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Launch Date for Nevada's Health Care Guidance Program Scheduled for June 1, 2014

The Nevada Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) is launching a new Care Management Organization (CMO), known as the Health Care Guidance Program, on June 1, 2014. This program will provide care management services to eligible Medicaid fee-for-service recipients.

The CMO Team at the DHCFP shared the vision and objectives of the Health Guidance Program to stakeholders and medical providers across the state.

During the DHCFP's outreach, the DHCFP became abundantly aware of how such a program could positively impact Medicaid's sickest fee-for-service recipients. The program is designed to help improve health outcomes for individuals who live with chronic health conditions by offering additional support to enrollees and providers. Coordinating transitional care, follow-up appointments, support services, preventive health and use of health information technology are all components of this program.

The DHCFP contracted with McKesson to manage the CMO. In early June, Nevada Medicaid providers will receive a handbook with information about the program details. Providers with questions regarding this program may call the Health Care Guidance Program at (855) 606-7875, option 2.