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**Division of Health Care Financing and Policy  
Notice of Meeting to Solicit Public Comments and Amendments to the State Plan for  
Medicaid Services**

**Public Hearing January 25, 2018  
Minutes**

Date and Time of Meeting: January 25, 2018 at 11:05 AM

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  
401 S. Carson Street, Room 2134  
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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**Attendees**

**In Carson City, NV**

Lynne Foster, DHCFP  
Cody Phinney, DHCFP  
Darrell Faircloth, SDAG  
Holly Long, DHCFP

Jodi Patton, DHCFP  
Tracy Palmer, DHCFP  
Neila Abbott, DHCFP

**Introduction:**

Ms. Lynne Foster, Chief of Division Compliance, DHCFP, opened the Public Hearing introducing herself, Ms. Cody Phinney, Deputy Administrator of the DHCFP and Mr. Darrell Faircloth, Senior Deputy Attorney General (SDAG).

Ms. Foster – The notice for this public hearing was published on December 22, 2017 in accordance with 42 CFR 447.205.

**1. Public Comments:**

- No Comments.

**2. For Possible Action: Review and approve meeting minutes from the December 21, 2017 public hearing**

Ms. Foster stated that these minutes were not ready for review and would be considered at our next Public Hearing.

Public Comments

- No Comments.

**3. Discussion of Proposed Amendments to the State Plan for Medicaid Services Section 4.32 “Income and Eligibility Verification System” and Solicitation of Public Comments**

**Subject: Public Assistance Reporting Information System (PARIS) Compliance**

Ms. Tracy Palmer:

Revisions to Medicaid State Plan Section 4.32 are proposed to ensure Nevada Medicaid State Plan compliance with the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) requirements in Section 1903(r) of the Act.

Language will be added to document participation in PARIS.

The following Provider Type (PT) will potentially be affected by this change:  
All providers enrolled with Medicaid will potentially be affected by this change.

Estimated Change in Annual Aggregate expenditures: No change in annual aggregate expenditures is anticipated.

The effective date is January 1, 2018.

Ms. Foster stated for the record there was a mistake on the Agenda stating January 1, 2017 instead of 2018.

At the conclusion of Ms. Palmer's presentation, Ms. Foster asked Ms. Phinney and Mr. Faircloth if they had any questions or comments.

Ms. Phinney's Comments:

- No Comments.

Mr. Faircloth's Comments:

- No Comments.

Public Comments:

- No Comments.

Ms. Foster – Closed the Public Hearing for the SPA on “Income and Eligibility Verification System” Section 4.32.

**4. General Public Comments**

- No Comments.

There were no further comments and Ms. Foster adjourned the public hearing at 11:10 AM.

*\*An Audio (CD) version of this meeting is available through the DHCFP Compliance office. For more detailed information on any of the handouts, submittals, testimony and or comments please contact Ellen Felsing at [Ellen.Felsing@dncfp.nv.gov](mailto:Ellen.Felsing@dncfp.nv.gov) or (775) 684-3684 with any questions.*