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CHDP Program Letter No.: 07-15

TO: ALL CHILD HEALTH AND DISABILITY PREVENTION (CHDP) PROGRAM DIRECTORS, DEPUTY DIRECTORS, STATE CHILDREN’S MEDICAL SERVICES (CMS) BRANCH STAFF AND REGIONAL OFFICE STAFF

SUBJECT: ADDITION OF BOOSTER TETANUS, DIPHTHERIA, AND ACELLULAR PERTUSSIS (Tdap) VACCINE AS A CHDP BENEFIT FOR PURCHASE AND UPDATED CHDP VACCINE BENEFIT AND REIMBURSEMENT TABLE

Enclosed is CHDP Provider Information Notice (PIN) No.: 07-15 informing CHDP Providers of the addition of booster tetanus, diphtheria, and acellular pertussis (Tdap) vaccine as a CHDP benefit for purchase for 19 years through 20 years 11 months, for dates of service on or after December 1, 2007. Billing and reimbursement information and an updated CHDP vaccine benefit and reimbursement table are provided.

Please distribute this Provider Information Notice without any revisions to providers in your county and complete and return a “Report of Distribution” (DHS 4504). The DHS 4504 can be found at www.dhs.ca.gov/chdp.

If you have any questions, please contact your Regional Consultant staff.

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Enclosure