

AGENDA

DOULA IMPLEMENTATION WORKGROUP MEETING AGENDA

Date: April 12, 2024

Time: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Meeting Location: *Virtual - Zoom Video

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82074790467

with an option to attend in person at *In Person - 1501 Capitol Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95814, Room 71.4003.

Meeting Agenda:

10:00 – 10:10 Welcome, purpose, and agenda

10:10 – 10:25 DHCS Updates & Discussion

- Enrollment Data
- Doula Enrollment Checklist
- Doula Billing Updates
 - Diagnosis Codes
- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) Updates
- Hospital access

10:25 – 10:50 Doulas and Managed Care Plans

- MCPs and the role of DHCS.
- MCP and doula contracting

10:50 – 11:10 SB 65 Requirements for the workgroup's report

• Ensuring doula services are available

11:10 – 11:20 Break

11:20 – 11:40 Continued discussion on SB 65 Requirements

- Identifying potential barriers and delays in payment
- Recommendations on outreach efforts so that members are aware of the doula benefit



11:40 – 11:50 Review Chat questions

11:50 – 12:00 Next Steps and Closing

Future Meeting Schedule

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