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| 1. | PPAC | <p>Q: How will DHCS ensure that enrollment in the FPACT by phone or online, as currently allowed under emergency flexibilities, will continue to be available if the federal state of emergency declaration is ended prematurely?</p> <p>R: The flexibility to allow Family PACT providers to enroll and recertify clients through telehealth or other virtual/telephonic communication modalities will continue until the end of the public health emergency. The Office of Family Planning is currently exploring future enrollment options (i.e. online enrollment).</p> | No | Yes |
| 2. | PPAC | <p>Q: What changes has DHCS seen in enrollment since March? Do you anticipate an increase?</p> <p>R: Enrollment data for the Family PACT Program during the public health emergency will be presented at the meeting.</p> | Yes | No |
| 3. | PPAC | <p>Q: When will DHCS be able to report on fluctuations in utilization and services during COVID?</p> <p>R: Our plan to report data on utilization and services for the Family PACT Program during the public health emergency will be presented at the meeting.</p> | Yes | No |



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| 4. | PPAC | <p>Q: Does DHCS have any information about the implementation of Public Charge rules may have affected patients to date?</p> <p>R: No, DHCS does not have any information regarding how the implementation of Public Charge rule may have affected patients to date. Effective July 29, 2020, a federal court ruling prohibits the application and enforcement of this new public charge rule in Connecticut, New York, and Vermont. However, the policy may be applied in California, although the federal government has not released additional guidance and this may change. Please visit the US Citizenship & Immigration Services website for updated information.</p> | No | Yes |