

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy will hold a public workshop to consider amendments to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 422.105 and 422.115

The workshop will be conducted via videoconference beginning at 11:00 AM (PST) on December 16, 2022, at the following locations:

Division of Health Care Financing and Policy 1100 E. William Street, Suite 101 2nd Floor Conference Room Carson City, NV 89701

Microsoft TEAMS

Click here to join the meeting

Or you can join via the following web address: https://tinyurl.com/NAC121622

Audio Only: (775) 321-6111 Conference ID: 840 667 885#

This workshop will be conducted in accordance with NRS 241.020, Nevada's Open Meeting Law.

AGENDA

- 1. Introduction of workshop process
- 2. Public comment on proposed amendments to Nevada Administrative Code 422.105 and 422.115
- 3. Public Comment

The proposed changes will revise NAC 422.105 and 422.115 of the Nevada Administrative Code and are being proposed in accordance with NRS 422.390.

The proposed regulations provide provisions for the following:

- 1. Brings the proposed regulations in compliance with the Nevada State Plan, Attachment 4.19-A, Page 23, Page 32a and 32 a.i. Changes are being made to the Disproportionate Share Hospital (DSH) calculations and distribution formula.
- 2. Affects Hospitals that participate in the DSH program.
- 3. Allows the State to modify the calculations and distribution of DSH funds when necessary.
- 4. Allows the Division to enter into an agreement with the Hospitals to calculate and distribute available DSH funds.

- 5. Outlines the percentages used to calculate and determine the distribution of DSH funds.
- 6. The total amount distributed to an individual hospital may not, under any circumstance, exceed the total uncompensated care costs (DSH limit) for that facility, therefore, the Division may opt to reduce the DSH allotment accordingly to prevent overpayments withing the year.

Members of the public may make oral comments at this meeting. Persons wishing to submit written testimony or documentary evidence may submit the material to Lynnette Aaron, Administrative Services Officer IV of Fiscal Services, at the following address:

<u>Division of Health Care Financing and Policy</u>
1100 E. William Street, Suite 101
Carson City, NV 89701
775-684-3762 (FAX)

Members of the public who require special accommodations or assistance at the workshops are required to notify Lynnette Aaron in writing to the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy, at the above address, or by calling Lynnette Aaron <u>at least five</u> (5) working days prior to the date of the public workshop.

You may contact Lynnette Aaron by calling 775-684-3639 for further information on the proposed regulations or how to obtain copies of the supporting documents.

A copy of the notice and the proposed regulations are on file for inspection and/or may be copied at the following locations during normal business hours:

Division of Health Care Financing and Policy 1100 E. William Street, Suite 101 Carson City, NV 89701

> Nevada State Library and Archives 100 Stewart Street Carson City, NV

A copy of the regulations can be found on the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy's web page: https://dhcfp.nv.gov/Public/AdminSupport/PublicNotices/

A copy of the public workshop notice can also be found at Nevada Legislature's web page: https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/Notice/A/

A copy of this notice has been posted at the following locations:

- 1. Division of Health Care Financing and Policy, 1100 E. William Street, Suite 101, First Floor Lobby, Carson City, NV 89701
- 2. Nevada State Library and Archives, 100 Stewart Street, Carson City
- 3. Legislative Building, 401 S. Carson Street, Carson City
- 4. Grant Sawyer Building, 555 E. Washington Avenue, Las Vegas
- 5. Washoe County District Health Department, 9th and Wells, Reno

Copies may be obtained in person, by mail, or by calling the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (775) 684-3676 in Carson City.

Copies may also be obtained from any of the public libraries listed below:

Carson City Library 900 North Roop Street Carson City, NV 89702

Churchill County Library 553 South Main Street Fallon, NV 89406

Clark County District Library 833 Las Vegas Boulevard North Las Vegas, NV 89101

Douglas County Library 1625 Library Lane Minden, NV 89423

Elko County Library 720 Court Street Elko, NV 89801

Esmeralda County Library Corner of Crook and 4th Street Goldfield, NV 89013-0484

Eureka Branch Library 210 South Monroe Street Eureka, NV 89316-0283

Henderson District Public Library 280 South Water Street

Henderson, NV 89105

Humboldt County Library 85 East 5th Street

Lander County Library 625 South Broad Street

Winnemucca, NV 89445-3095

Battle Mountain, NV 89820-0141

Lincoln County Library 93 Maine Street

Lyon County Library 20 Nevin Way

Pioche, NV 89043-0330

Yerington, NV 89447-2399

Mineral County Library

Pahrump Library District

110 1st Street

701 East Street

Hawthorne, NV 89415-1390

Pahrump, NV 89041-0578

Pershing County Library 1125 Central Avenue

Storey County Library 95 South R Street

Lovelock, NV 89419-0781

Virginia City, NV 89440-0014

Tonopah Public Library 167 Central Street Tonopah, NV 89049-0449 Washoe County Library 301 South Center Street Reno, NV 89505-2151

White Pine County Library 950 Campton Street Ely, NV 89301-1965

Per NRS 233B.064(2), upon adoption of any regulations, the agency, if requested to do so by an interested person, either prior to adoption or within 30 days thereafter, shall issue a concise statement of the principal reasons for and against its adoption, and incorporate therein its reason for overruling the consideration urged against its adoption.