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Courtney Miller
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Dear Director Miller:

Enclosed please find Nevada's State Plan Amendment (SPA) #25-0031. This SPA amends Nevada's State Plan effective October 1, 2025. The specific changes being made are as follows:

NVHA is proposing to update the Nevada Medicaid State Plan Attachment 3.1-A, to include, at a minimum, coverage for vaccines and their administration recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) or the Nevada Medicaid Drug Utilization Review (DUR) Board.

If you have any policy questions regarding this SPA, please contact Casey Angres, Agency Manager at (775) 684-3667 or cangres@dhcfp.nv.gov.

Sincerely,

Stacie Weeks, Director Nevada Health Authority

Enclosures

cc: Ann Jensen, Administrator, Nevada Health Authority (NVHA), Nevada Medicaid Casey Angres, Agency Manager, NVHA, Nevada Medicaid

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- A. <u>Diagnostic Services</u>. Provided under the EPSDT program.
- B. <u>Screening Services</u>. Annual mammography provided to women aged 40 and over. Screening services also provided under the EPSDT program.
- C. <u>Preventive Services</u>. Services provided include, at a minimum, "A" or "B" services recommended by the are according to the United States Preventive Services Task Force (USPSTF) A and B recommendations along with and approved vaccines and their administration recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) or the Nevada Medicaid Drug Utilization Review (DUR) Board. Documentation is available to support claiming of FMAP for such services. As changes are made to the USPSTF and/or ACIP, coverage and billing codes will be updated to comply with the changes. Cost sharing is not applied to any of these services.

Medical Nutrition Therapy (MNT): Medical nutrition therapy services are designed to provide medically necessary, diagnostic, therapy and counseling services for the management of nutrition related disease states. MNT involves the assessment of an individual's overall nutritional status followed by an individualized course of treatment to prevent or treat medical illness. Services must be provided under a treatment plan based on evidence-based assessment criteria and include realistic and obtainable goals.

Services:

The following services are covered when provided by a Licensed and Registered Dietician and must include coordination with the referring provider:

- a. An initial nutrition and lifestyle assessment
- b. One on one or group nutrition counseling
- c. Follow-up intervention visits to monitor progress in managing diet
- d. Subsequent visits in the following years
- e. Services may be provided in a group setting with the same service limitations

Service limits may be exceeded based on medical necessity. Prior authorization is required

Service Limitations:

MNT services are rendered by a Licensed and Registered Dietitian (RD) working in a coordinated, multidisciplinary team effort with a Physician, Physician's Assistant (PA) or Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (APRN). Treatment services must be ordered by the recipient's referring provider and delivered by a Registered Dietitian as defined in provider qualifications and acting within the scope of their licensure.

Provider Qualifications:

- a. Licensure as a Registered Dietitian by the Nevada State Board of Health.
- b. The individual must hold a bachelor's degree or higher education from an accredited college or university in human nutrition, nutrition education or equivalent education and completed the required training.
- c. Registered dietitians are not authorized to supervise any non-licensed practitioners to provide medical nutrition therapy services.

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