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TO: **All County Medi-Cal Program Liaisons**

MEDI-CAL ELIGIBILITY BRANCH (MEB) POLICY ASSIGNMENTS

Enclosed is the updated list of eligibility policy assignments by analyst and manager as well as a revised telephone listing for MEB.

If you have any questions, please call the respective section or unit manager.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

Glenda Arellano for
Frank S. Martucci, Chief
Medi-Cal Eligibility Branch

Enclosure

MEDI-CAL ELIGIBILITY BRANCH
TITLE 22 ARTICLE ASSIGNMENTS

TITLE 22 ARTICLE NUMBER	TITLE 22 SECTION NUMBER	SUBJECT	PRIMARY/ SECONDARY ANALYST	SECTION/UNIT MANAGER
2	50101	Administration	Al Brinsfield	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
7	50301	Alienage, Citizenship & Residence	Marlene King/ John Zapata	G. Arellano/ P. McNamee
4	50141	Application	Ana Ramirez/ Gary Varner/ Debbie Wender	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
3	50120	County of Responsibility (Including ICT)	Alice Mak	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
1	50011	Definitions	Marge Buzdas	T. Welch/ M. Ratner
5	50223	Disability	Marie Taketa/ Pat Takahashi/ RaNae Dunne	T. Welch
4	50157	Disability Verification	Marie Taketa/ RaNae Dunne/ Pat Takahashi	T. Welch
10	50501	Income	Dave Rappolee/ Patty Phipps	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
6	50271	Institutional Status	Elena Lara	G. Arellano/ P. McNamee
11	50601	Maintenance Need	Craig Yagi/ Patty Phipps	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
14	50731	Medi-Cal Card	Marco Ermac/ Craig Yagi	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
5	50201	Medi-Cal Programs	Marge Buzdas/ Sharon Garcia	T. Welch/ M. Ratner
8	50351	MFBU (MC Family Budget Unit)	Marge Buzdas/ Sharon Garcia	T. Welch/ M. Ratner
15	50761	OHC/Buy-In	Ana Ramirez	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
16	50781	Overpayments & Fraud	Carol Runge	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm

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13	50701	Period of Eligibility	Craig Yagi/ Patty Phipps	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
9	50401	Property	Kathy Harwell/ Sharyl Shanen-Raya	T. Welch/ M. Ratner
12	50561	Share of Cost	Craig Yagi/ Patti Phipps	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
17	50801	Special Treatment Programs	Carol Runge	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
18	50951	State Hearings	RaNae Dunne	T. Welch

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AB 99 Coordination	Lisa Reagan/Kennalee Gable	T. Welch/T. Hodges
ACWDL Subscription/Distribution	Kveta Simon	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
AIM Coordination	Lisa Reagan/Kennalee Gable	T. Welch/T. Hodges
Asset Waiver	Lisa Reagan/Tony Plescia	T. Welch/T. Hodges
Authorized Representative	Gary Varner	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
BabyCal, Toll-Free Information Service	Kennalee Gable/Sandra Benny	T. Welch/T. Hodges
Burial Funds	Kathy Harwell/Sharyl Shanen-Raya	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Comprehensive School-Linked Services	Armando Martinez	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Confidentiality/MEDS Access	Al Brinsfield	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Continued Eligibility for Pregnant Women & Infants	Lisa Reagan/Tony Plescia	T. Welch/T. Hodges
DED Coordinator	Marie Taketa/RaNae Dunne/Pat Takahashi	T. Welch
Disabled Adult Child(ren)	Sylvia Finberg/Mary Maestas Sandoval	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Disabled Widow(er)s	Mary Maestas-Sandoval/Sylvia Finberg	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Face to Face Interview	Debbie Wender	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
Forms Committee Coordinator	Odette Gudi	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Forms Supply	Anthony Dario	G. Arellano/B. Geene
IEVS Policy	Carol Runge	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
In-Home Support Services (IHSS)	Alice Mak	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
IRCA/OBRA	Marlene King/John Zapata	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
Life Insurance	Kathy Harwell/Sharyl Shanen-Raya	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Long Term Care Insurance Pilot	Sharyl Shanen-Raya	T. Welch/M. Ratner
MC 210 & MC 219 Revisions	Debbie Wender/Judy Hamilton/ Carol Runge	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
MCCA/DEFRA Moratorium Issues		
· Income	Dave Rappolee/Patty Phipps	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
· Property	Kathy Harwell/Sharyl Shanen-Raya	T. Welch/M. Ratner

