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TO: PUBLIC HOSPITAL COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS
PUBLIC HOSPITAL COUNTY HEALTH EXECUTIVES

SUBJECT: AB 85 (as amended by SB 98) FY 2015-16 Interim Redirection Data Request – Public Hospital Counties

Purpose

This policy and procedure letter provides guidance to the Public Hospital counties regarding the submission of the county's FY 2015-16 projected data in order for the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to calculate the county's interim redirection amount to meet the provisions specified in Assembly Bill (AB) 85 as amended by Senate Bill (SB) 98 (Chapter 24, Statutes of 2013).

The Public Hospital Health System counties referred to in this letter are the counties of Alameda, Contra Costa, Kern, Monterey, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Francisco, San Joaquin, San Mateo, Santa Clara and Ventura.

Background

AB 85 requires that the Department calculate an interim redirection amount for each county under subdivision (b) of the section 17612.3 of the Welfare and Institutions Code by the January preceding the start of the fiscal year. Enclosed are the following documents:

- Public Hospital Interim 2015-2016 Data Submission Form
- Public Hospital Interim 2015-2016 Data Submission Guide
- County Certification Form

The Data Submission Guide will provide guidance to counties on how to complete the Data Submission Form that will be used by DHCS to determine the FY 2015-16 interim redirection amount.

The County Certification Form must be completed and signed by an appropriate county office on behalf of the county. The Data Submission Form and County Certification Form must be submitted by October 13, 2014.

The County should review and complete the entire data submission form and certification form.

Please complete and return the form(s) to:

Department of Health Care Services
Realignment Unit, MS 4519
P.O. Box 997436
Sacramento, CA 95899-7436

Thank you for your collaboration on this data submission effort. Please email all submissions to AB85@dhcs.ca.gov.

DHCS is available to meet with counties who need additional guidance or answer any questions. Please contact Brie-Anne Sebastien, Chief of the Realignment Unit at (916) 552-8494 or AB85@dhcs.ca.gov.

Thank you,

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Enclosures:

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