no longer have a CMO in operation. The CMO is part of the Nevada Comprehensive Care Waiver (NCCW) adopted by the State of Nevada within the Section 1115(a) Medicaid Research and Demonstration Waiver. The NCCW is known as the Health Care Guidance Program (HCGP) and expires June 30, 2018.

**Entities Financially Affected: Contracted Care Management Organization.**

**Financial Impact on Local Government: There is no expected financial impact on local government.**

**Effective Date: July 1, 2018**

- a. **Presentation of MSM Chapter 3800**
- b. **Public comment on proposed changes**
- c. **Adoption of proposed changes**

**3. For Possible Action: Discussion and adoption of changes to MSM Chapter 100 – Medicaid Program**

Revisions to MSM Chapter 100 are being proposed to update the Authority section to include the statutes and regulations for citizenship/lawfully residing person.

**Entities Financially Affected: All Medicaid enrolled providers.**

**Financial Impact on Local Government: There is no expected financial impact on local government.**

**Effective Date: June 27, 2018.**

- a. **Presentation of MSM Chapter 100**
- b. **Public comment on proposed changes**
- c. **Adoption of proposed changes**

**4. For Possible Action: Discussion and adoption of changes to MSM Chapter 1200 – Prescribed Drugs**

The DHCFP proposes revisions to MSM Chapter 1200, Section 1203, based on changes in the approved State Plan Amendment, Attachment 3.1-A, Page 5b (6) and Attachment 3.1-A, Page 5c (9) for Prescribed Drugs. The proposed revision will increase the

required quantity of medication per prescription for maintenance medications to a 100-day (three-month) supply and will allow for up to a 12-month supply of a drug for contraception to be dispensed.

The DHCFP is also proposing revisions to MSM Chapter 1200, Appendix A, based on recommendations approved at the January 25, 2018 Drug Use Review (DUR) meeting. The recommended changes include the revision of the criteria for Austedo® to include the diagnosis of Tardive Dyskinesia, new prior authorization requirements for Bevyxxa® and Benlysta®, ~~the addition of Symproic® to the existing criteria on Opioid-Induced Constipation Agents,~~ and the addition of Kevzara® to the existing prior authorization list of Immunomodulator drugs. Clarifying language is also being proposed for the existing criteria on Immunomodulator drugs under Psoriatic Arthritis.

Providers who prescribe, dispense or administer this drug may be affected by this change, including, but not limited to, the following Provider Types (PTs): Outpatient Surgery (PT 10); Hospital, Inpatient (PT 11); Hospital, Outpatient (PT 12); Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities, Public (PT 16); Special Clinics (PT 17); Nursing Facility (PT 19); Physician/Osteopath (PT 20); Podiatrist (PT21); Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (PT 24); Pharmacy (PT 28); Home Health Agency (PT 29); Ambulatory Surgical Centers, Freestanding (PT 46); Indian Health Programs and Tribal Clinics (PT 47); Indian Health Service Hospital, Inpatient (Tribal) (PT 51), Indian Health Service Hospital, Outpatient (Tribal) (PT52); Transitional Rehabilitative Center, Outpatient (PT 55); Inpatient Rehabilitation and Long Term Acute Care (LTAC) Specialty Hospitals (PT 56); Hospice (PT 64); Hospice, Long Term Care (PT 65); Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities, Private (PT68); Nurse Anesthetist (PT 72); Critical Access Hospital (CAH), Inpatient (PT 75); Audiologist (PT 76); Physician’s Assistant (PT 77); Indian Health Service Hospital, Inpatient (Non-Tribal) (PT 78); Indian Health Service Hospital, Outpatient (Non-Tribal) (PT 79).

**Financial Impact on Local Government:** There is no expected financial impact on local government.

**Effective Date:** July 2, 2018.

- a. Presentation of MSM Chapter 1200
- b. Public comment on proposed changes
- c. Adoption of proposed changes

**5. For Possible Action: Discussion and adoption of changes to MSM Chapter 1300 – Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics and Disposable Supplies (DMEPOS)**

Revisions to MSM Chapter 1300 are being proposed as follows: The definition of DMEPOS is being updated to reflect the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) update that covered equipment be used in the home exclusively and now

**covers settings where normal life activities take place; revised the language and removed the verbiage regarding non-covered items; revised the language throughout the chapter regarding the coverage of equipment for use in the home to reflect the new CMS definition of DMEPOS.**

**Entities Financially Affected: Durable Medical Equipment (PT 33) and other Medicaid enrolled providers ordering or prescribing Durable Medical Equipment.**

**Financial Impact on Local Government: Unknown at this time.**

**Effective Date: June 27, 2018.**

- a. **Presentation of MSM Chapter 1300**
  - b. **Public comment on proposed changes**
  - c. **Adoption of proposed changes**
6. **General Public Comments (Because of time considerations, the period for public comment by each speaker or organization may be limited to five minutes, and speakers are urged to avoid repetition of comments made by previous speakers.)**
7. **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.**

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**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.

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