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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

DIVISION OF HEALTH CARE FINANCING AND POLICY

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### **PUBLIC NOTICE TO SOLICIT COMMENT ON INTENT TO SUBMIT A STATE PLAN AMENDMENT TO SUPPLEMENTAL PAYMENT TO FREE-STANDING NURSING FACILITIES**

**June 27, 2025**

#### **Name of Organization**

Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Health Care Financing and Policy

#### **Public Comment**

General public comments are encouraged to be submitted in writing. You may submit comments in one of two ways found below (please choose one).

**Electronically:** You may email comments to [DocumentControl@dncfp.nv.gov](mailto:DocumentControl@dncfp.nv.gov). Write "Supplemental Payment to Free-Standing Nursing Facilities" in the subject line.

**Mail:** You may mail written comments to the following address:

Division of Nevada Medicaid

ATTN: Document Control

4070 Silver Sage Dr.

Carson City, NV 89701

#### **Purpose:**

The purpose of this notice is to provide the public with information and to collect public feedback regarding the state's intent to submit a State Plan Amendment (SPA) for federal approval to update the methodology used to calculate the supplemental payment to certain free-standing nursing facilities as currently stated in Medicaid State Plan Attachment 4.19-D Pages 10a through 10f.

This SPA will be effective July 1, 2025

The Division is developing a webpage dedicated to SPAs and intends to publish the draft SPA and other supporting materials on this website within the coming months. Emails related to the release of the new SPA webpage and SPA submissions will be sent to individuals who have signed up to receive electronic notifications through the Nevada Medicaid Update ListServ. You can sign up to receive these notifications by visiting:

<https://dhcfp.nv.gov/Resources/NevadaMedicaidUpdate/NMUListserv/>.

#### **Proposed Changes:**

The Division intends to submit a Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) to update the methodology used to determine the payments to private free-standing nursing facilities through an existing supplemental payment. This update will change the cadence used to calculate the payments. This change will provide a consistent and predictable annual program model.

These changes are being made to Medicaid State Plan Attachment 4.19-D Pages 10a through 10f and are effective on July 1, 2025.

### **Methodology:**

The Division intends to continue using the same component elements and weighting to determine the supplemental fee-for-service payment amounts for each facility. However, instead of computing the payment amounts on a quarterly basis, the State will perform these calculations on an annual basis. The total value of the payments is not expected to be impacted by this methodological change.

### **Estimated Expenditures:**

No change in annual aggregate expenditure is anticipated.

### **Notice Information**

This notice has been posted online at <http://dhcfp.nv.gov>, as well as Carson City, Las Vegas, Elko, and Reno District Offices for DHCFP. Email notice has been made to such individuals as have requested notice of State Plan Amendments. To request notifications or a physical copy of this notice, please contact [DocumentControl@dhcfp.nv.gov](mailto:DocumentControl@dhcfp.nv.gov), or visit your local Nevada Medicaid office at:

1919 College Parkway, Suite 120, Carson City, Nevada 89701

1010 Ruby Vista Drive, Suite 103, Elko, Nevada 89801

1210 S. Valley View, Suite 104, Las Vegas, Nevada 89102

745 W. Moana Lane, Suite 200, Reno, Nevada 89509

**A copy of this notice has also been sent to the following local agencies in each Nevada county for public review.**

Carson City Library  
900 North Roop Street  
Carson City, NV 89702  
<https://carsoncitylibrary.org/>

Churchill County Library  
553 South Main Street  
Fallon, NV 89406  
<https://churchillcountylibrary.org/>

Clark County District Library  
833 Las Vegas Boulevard North  
Las Vegas, NV 89101  
<https://thelibrarydistrict.org/>

Douglas County Library  
1625 Library Lane  
Minden, NV 89423  
<https://library.douglascountynv.gov/>

Elko County Library  
720 Court Street  
Elko, NV 89801  
<https://www.exploremybrary.org/>

Esmeralda County Library  
(Corner of Crook and 4<sup>th</sup> Street)  
PO Box 430  
Goldfield, NV 89013  
(No Website)

Eureka Branch Library  
210 South Monroe Street  
Eureka, NV 89316-0283  
(No Website)

Henderson District Public Library  
100 West Lake Mead Parkway  
Henderson, NV 89105  
<https://www.hendersonlibraries.com/>

Lander County Library  
625 South Broad Street  
Battle Mountain, NV 89820-0141  
<https://www.landercountynv.org/>

Lincoln County Library  
63 Maine Street  
Pioche, NV 89043-0330  
(No Website)

Lyon County Library  
20 Nevin Way  
Yerington, NV 89447-2399  
<https://www.lyon-county.org/238/Library>

Mineral County Library  
110 1<sup>st</sup> Street  
Hawthorne, NV 89415-1390  
<https://mineralcountylibrary.com/>

Pahrump Community Library  
701 East Street  
Pahrump, NV 89041-0578  
<https://www.pahrumplibrary.org/>

Pershing County Library  
1125 Central Avenue  
Lovelock, NV 89419-0781  
[https://pershingcounty.net/community/county\\_library/](https://pershingcounty.net/community/county_library/)

Storey County Library  
175 Carson Street  
Virginia City, NV 89440-0014  
<https://storeycountycommunitylibrary.com/>

Tonopah Public Library  
167 Central Street  
Tonopah, NV 89049-0449  
<https://www.tonopahnevada.com/tonopahlibrary/>

Washoe County Library  
301 South Center Street  
Reno, NV 89505-2151  
<https://www.washoecountylibrary.us/>

White Pine County Library  
950 Campton Street  
Ely, NV 89301-1965  
<https://www.whitepinecounty.net/284/Library>