

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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DHCFP is proposing to amend the Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) Waiver for Individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (ID) to reflect the following changes and must be submitted to Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) for approval. As part of the process, the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) is requesting public comment regarding this amendment.

The proposed amendment includes:

- 1. Updated new rate structure effective 4/01/2024 for ID Waiver Services, with the exception of ID Waiver Dental Services.
- 2. Removed maximum hours for Shared Living Arrangements by relatives and Legally Responsible Individuals to coincide with new rate structure.
- 3. Allow for medication administration by Jobs and Day Training providers.

The changes can be found at the following link:

https://dhcfp.nv.gov/uploadedFiles/dhcfpnvgov/content/Pgms/LTC/Appendix%20I-2a.pdf https://dhcfp.nv.gov/uploadedFiles/dhcfpnvgov/content/Pgms/LTC/Appendix%20J.pdf https://dhcfp.nv.gov/uploadedFiles/dhcfpnvgov/content/Pgms/LTC/Appendix%20C-2e.pdf

To be assured consideration, comments must be received by one of the methods provided below no later than 5:00 PM on January 4, 2024. You may submit comments in one of three ways (please choose only one of the ways listed):

Electronically: You may email comments to:

hcbs@dhcfp.nv.gov. Write "ID Waiver Amendment" on the subject line.

Mail: You may mail written comments to the following address:

Division of Health Care Financing and Policy ATTN: LTSS – "ID Waiver Amendment" 1050 E William Street, Suite 435 Carson City, Nevada 89701

Fax: You may fax comments to the following number:

(775) 687-8724

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All comments received before the close of the comment period are available for viewing by the public, including any personally identifiable or confidential business information that is included in a comment. We will post all the comments received by the close of the comment period, as soon as possible after they have been received, on the following web site: Link to be created.

There will be a link on the page for Public Comments received.

