

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES**  
**Tribal and Indian Health Program Representatives Meeting**  
**August 17, 2021**  
**9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

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**AGENDA**

- 9:30 – 9:40 Welcome, Introduction of Tribal Leaders, and Review of Agenda  
*René Mollow, DHCS*
- 9:40 – 10:20 Directors Update  
*Will Lightbourne, DHCS Director*
- Approved FY 2022 State Budget and Implications for DHCS
  - HCBS Spending Plan
  - Update on Medi-Cal Rx and 340B Supplemental Payment Pool
  - Introduction of the Office of Tribal Affairs
- Open Discussion
- 10:20 – 10:50 DHCS Initiatives: Status Update  
*Jacey Cooper, DHCS Chief Deputy Director and State Medicaid Director*
- Children and Youth Behavioral Health Initiative
  - Update on Status 1115 and 1915b Waiver Submission
    - Tribal Uncompensated Care Waiver Program
- Open Discussion
- 10:50 – 11:00 Behavioral Health Update  
*Dr. Kelly Pfeifer, DHCS Deputy Director*
- [Behavioral Health Information Notice 20-065](#)
- 11:00 – 11:20 Telehealth and New Medi-Cal Benefits  
*Lisa Murawski, DHCS Division Chief*
- Telehealth Update
  - Community Health Workers
  - Dyadic Services
- 11:20 – 11:35 Introduction of Statewide Behavioral Health Needs Assessment  
*Nathan Pauly, Manatt Health Strategies*
- 11:35 – 12:00 Medi-Cal Managed Care-CalAIM Proposals  
*Bambi Cisneros, DHCS Division Chief*
- Update on Medi-Cal Managed Care Plan Procurement
  - Enhanced Care Management
  - In Lieu of Services

12:00 – 12:15	Update on COVID-19 Vaccination Rates <i>Dr. Karen Mark, DHCS Office of the Medical Director</i>
12:15 – 12:30	Items for Next Meeting
Adjourn	Final Comments

**Next DHCS Tribal and Indian Health Programs Representative Meeting:**

- October 28, 2021 – 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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DHCS would like to highlight that this meeting is intended to allow Tribal and Indian health programs representatives a forum to provide feedback on elements of DHCS initiatives with specific impact to Tribes, Indian health programs, and American Indian Medi-Cal beneficiaries.

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