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NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP

Amendments to the State Plan and Medicaid Services Manual -Doula

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Date and Time of Meeting: August 5, 2021 at 10:00 AM

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

Place of Meeting: DHCFP
1100 E. William Street, Ste 101
2nd Floor Conference Room
Carson City, NV 89701

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Agenda

1. Presentation and public comment
 - a. DHCFP is proposing a State Plan amendment in Attachment 3.1-A and an update to Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) Chapter 600 – Physician Services, as a result of the passage of Assembly Bill 256 and Senate Bill 420 during the 81st (2021) Legislative session. This will include a new provider type and policy language for doula services. A doula is a non-medical trained professional who provides education, emotional and physical support during pregnancy, labor, birth and postpartum period.
 - b. Public comment regarding subject matter.
2. Public comment regarding any other issue
3. Adjournment

Nevada Medicaid is unaware of any financial impact to other entities or local government due to this public hearing, other than as stated above.

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