

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE DIVISION OF HEALTH CARE
FINANCING AND POLICY OF THE DEPARTMENT
OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

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NAC 439A.835 Internet website for information concerning hospitals and surgical centers for ambulatory patients: Duties of Department. (NRS 439A.270, 439A.290) The Department will:

1. Update the information contained on the Internet website established and maintained pursuant to NRS 439A.270 at least quarterly.
2. At least once every 2 years, review the information contained on the Internet website established and maintained pursuant to NRS 439A.270 to determine whether the information or the Internet website should be expanded, modified or otherwise altered. In making such determination, the Department will consider, without limitation, whether new measures of quality have been endorsed by the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, the National Quality Forum, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services of the United States Department of Health and Human Services, a quality improvement organization of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services or The Joint Commission.
3. Before including any information on the Internet website established and maintained pursuant to NRS 439A.270, use nationally accepted standards to audit the health information to ensure the completeness and accuracy of the information.
4. Provide on the Internet website established and maintained pursuant to NRS 439A.270 a link to the Internet website of the Health Division of the Department which contains information on sentinel events reported pursuant to NRS 439.800 to 439.890, inclusive.
5. *Provide on the Internet website established and maintained pursuant to NRS 439A.270 a report of potentially preventable readmissions of patients of acute care, non-critical access hospitals, extracted from data reported on universal billing forms submitted to the Department pursuant to NAC 449.963. The report to be updated annually.*
6. *Provide on the Internet website established and maintained pursuant to NRS 439A.270 a link to electronic copies of all reports required pursuant to NRS 449.8450 to 449.530, inclusive.*
7. *Provide on the Internet website established and maintained pursuant to NRS 439A.270, to the extent that money is available, names of physicians and frequency of surgical procedures performed at hospitals and surgical centers; also the total number of surgical procedures each physician performed reported by principal diagnosis, and diagnosis related group, if possible.*