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PUBLIC NOTICE TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON Nevada Public Option 1332 Waiver Application

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Name of Organization: The State of Nevada Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP).

1. This Public Notice is to inform the public of the following request for public comment opportunity for 60 days until February 27, 2023: Senate Bill 420 passed in the 2021 Nevada Legislative Session mandates the implementation of Public Option health plans by January 1, 2026. The implementation requires the application for a 1332 Waiver and accompanying Actuarial/Economic Analysis and Certification. The materials are available for review here <https://dhhs.nv.gov/publicoption/>.

2. General public comment regarding this waiver application may be submitted in three ways:

Public Hearings provide the opportunity for Public Comment at the beginning and end of each meeting. For planning purposes, an overview of the Public Option will be presented at the Tribal Consultation/Update on January 11, 9:30 AM. The agenda and meeting information is available here:

<https://dhcfp.nv.gov/Public/AdminSupport/PublicNotices/>

Public Option-specific hearings will be held on January 24 at 9:30 AM and February 3 at 2 PM. Notices, agendas, locations and meeting links will be available here: <https://dhcfp.nv.gov/Public/AdminSupport/PublicNotices/>. Notifications will be sent via email on all DHCFP and Public Option ListServes following required public notice timelines.

Sign up to receive DHCFP notifications here:

<https://dhcfp.nv.gov/Resources/NevadaMedicaidUpdate/NevadaMedicaidUpdate/>

Sign up for Public Option notifications here: <https://dhhs.nv.gov/publicoption/>

Email comments to NVPublicOption@dhhs.nv.gov. Include the subject line "1332 Waiver".

Mail written comments to:

Division of Health Care Financing and Policy ATTN: Cecilia Chavez
1100 E. William Street, Suite 101
Carson City, Nevada 89701.

This notice will remain publicly posted for 60 days through February 27, 2023, exceeding Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services public notice requirements. Feedback must be submitted to DHCFP via the instruction in Section 2 above.

This notice has been posted online at <http://dhcfp.nv.gov>, as well as Carson City, Las Vegas, Elko, and Reno central office addresses below for DHCFP. Email notice has been made to such individuals as have requested notice of meetings (to request notifications please contact documentcontrol@dhcfp.nv.gov, or at 1100 East William Street, Suite 101, Carson City, Nevada 89701.

DHCFP, 1100 E. William St., Suite 101, Carson City, Nevada 89701

DHCFP, 1010 Ruby Vista Drive, Suite 103, Elko, Nevada 89801

DHCFP, 1210 S. Valley View, Suite 104, Las Vegas, Nevada 89102

DHCFP, 745 W. Moana Lane, Suite 200, Reno, Nevada 89509

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