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Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada
Serrell Smokey, ITCN President
Tribal Chairman of Washoe Tribe
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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 Nevada Medicaid State Plan:

The NVHA is submitting a State Plan Amendment (SPA) to update Section 1.1 of the State Plan for Medicaid to reflect a change in the Single State Agency (SSA) for Medicaid from the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) to the NVHA. [Senate Bill \(SB\) 494](#) passed during the 83rd (2025) Legislative Session reorganizes and renames the DHHS to the Department of Human Services (DHS), and establishes the NVHA, which is now the Department that holds authority over and administers the state's Medicaid programs.

Under SB494, the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) is abolished, and the Division of Nevada Medicaid has been created within the NVHA. Most of the duties related to the administration of the former DHCFP have been transferred to the Division of Nevada Medicaid.

The effective date of this SPA is July 1, 2025.

To learn more about NVHA, please visit our website at <https://nvha.nv.gov/> and/or subscribe to email updates related to the NVHA at <https://dhcfp.nv.gov/Resources/NevadaMedicaidUpdate/NevadaMedicaidUpdate/>.

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

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