

## Web Announcement 68

## **Erectile Dysfunction Drug Payment Policy Change:**



The federal government has passed legislation that will no longer provide Federal Financial Participation (FFP) to Medicaid programs for drugs used to treat erectile dysfunction.

Effective January 1, 2006, Nevada Medicaid will no longer cover medications used for the diagnosis of impotence/erectile dysfunction.

Nevada Medicaid will continue coverage of sildenafil (Viagra® and Revatio®) only when used for the diagnoses of primary pulmonary hypertension (ICD-9-CM code 416.0) or pulmonary arterial hypertension (ICD-9-CM code 416.8).

