

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE**

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~[omitted material]~~ is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 629.095 and 679B.130.

A REGULATION relating to insurance; requiring insurers and certain other entities to use the form prescribed by the Commissioner of Insurance to obtain information related to the credentials of providers of health care and to notify the Commissioner if certain federal, state or other requirements necessitate the inclusion in the form of a request for additional information; authorizing insurers and such other entities to use an addendum to the form under certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Section 1. Chapter 629 of NAC is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

1. Each insurer, carrier, society, corporation, health maintenance organization and managed care organization shall use the Nevada Division of Insurance (NDOI) Form 901 prescribed by the Commissioner of Insurance pursuant to NRS 629.095 when obtaining any information related to the credentials of a provider of health care.

2. If an insurer, carrier, society, corporation, health maintenance organization or managed care organization needs information to satisfy a requirement newly imposed by the

Federal Government, the State or one of its agencies, or a body that accredits hospitals, medical facilities or health care plans and that information is not addressed in NDOI Form 901, the insurer, carrier, society, corporation, health maintenance organization or managed care organization:

(a) Shall notify the Commissioner of the additional information that must be requested in NDOI Form 901 to satisfy the requirement; and

(b) May use an addendum to NDOI Form 901 to obtain the information necessary to satisfy the requirement until NDOI Form 901 has been revised to include a request for such information.

3. As used in this section:

(a) “Carrier” has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 689C.025.

(b) “Corporation” means a corporation operating pursuant to the provisions of chapter 695B of NRS.

(c) “Health maintenance organization” has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 695C.030.

(d) “Insurer” means:

(1) An insurer that issues policies of individual health insurance in accordance with chapter 689A of NRS; and

(2) An insurer that issues policies of group health insurance in accordance with chapter 689B of NRS.

(e) “Managed care organization” has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 695G.050.

(f) “Provider of health care” means a provider of health care who is licensed pursuant to chapter 630, 631, 632 or 633 of NRS.

(g) “Society” has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 695A.044.