Needs Assessment Timeline

**September**  
Stakeholder Meeting – 46 participants

**October**  
Key Informant Interviews Subcommittee – 2 meetings  
Focus Groups Subcommittee – 2 meetings  
Data Workgroup – 1 meeting

**November**  
Key Informant Interviews Subcommittee – 1 meeting  
Focus Groups Subcommittee – 1 meeting

Key Informant Interviews – 2 pilots, 16 interviews  
County Administration, Southern CA County CCS Program, Central Valley CCS,  
Children’s Hospitals, Bay/Coastal CCS, MTP Provider, Durable Medical Equipment,  
Specialty Care, Families/Family Advocates, Legislative Staff, Special Education,  
Transition issues, DDS, Health Plans, Dependent Co-MTU/Spec. Provider, Dependent  
Co.-Primary Care Provider

**December**  
Data Workgroup – 1 meeting

Focus Groups – 8 groups facilitated by FHOP, plus 2 self-facilitated groups;  
Families (including Spanish-speaking parents), MTP Administrators, Specialty Providers,  
CCS Administrators and Case Managers, Medical Consultants, Hospital Administration  
and Health Plans, Transition Age Youth

**January**  
Focus Groups and Key Informant Interviews Subcommittees – 1 meeting  
Data Workgroup – 1 meeting

**February**  
Surveys Subcommittee – 1 meeting

**March**  
Survey Subcommittee – 1 meeting

**April**  
Data Workgroup – 1 meeting

Surveys – for Families, for Physicians, for Administrators-Managers from Hospitals,  
Health Plans, and County CCS Programs/MTP

**May**  
Stakeholder meeting
**Webinars**

**October**
10.20.09  "Considerations for Redesign of the California Children's Services Program."
Melissa Rowan from HMA

**December**
12.02.09  "Data Snapshots of the CCS Program: Status of Federal Core Performance Measures and Access to Durable Medical Equipment"
Laurie Soman and Mara McGrath.

12.03.09  "The State of Children with Special Health Care Needs in California."
Kathy Smith

12.09.09  "Benefits of Care Coordination for Children with Complex Disease: A Pilot Medical Home Project in a Resident Teaching Clinic"
Tom Klitzner, MD

**February**
02.01.10  "Transition issues for youth with special health care needs"
Clarissa Kripke, MD

**March**
03.02.10  "Critical Issues in Redesigning the Care for Children with Chronic Illness: New Evidence from California and Around the Nation."
Paul Wise, MD

03.26.10  "Models of Care for Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs: Promising Models for Transforming California's System of Care."
Treeby Brown from the Association of Maternal and Child Health Programs