



**Department of Health Care Services (DHCS)
Tribal and Designees of Indian Health Programs Notice**

1. We received the notice regarding the proposed State Plan Amendment (SPA) for tribal health programs to be recognized as FQHC's. Would you please send us a draft copy of the proposed SPA amendment language for review as well?

DHCS Response: DHCS will release the draft SPA changes per Welfare and Institution Code Section 14100.3 which requires posting of all submitted SPA, federal waiver applications, requests for new waivers, waiver amendments (renewals or extensions) within ten business days from the date the department submits them to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. The DHCS State Plan as well as approved, pending, or withdrawn SPAs can be viewed at:

<http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/formsandpubs/laws/pages/californistateplan.aspx>