

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES



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## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP**

Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Updates for Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) Waivers for Frail Elderly (FE) and Physically Disabled (PD), and State Plan Personal Care Services (PCS) and Intermediary Service Organization (ISO)

**Date of Publication:** April 17, 2024

**Date and Time of Meeting:** May 6, 2024 at 10:00 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: No physical location

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## **AGENDA**

- Presentation and Public Comment
  - a. The purpose of this workshop is to present the proposed updates made to the MSM Chapters 2200 (FE Waiver), 2300 (PD Waiver), 2600 (PCS) and 3500 (ISO):
    - Added required language to reflect the SB511 as mandated for providers to adhere to the wage requirements established by federal or state law or applicable Medicaid requirements for direct care workers.
    - 2. The DHCFP Audit unit will conduct audits to ensure compliance with any wage requirement. As part of these audits, documents requested may include but not limited to:
      - a. Payroll records such as timesheets or timecards;
      - b. Detailed paystubs including hours and rates per direct care worker;
      - c. Employment documentation used to verify identification and authorization to work;
      - d. Financial records needed to verify a provider's wage expense.
    - 3. If a provider is determined to not be in compliance with paying their direct care workers a required wage, a provider will be subject to corrective action. Initial violations for non-compliance may result in provider education as well as recoupment of overpayment due to a provider not paying a direct care worker the mandated wage. Continued violations may trigger corrective action including additional penalties up to termination.
    - 4. Public comment regarding subject matter
- 2. Public comment regarding any other issue
- 3. Adjournment

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