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Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada
Serrell Smokey, ITCN President
Tribal Chairman of Washoe Tribe
919 Highway 395 South
Gardnerville, Nevada 89410

Dear Tribal Members:

In accordance with established consultation guidelines, the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) is notifying Nevada tribes of the following proposed change to the State Plan.

Revisions are being made to the Medicaid State Plan Attachment 3.1-A page 6b.4 (continued), page 6b.4 (continued page 1) to clarify services that may be included in an Intensive Outpatient Program and Partial Hospitalization Program. Also, clarity was provided to delineate between behavioral health and substance use disorder treatment in these settings. Medication-assisted Treatment (MAT) was removed from Intensive Outpatient Program and Partial Hospitalization Program services to allow for this service to be reimbursed separately. Additional revisions are being made to add a new page Attachment 3.1-A page 6b.4(continued page 2) and Attachment 4.19 B page 3K to include substance use treatment in a residential setting as well as new bundled rates for these residential levels of care.

There is no anticipated fiscal impact to Tribal Governments.

If you would like a consultation regarding this proposed change in policy, please contact Nahayvee Flores-Rosiles at (775) 350-0786 or nflores-rosiles@dncfp.nv.gov who will schedule a meeting. We would appreciate a reply within 30 days from the date of this letter. If we do not hear from you within this time, we will consider this an indication that no consultation is requested.

Sincerely,

Casey Angres

Casey Angres (May 30, 2024 09:31 PDT)

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