

Waiver of Transportation Eligibility Requirements for Dental Pilot Project

The Administrative Agent requests that the Planning Council authorize the Administrative Agent to waive the current Transportation Services eligibility requirements, as identified in the RWPA Planning Council Standards of Care, for RWPA clients that participate in a pilot project that will focus on improving access to care for the EMA's Native American consumers that receive medical care at Phoenix Indian Medical Center.

The Ryan White Part A Oral Health Pilot Project will be a collaborative project that will include one of the EMA's Medical providers and one of the EMA's Oral Health providers. Clients participating in this pilot project will have taxi services approved for oral health services without the need to meet the current transportation criteria. The client will be enrolled in the Pilot Project by their Medical Case Manager, and the Oral Health provider will contact the EMA's Transportation provider to arrange transportation for the scheduled dental appts. The Transportation provider will maintain documentation that the client was authorized for taxi services due to their participation in the Pilot project.

This waiver authorization will be effective from April 1, 2015-Feb. 29, 2016.