



State of California—Health and Human Services Agency
Department of Health Care Services



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CHDP Program Letter No.: 20-01

TO: All Child Health and Disability Prevention Program Directors and Deputy Directors, and State Integrated Systems of Care Division Staff

SUBJECT: Implementation of Child Health and Disability Prevention Program Follow Up of Medi-Cal Dental Provider Referrals

Enclosed is a letter issued to Medi-Cal dental providers that implements Child Health and Disability Prevention (CHDP) Program follow up of Medi-Cal beneficiaries at risk of loss to necessary dental care. Please utilize this letter without any revisions in your communications with Medi-Cal dental providers.

Please note that implementation of the dental follow up activity at the local level requires that the local CHDP program identify a CHDP dental follow up coordinator that can facilitate the reporting linkage with Medi-Cal dental providers. We urge you to designate a CHDP dental follow up coordinator at the earliest opportunity.

For questions regarding this communication, please contact Carol Hazell, RN, at carol.hazell@dhcs.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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