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RE: Nevada Crisis Standards of Care (CSC) – Deactivation

Dear Nevada Healthcare Partners:

The Emergency Providers of Nevada (EPON) consultant group and the Division of Public and Behavioral Health (DPBH) continue to meet regularly and confirm Nevada Crisis Standards of Care (CSC) has deactivated, effective June 10, 2022.

CSC deactivation has hinged upon the removal of [Nevada's emergency declaration](#) and associated [Emergency Directive 011](#) which officially was terminated on May 20, 2022. Additionally, since March 2022, healthcare systems have reported a shift from CSC levels to contingent or conventional standards of care. The State Chief Medical Officer, based on EPON recommendations, and in consultation with the DHHS Director and the Governor's Office, the Attorney General's Office, local health officials, and Division of Emergency Management is officially deactivating the NV CSC Plan.

Thank you for your continued effort to keep Nevadans safe.

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A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Ihsan A. Azzam".

Nevada State Chief Medical Officer

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