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Whole Person Care Pilot Program Applicants

The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) is pleased to announce that applications for the Whole Person Care (WPC) Pilot Program were received by the due date of July 1, 2016, from eighteen counties. WPC is a five-year program authorized under the Medi-Cal 2020 waiver. It coordinates physical health, behavioral health, and social services in a patient-centered manner, with the goals of improved member health and well-being through more efficient and effective use of resources. The WPC Pilot Program will give DHCS the opportunity to test and evaluate the integration of care at the local level for a vulnerable group of Medi-Cal beneficiaries who are high users of multiple health care systems and continue to have poor health outcomes. DHCS anticipates that the WPC Pilot Program will result in better health outcomes through enhanced comprehensive coordinated care provided at the local level. DHCS is currently reviewing the applications and anticipates announcing the final WPC Pilot Programs by November 2016. The eighteen applicants are listed below:

Alameda County Health Care Services Agency
Contra Costa Health Services
Kern Medical Center
Los Angeles County Department of Health Services
Monterey County Health Department
Napa County Health and Human Services
County of Orange Health Care Agency
Placer County Health and Human Services
Riverside University Health System
Arrowhead Regional Medical Center¹
San Diego Health and Human Services Agency
San Francisco Department of Public Health
San Joaquin County Health Care Services Agency
San Mateo County Health System
Santa Clara Valley Health and Hospital System
Shasta County Health and Human Services Agency
Solano County Health and Social Services
Ventura County Health Care Agency

¹ Arrowhead Regional Medical Center is in San Bernardino County.

