



Commission on Services for Persons with Disabilities



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Director Richard Whitley
Department of Health and Human Services
4150 Technology Way
Carson City, NV 89706

Dear Director Whitley,

On behalf of the Nevada Commission on Services for Persons with Disabilities (CSPD) attached is the Report related to the use of Master Tobacco Settlement Funds (MTSF). It is the recommendation of the CSPD to allocate funding evenly between Lifespan Respite programs, Independent Living and Positive Behavioral Supports dollars. This recommendation comes from a subcommittee of CSPD, which focused on how to maximize funding between these three essential services. As all services are important for persons with disabilities and their families, even distribution of funding is recommended.

Thank you for your consideration

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "B. Patchett", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Brian Patchett, Chair

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