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NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP

Qualified Mental Health Associates (QMHA) and Qualified Behavioral Aides (QBA) Moratorium Workshop

Date of Publication: November 6, 2018

Date and Time of Meeting: November 20, 2018 at 2:00 PM

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: Division of Public and Behavioral Health (DPBH)
4150 Technology Way, Room 303
Carson City, Nevada 89706

Place of Video-Conference: Desert Regional Center
1391 S. Jones Blvd.
Las Vegas, Nevada 89146

Place of Video-Conference: Division of Health Care Financing and Policy
1010 Ruby Vista Drive, Suite 103
Elko, Nevada 89801

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Access Code: 78413

Agenda

1. Presentation and public comment regarding an enrollment moratorium on Qualified Mental Health Associates (QMHA) and Qualified Behavioral Aide (QBA)

- a. The purpose of this workshop is to provide stakeholders the DHCFP's intent to implement an enrollment moratorium on QMHAs and QBAs for a six month period starting effective December 1, 2018.

During this time, the DHCFP will work in collaboration with the DPBH to develop certifications and oversights to rehabilitative mental health services and the providers that render such services. This will have impacts to all provider types that utilize QMHAs and QBAs in their business models.

- b. Public comment regarding subject matter.
2. Public comment regarding any other issue
3. Adjournment

Items may be taken out of order. Two or more agenda items may be combined for consideration. Items may be removed from the agenda or discussion of items may be delayed at any time.

Notice of this public workshop meeting and draft copies of the changes will be available on or after the date of this notice at the DHCFP Web site at <http://dhcfp.nv.gov>. The agenda posting of this meeting can be viewed at the follow locations: Carson City Central Office; Las Vegas District Office; Reno District Office and Elko District Office and may be reviewed during normal business hours.

If requested in writing, a copy of the proposal will be mailed to you. Requests and/or written comments on the proposed changes may be sent to the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy, 1100 E. William Street, Suite 101, Carson City, Nevada 89701 at least three days' prior the public workshop.

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

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