

**NEVADA HEALTH AUTHORITY** 

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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 Nevada Health Authority (NVHA) is notifying Nevada tribes of the following proposed changes to the state plan:

The Nevada Health Authority is proposing a Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) to add Assertive Community Treatment (ACT). ACT is an evidenced-based practice designed to assist individuals with Serious Mental Illness (SMI), and/or SMI with Co-Occurring Disorders. This practice includes a multidisciplinary team and delivers comprehensive, intensive and integrated community and home-based care to individuals with high service needs. The Division intends to develop a bundled rate that reflects the core services delivered in this model, including screening and assessment, psychotherapy, family education and support, case management, medication management and supported employment and supported education services. These proposed changes are being made to Attachment 4.19-B and Attachment 3.1-A with an effective date of July 1, 2025. During the 83rd Legislative Session (2025), the DHCFP budget was approved through Senate Bill 501 and included the addition of ACT.

Estimated change in annual aggregate expenditures: An estimated increase in annual aggregate expenditures for

SFY 2026:	\$12,040,087
SFY 2027:	\$14,147,982

There is no anticipated fiscal impact to tribal governments.

If you would like a consultation regarding this proposed change in the state plan, please contact Nahayvee Flores-Rosiles at <u>nflores-rosiles@nvha.nv.gov</u> or (775) 350-0786 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 (Jul 10, 2025 14:08 PDT)

Casey Angres Division Compliance Chief, NVHA

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