



Month 17, 2025

Assembly Committee on Health and Human Services
401 S. Carson Street
Carson City, NV 89701

Re: Testimony in Support for Assembly Bill 337

Dear Chair Brown-May and Members of the Committee:

Native Voters Alliance Nevada is in unwavering support of AB337 because our elders should not be denied the care, dignity, and answers they deserve because of where they live.

Alzheimer's and dementia don't just steal memories—they steal time. Time to prepare. Time to plan. Time for families to adjust before their loved ones slip away. But right now, in Nevada, too many people—especially in Tribal Nations and rural communities—are robbed of that time because they don't have access to the diagnostic care they need.

For Tribal Nations, this is a crisis. We already see firsthand how limited healthcare infrastructure puts our people at risk. Too often, our elders are dismissed or misdiagnosed because there aren't enough providers trained to recognize Alzheimer's and dementia—and the ones who are, are hours away. That distance is a barrier. That provider shortage is a barrier. And those barriers are costing Native families precious time and the ability to care for their loved ones.

We urge your support.

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