

MEDI-CAL CHILDREN'S HEALTH ADVISORY PANEL

Date: Wednesday, February 21, 2024

Time: 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Meeting Location: DHCS 1700 K Street (first floor, conference room 17.1014)
Sacramento, CA 95811

Webinar: [Registered](#) participants will be able to make oral comments during the public comment period.

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- 10:00 – 10:10** Welcome and Introductions
- Mike Weiss, M.D., Chair*
- a. Review: the legislative intent of AB 357 (Pan, Chapter 376, Statutes of 2014), as subsequently amended, states that the health and well-being of California's children should be among the state's top priorities, and it is imperative that every child in California has meaningful health coverage that includes benefits to support healthy growth and development. Children's health coverage should encompass more than just the treatment of diseases and illnesses, but should also cover services and care to promote healthy development and well-being, identify and address problems early on, and prevent chronic disease. Welfare and Institutions Code Section 14005.271 states that the Medi-Cal Children's Health Advisory Panel shall be an independent, statewide advisory board that shall advise the State Department of Health Care Services on matters relevant to all children enrolled in Medi-Cal and their families, including, but not limited



to, emerging trends in the care of children, quality measurements, communications between the Department of Health Care Services and Medi-Cal families, provider network issues, and Medi-Cal enrollment issues.

- b. Member Roll Call
- c. Review and Approval of November 2, 2023, Meeting Minutes

10:10 – 10:40

Director's Update

Michelle Baass, Director

- a. Governor's Proposed Budget Overview
- b. Unwinding of the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency: Medi-Cal Continuous Coverage / Redeterminations

10:40 – 10:50

Election of Chairperson for 2024

Review of Chair's Vision and Goals for Panel

10:50 – 11:05

DHCS Pediatric Dashboard

Sarah Brooks, Chief Deputy Director for Health Care Programs

11:05 – 11:35

Data Exchange Framework: Youth Population

Linette Scott, M.D., Deputy Director and Chief Data Officer, Enterprise Data and Information Management

11:35 – 12:00

California Children's Services Compliance, Monitoring and Oversight

Joseph Billingsley, Assistant Deputy Director, Health Care Delivery Systems

Cortney Maslyn, Chief, Integrated Systems of Care

12:00 – 12:30

Break



12:30 – 1:00	Children and Youth Behavioral Health Initiative (CYBHI) Youth Platform Launch and CYBHI Fee Schedule Program Update <i>Autumn Boylan, Deputy Director</i>
1:00 – 1:15	Public Comment
1:15 – 1:30	Member Updates
1:30 – 2:00	Upcoming MCHAP Meeting and Next Steps <i>Mike Weiss, M.D., Chair</i> Meeting Dates for 2024: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wednesday, May 1, 2024• Thursday, September 12, 2024• Thursday, November 7, 2024

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