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## **DHCFP to Host Public Workshop March 20, 2012, Regarding Personal Care Attendant Registry and NPI Requirement**

The Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) is proposing the implementation of a Personal Care Attendant Registry.

One component of this registry is the requirement for each Personal Care Attendant to obtain a National Provider Identifier (NPI) to continue participation with Nevada Medicaid/Nevada Check Up. NPIs are obtained through the National Plan and Provider Enumeration System (NPPES) online at <https://nppes.cms.hhs.gov> (click on "National Provider Identifier (NPI)" and follow the instructions) or call (800) 465-3203.

A DHCFP Public Workshop is scheduled for March 20, 2012, at 1:30 p.m. to familiarize Nevada Medicaid/Nevada Check Up Personal Care Service (PCS) agencies and Personal Care Attendants with the registry and NPI requirements. The Workshop Agenda and meeting materials are online on the [DHCFP Public Notices](#) webpage.

**Public Workshop Location:**      **NNCIL (No. Nevada Center of Independent Living)**  
**999 Pyramid Way**  
**Sparks, NV 89431**

**Video Conference at:**            **SNCIL (So. Nevada Center for Independent Living)**  
**6039 Eldora Street Suite F6**  
**Las Vegas, NV 89146**