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## DHCS BH All Provider Call

### Brief Summary – 3/17/21

[Link](#) to weekly meeting notes and meeting link on DHCS webpage

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**NOTE: We are changing the frequency of this meeting to every other week, starting April 7, 2021. There will be NO MEETING on March 24 and March 31.**

The link for the updated meeting occurrence is above and [here](#).

### CDPH Updates (Miren Klein)

- Vaccine Updates
  1. We have 12.6 million administered doses and 4.2 million people are fully vaccinated
  2. Information on vaccines and also a dashboard on vaccinations can be found [here](#)
  3. Eligibility for new individuals beginning this week, guidance is posted on website
    - 16-64 with high risk conditions
    - Individuals in congregate living settings
    - Public Transit Workers
    - Additional 4.4 million Californians are now eligible
    - Verification document on type of condition is not required but when you make an appointment you must sign a self-attestation.
  4. National supply of the vaccine still very low. People with high risk conditions are advised to first reach out to their health care providers.
  5. All adults may be eligible to receive a vaccine starting May 1, according to Biden administration, but we are still waiting on more guidance. We expect our supply of vaccines to increase in April.
  6. Federal retail partnerships are prioritizing childcare providers and educators for the month of March.
    - [CVS](#)

- [Rite Aid](#)
- [Walgreens](#)
- [Albertsons](#)
- [Safeway](#)
- [Vons](#)
- [Pavilions](#)

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