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Medicaid Transportation State Plan Amendment effective December 1, 2021

On or before December 27, 2021, the Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS) is submitting Transportation and Nonemergency Medical Transportation Services State Plan Amendment (SPA), effective December 1, 2021.

DPHHS proposes to adopt Section 209 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021, and will require providers to self-attest to the below requirements:

- (A) Each provider and the individual driver is not excluded from participation in any federal health care program (as defined in section 1128B(f) of the Act) and is not listed on the exclusion list of the Inspector General of the Department of Health and Human Services;
- (B) Each such individual driver has a valid driver's license;
- (C) Each such provider has in place a process to address any violation of a state drug law; and
- (D) Each such provider has in place a process to disclose to the state Medicaid program the driving history, including any traffic violations, of each such individual driver employed by such provider, including any traffic violations.

This amendment is budget neutral.

We invite your public comments and questions postmarked **through November 30, 2021**. You may direct comments to Mary Eve Kulawik, Medicaid State Plan Amendment and Waiver Coordinator, at (406) 444-2584 or mkulawik@mt.gov; or Director's Office, PO Box 4210, Helena MT 59604-4210.