

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

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TO: All County Welfare Directors
All County Administrative Officers

April 27 1990
Letter No: 90-44

SUBJECT: MEDICAL SUPPORT/THIRD PARTY LIABILITY PROGRAM

REFERENCE: ACWDL 90-19

This is to inform you that the Medical Support and Third Party Liability Program addressed in ACWDL 90-19 is NOT to be implemented until further notice. An E-Mail dated April 18, 1990 provided advance notice about this delay. Originally, the Department expected to file implementing regulations on an emergency basis. However, we will now submit them through the regular adoption process which is expected to take approximately six months. Consistent with the Department's efforts to remove barriers for women needing prenatal care, we will be closely examining the issue of referring pregnant women to the District Attorney. The Department will notify you at a later date by ACWDL of any further changes in the implementation date and procedures.

If you have any questions regarding this delay, please contact Sue Jackson (916) 322-5298 ATSS 492-5298.

Sincerely,

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Frank S. Martucci, Chief
Medi-Cal Eligibility Branch

cc: Medi-Cal Liaisons
Medi-Cal Programs Consultants
Expiration Date; April 27, 1991