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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 Medicaid State Plan:

The Division of Nevada Medicaid is proposing an amendment to Nevada Medicaid State Plan Attachment 4.19-B, page 2 (continued). This amendment is to establish a rate of reimbursement for a vagus nerve stimulation therapy device that is greater than or equal to 82 percent of the acquisition cost. Additionally, to establish a rate of reimbursement for a vagus nerve stimulation therapy device that is greater than or equal to 82 percent of the acquisition cost of such a replacement part. Lastly, the rates of reimbursement shall be separate and in addition to the rates of reimbursement for medical care necessary for the implantation or repair of a vagus nerve stimulation therapy device or the replacement of a part for such a device.

Estimated change in annual aggregate expenditures: There is an estimated increase in annual aggregate expenditures for

SFY 2026:	\$236,955
SFY 2027:	\$953,074

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 nflores-rosiles@nvha.nv.gov 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 (Sep 8, 2025 09:42:57 PDT)

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