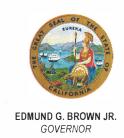


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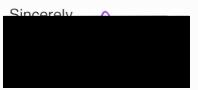
PUBLIC HOSPITAL REDESIGN AND INCENTIVES IN MEDI-CAL DRAFT EVALUATION DESIGN FOR THE CALIFORNIA MEDI-CAL 2020 DEMONSTRATION (11-W-00193/9)

Dear Mr. Fishman, Ms. Rashid, and Ms. Sam-Louie:

Enclosed is the Public Hospital Redesign and Incentives in Medi-Cal (PRIME) Draft Evaluation Design Report for submission per Special Terms and Conditions (STCs) Items 81 through 84 of California's Section 1115 Waiver *Medi-Cal 2020 Demonstration* (11-W-00193/9). The State will submit the Final Evaluation Design, per STCs Item 82, within 60 days after necessary revisions are made in response to CMS comments on the Draft Evaluation Design.

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If you or your staff have any questions or need additional information regarding this report, please contact Dr. Neal Kohatsu, MD, MPH by email at Neal.Kohatsu@dhcs.ca.gov. Thank you!



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Enclosure: PRIME Draft Evaluation Design

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