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**TO: ALL COUNTY CALIFORNIA CHILDREN'S SERVICES (CCS) PROGRAM
ADMINISTRATORS, MEDICAL CONSULTANTS, STATE CHILDREN'S MEDICAL
SERVICES (CMS) BRANCH STAFF AND REGIONAL OFFICE STAFF**

**SUBJECT: LETTER TO CCS PANELED PROVIDERS REGARDING UPDATING PANELING
LISTING**

The purpose of this notice is to inform counties of a letter sent to CCS paneled providers requesting information required for updating the list of CCS paneled providers in preparation for the Enhancement 47 (E-47) implementation.

Attached is a copy of the letter and two enclosures. Paneled physicians must complete Enclosure A and paneled non-physician (allied health care) providers must complete Enclosure B. You can also access this information on the CMS website under the "Enhancement 47" link. The website address is www.dhs.ca.gov/cms and the "Enhancement 47" link is located under the "California Children's Services" prompt.

Please encourage your providers to complete and return the appropriate enclosure as their future participation in the CCS program, including reimbursement, depends on the submission of their information. In addition, please share this information with appropriate staff.

In order to keep well informed on the E-47 development and implementation, please regularly check the E-47 link on the website for information notices, provider letters, and policy letters. Within the next two weeks, a letter will be sent to CCS approved hospitals and Special Care Centers requesting information required for updating the CMS listings.

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Please forward any E-47 questions to your regional office contact listed below. Your questions are important and may be utilized to develop the "Frequently Asked Questions" portion of the E-47 link. Your Regional Office contacts are listed below:

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Tracy Johnson
(213) 897-4492
tjohnso2@dhs.ca.gov

Northern California Region San Francisco Office
Consuelo Bautista
(415) 904-9686
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Sacramento Regional Office
JoLynn Shupe
(916) 327-2674
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Northern California Region Sacramento Office
Debbie Gosch
(916) 322-8719
dgosch@dhs.ca.gov

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please email Aimee Yuki, Provider Services Analyst, at ayuki@dhs.ca.gov or call the CMS Provider Services Unit main number at (916) 322-8702.

Original Signed By Maridee A. Gregory

Maridee A. Gregory, M.D., Chief
Children's Medical Services Branch

Enclosures



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Provider Reimbursement Alert

Information Notice for California Children's Services (CCS) Paneled Provider's Future Reimbursement

The Children's Medical Services (CMS) Branch, Provider Services Unit (PSU), is updating the list of CCS paneled providers in preparation for the Enhancement 47 (E-47) implementation. **Your future participation in the CCS program, including reimbursement, depends on your prompt attention to completing and returning the enclosed form. Please return the completed form to the CMS, PSU, no later than January 19, 2004.** CCS paneled physicians should complete **Enclosure A**. All other paneled providers, including allied health care professionals, should complete **Enclosure B**.

Effective July 1, 2004, the Department of Health Services will implement E-47, a project that will allow providers to electronically submit claims to the fiscal intermediaries, Electronic Data Systems (EDS) and Delta Dental, for services provided to CCS clients. The E-47 will ensure rapid provider reimbursement. When billing for dates of service authorized after July 1, 2004, providers must utilize their Medi-Cal provider number regardless of the CCS client's eligibility type. Those providers who do not have an "active" status Medi-Cal provider number must apply immediately for a Medi-Cal provider number as the Medi-Cal enrollment process may take up to six months for completion.

The CMS website will have ongoing updates for information related to the E-47 implementation. You can access this website at www.dhs.ca.gov/cms. In this website, the "Enhancement 47" site is located under the "California Children's Services" link.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please email Aimee Yuki, Provider Services Analyst, at ayuki@dhs.ca.gov or call the CMS PSU main number at (916) 322-8702.

Thank you for your continued participation serving California's Children with Special Health Care Needs through the CCS program.

Original Signed by

Maridee A. Gregory, M.D., Chief
Children's Medical Services Branch

California Children's Services (CCS) Paneled Physician Provider Information

1. Provider Name: (Required Field)

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial

2. Medi-Cal Provider #: (Required Field)

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Please list all Medi-Cal provider numbers (**individual** or **rendering** provider numbers only; no group numbers, e.g., GR0654321)

3. State of California License #: (Required Field)

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Medical license number

4. Specialty Information-FIELDS 4a & 4d ARE REQUIRED AND MUST BE COMPLETED

a. Board Certifications issued by the American Board of Medical Specialties:

General Certificate(s)	Subspecialty Certificate(s)

b. Additional Subspecialty Pediatric Training:

If applicable, indicate any additional pediatric training or experience for your specialty that does not currently have a certificate issued by the American Board of Medical Specialties, e.g., Pediatric Anesthesiology, Pediatric Ophthalmology.

Additional Subspecialty Pediatric Training

PLEASE SEND OR FAX A COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF TRAINING COMPLETION WITH THIS FORM

c. Other Subspecialty Training:

If applicable, indicate any additional training or experience for your specialty that does not currently have a certificate issued by the American Board of Medical Specialties, e.g., Ophthalmology, Cornea and External Disease

Other Subspecialty Training

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d. Please identify specialty(s) for which you are currently accepting referrals

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5. Provider, or Provider's Designee, Name and Signature: (Required Field)

Print Name		
Signature	Contact Phone #	Date

Please fax completed and signed form to:

Aimee Yuki, Provider Services Analyst
(916) 322-1842 Fax

Or mail to:

Aimee Yuki, Provider Services Analyst
Children's Medical Services Branch
MS-8100
P.O. Box 942732
Sacramento, CA 94234-7320

California Children's Services (CCS) Paneled Non-Physician Provider Information (Allied Health Care Professionals)

1. Provider Name:

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial

2. Medi-Cal Provider #:

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- Please list all Medi-Cal Provider numbers (**individual** or **rendering** provider numbers only; **no** group numbers, e.g., GRO654321)
- This field not required if services are billed by hospital or special care center.

3. State of California License #:

License Number

4. Paneled Provider Type:

Audiologist	<input type="checkbox"/>	Prosthetist	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dietitian	<input type="checkbox"/>	Psychologist	<input type="checkbox"/>
Occupational Therapist		Registered Nurse*	<input type="checkbox"/>
Orthotist	<input type="checkbox"/>	Respiratory Care Practitioner*	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pediatric Nurse Practitioner*	<input type="checkbox"/>	Social Worker	<input type="checkbox"/>
Physical Therapist	<input type="checkbox"/>	Speech-Language Pathologist	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other Provider Type:			

* Paneling required only if team member of Special Care Center

5. Are you a Member of a Special Care Center? Yes No

If yes, please complete these fields

Name of Special Care Center	Name of Hospital

6. Provider, or Provider's Designee, Name and Signature:

Print Name		
Signature	Contact Phone #	Date

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