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Medi-Cal Pamphlet	Ana Ramirez/Judy Hamilton/ Carol Runge	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
Medical Support Program	Elena Lara	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
Minor Consent Services	Debbie Wender	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
NOAs	Gary Varner	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
Outstationing: OBRA '90 and Perinatal	Kveta Simon	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
Out-of-State Foster Care/AAP/ Title 4E, FED. Elig. Foster Care	Debbie Wender	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
Perinatal Outreach Contract (BabyCal)	Sue Jackson/Kennalee Gable/ Sandra Benny	T. Welch/T. Hodges
Pickle	Sylvia Finberg/Mary Maestas-Sandoval	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Plastic Card Implementation		
· Automated SOC	Patty Phipps	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
· Planning & Coordinating	Marco Ermac	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
· FAME/AEVS	Bonnie Kinkade	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
Planning/Coordinating FAME/AEVS	Bonnie Kinkade	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
Poverty Level Programs	Marge Buzdas/Sharon Garcia	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Presumptive Eligibility for Pregnant Women	Tony Plescia/Lisa Reagan/ Sherilyn Walden/Leanna Pierson/ Lea Golowski	T. Welch/T. Hodges
Procedures Manual	Kveta Simon	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
PRUCOL	Marlene King/John Zapata	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
Qualified Disabled Working Individual (QDWI)	Marge Buzdas/Sylvia Finberg	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB)	Marge Buzdas/Sharon Garcia	T. Welch/M. Ratner
RAMOS SSI/SSP Discontinuance	Bonnie Kinkade	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
Redetermination/QSR	Debbie Wender/Carol Runge	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
Refugee Medical Assistance	Elena Lara	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
Regulations Manual	Kveta Simon	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
Rehearing Review		
· Disability	RaNae Dunne	T. Welch

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SAVE	Marlene King	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
SAWS Coordination	Michelle Harrison/Pam Haynes/ Givana Hartman	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
SAWS NOAs	Michelle Harrison/Givana Hartman	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
SED Children	Debbie Wender	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary (SLMB)	Sylvia Finberg/Marge Buzdas	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Spousal Impoverishment		
· Income	Dave Rappolee/Patty Phipps	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
· Property	Kathy Harwell/Sharyl Shanen-Raya	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Transfers of Property	Kathy Harwell/Sharyl Shanen-Raya	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Transitional Medi-Cal	Marge Buzdas/Mary Maestas-Sandoval	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Trust/Annuities	Kathy Harwell/Sharyl Shanen-Raya	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Verification/Application	Ana Ramirez	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
Voter Registration	Marlene King	G. Arellano/P. McNamee

MEDI-CAL ELIGIBILITY BRANCH
LAWSUITS

NAME	ANALYST	SECTION/UNIT MANAGER
Andriola v. Kizer	Sharon Garcia/ Mary Maestas-Sandoval	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Blanco v. Anderson (MEB Contact)	Alice Mak	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
Crespin v. Coye (Kizer)	John Zapata/Marlene King	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
Disabled Rights Union (DRU) v. Kizer	Marie Taketa	T. Welch
Edwards v. Rank	Ken Craig	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Gamma v. Belshé	Marge Buzdas/Kathy Harwell	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Hunt v. Kizer	Dave Rappolee	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Johnson v. Rank	Dave Rappolee	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Radcliffe v. Kizer	Marie Taketa	T. Welch
Ruiz v. Kizer	Marlene King	G. Arellano/P. McNamee
Sawyer v. Belshé	Dave Rappolee	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Sneede v. Kizer		
· Ongoing	Marge Buzdas	T. Welch/M. Ratner
· Retro	Sharon Garcia	T. Welch/M. Ratner
Tinoco v. Belshé	Dave Rappolee	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Zebley v. Kizer	Marie Taketa	T. Welch
Burman v. Belshé (BIC)	Marco Ermac	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Gillen v. Belshé	John Zapata	G. Arellano/P. McNamee

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POLICY SECTIONS A & B
TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

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Liz VanKirk, Secretary
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POLICY SECTION A

WELCH, TOM **657-0717**
Godina, Victoria 654-0510

Ratner, Marlene **657-0715**
Buzdas, Marge 657-0726
Finberg, Sylvia 657-0080
Garcia, Sharon 657-5327
Harwell, Kathy. 654-0146
Maestas-Sandoval, Mary 657-1248
Shanen-Raya , Sharyl 657-2942
Vacant 657-2701

Hodges, Teri **657-0255**
Benny, Sandra 654-5909
Golowski, Lea 654-5689
Gable, Kennalee 657-3030
Jackson, Sue 654-0386
Pierson, Leanna 654-0630
Plescia, Tony 657-3185
Reagan, Lisa 657-3719
Walden, Sherilyn 657-3091

Vacant, SSMI . . . . . .
Dunne, RaNae 657-0714
Takahashi, Pat 657-1246
Taketa, Marie 657-1250

POLICY SECTION B

ARELLANO, GLENDA **657-0710**
Nicholls, Kim 657-0258

McNamee, Peter **657-2952**
Harrison, Michelle 654-6469
Hartman, Givana 657-3772
Haynes, Pam 657-4859
King, Marlene 657-0134
Kinkade, Bonnie 657-1469
Lara, Elena 657-0712
Zapata, John 657-0725

Rahm, Barbara **657-0727**
Hamilton, Judy 657-3184
Mak, Alice 654-0573
Ramirez, Ana 657-1401
Runge, Carol 657-1527
Simon, Kveta 657-2767
Varner, Gary 654-5321
Wender, Debbie 657-1064

Martinez, Armando **657-1487**
Brinsfield,Al 657-0837
Dunne, RaNae 657-0714
Ermac, Mark 654-0021
Guidi, Odette 657-1188
Phipps, Patty 657-1528
Rappolee, Dave 657-0163
Takahashi, Pat 657-1246
Taketa, Marie 657-1250
Yagi, Craig 657-1182

Forms Supply

Dario, Anthony 657-5357