



## Medi-Cal Children's Health Advisory Panel

**Date:** Friday, April 24, 2020  
**Time:** 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.  
**Webinar:** [Register Here](#)

### 10:00 – 10:05

Opening Remarks and Introductions  
*Chair*

The Legislative Intent for AB 357 (Pan, Chapter 376, Statutes of 2014), as subsequently amended, states 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 with benefits that support healthy growth and development. Children's health coverage should encompass more than just treatment of diseases and illnesses, but also cover services and care to promote healthy development and well-being, identify and intervene in problems early on, and prevent chronic disease. The Welfare and Institutions Code Section 14005.271 states 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.

### 10:05 – 12:30

Meeting Minutes, Follow-Up, Remarks by DHCS Director  
*MCHAP Members*

- a. Roll Call of Members
- b. Review and Approval of January 30, 2020 Meeting Minutes
- c. Follow-Up Items
- d. Opening Remarks by DHCS Director Bradley P. Gilbert, MD, MPP
- e. State and Federal Developments
  - COVID-19 Status and Update
  - Status of Requests For Federal Waivers
  - Update on CalAIM
  - Update on Medi-Cal Rx
- f. Questions for the Panel
- g. Swearing in of Panel Member

- 12:30 – 12:40** Member Updates and Follow-Up  
*MCHAP Members*
- 12:40 – 12:50** Public Comment  
*Chair*
- 12:50 – 1:00** Upcoming MCHAP Meeting – June 18, 2020 and Next Steps  
*Chair*  
Meeting Dates for 2020:
- June 18, 2020
  - October 14, 2020
  - December 9, 2020

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