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

AGENDA

Date of Publication: August 7, 2015

Date and Time of Meeting: September 10, 2015 at 9:00AM

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 2135
Carson City, Nevada 89701

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

AGENDA

- 1. Public Comment**
- 2. For Possible Action: Review and approval of meeting minutes from the September 3, 2015 public hearing.**
- 3. For Possible Action: Discussion and proposed adoption of changes to MSM Chapter 100-Medicaid Program**

Revisions to Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 100 are being proposed to update policy with the current International Classification of Diseases (ICD)-10 CM verbiage.

Entities Financially Affected: None

Financial Impact on Local Government: None

Effective Date: October 1, 2015

- a. **Presentation of MSM Chapter 100**
 - b. **Public comment on proposed changes**
 - c. **Adoption of proposed changes**
4. **For Possible Action: Discussion and proposed adoption of changes to MSM Chapter 2100 – Home and Community-Based Waiver (HCBW) For Persons with Mental Retardation and Related Conditions**

Revisions to Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 2100 are being proposed to bring this chapter in line with the current waiver renewal which was approved on January 10, 2014. Changes to this chapter include a name change throughout the entire chapter from Waiver for Person with Mental Retardation and Related Conditions to Waiver for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities and Related Conditions. In addition, changes were made throughout the chapter to change ICF/MR to ICF/ID. These changes bring the State in line with Federal requirements on the correct terminology: Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities.

Many services were reworded and updated for clarity. The provider qualifications and recipients rights sections were streamlined and clarified. Outdated language was either removed or reworded for clarity.

In July of 2013, Mental Health and Developmental Services (MHDS) was merged into Aging and Disability Services Division (ADSD). Throughout the chapter, references to MHDS were changed to ADSD.

Throughout the chapter, grammar, punctuation, and capitalization changes were made, duplications removed, acronyms used and standardized, and language reworded for clarity. Renumbering and re-arranging of sections was necessary.

Entities Financially Affected: None

Financial Impact on Local Government: None

Effective Date: October 1, 2015

- a. **Presentation of MSM Chapter 2100**
 - b. **Public comment on proposed changes**
 - c. **Adoption of proposed changes**
5. **General Public Comments (Because of time considerations, the period for public comment by each speaker or organization may be limited to 5 minutes, and speakers are urged to avoid repetition of comments made by previous speakers.)**

6. 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.

PLEASE NOTE: Items may be taken out of order at the discretion of the chairperson. Items may be combined for consideration by the public body. Items may be pulled or removed from the agenda at any time. If an action item is not completed within the time frame that has been allotted, that action item will be continued at a future time designated and announced at this meeting by the chairperson. All public comment may be limited to 5 minutes.

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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 Robyn Heddy at the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy, 1100 E. William Street, Suite 101, Carson City, NV 89701.

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