HEARING SUMMARY

REGULATION: TITLE 181 NAC 40 – NEBRASKA BREAST AND CERVICAL CANCER PROGRAM

DATE OF HEARING: November 4, 2020

| Name/Affiliation of Person Commenting | Comments | Department Response |
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| 1. David Benson Nebraska Government Relations Director American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network | ACS recommends screening starting at age 25 Eligibility for the screening program begins at age 40 recommends start age of 25 for cervical cancer screening. Section 005 (A) creates an administrative barrier for eligible women to receive assistance. | The proposed regulation reflect eligibility requirements for participation in the program not recommended screening guidelines. Department agrees and will lower the age for screening. Department agrees and has changed the language accordingly. |