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TO: All County Welfare Directors
All County Medi-Cal Program Specialists/Liaisons

MEDI-CAL ELIGIBILITY BRANCH (MEB) POLICY ASSIGNMENTS

Enclosed is the updated list of eligibility policy assignments by analyst and manager as well as a revised telephone listing for MEB.

If you have any questions, please call the respective section or unit manager.

Sincerely,

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Angeline Mrva, Chief
Medi-Cal Eligibility Branch

Enclosure

MEDI-CAL ELIGIBILITY BRANCH
TITLE 22 ARTICLE ASSIGNMENTS

<u>TITLE 22 ARTICLE NUMBER</u>	<u>TITLE 22 SECTION NUMBER</u>	<u>SUBJECT</u>	<u>PRIMARY/ SECONDARY ANALYST</u>	<u>SECTION/ UNIT MANAGER</u>
2	50101	Administration	Ana Ramirez	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
7	50301	Alienage, Citizenship & Residence	John Zapata/ Angela Ajise	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
4	50141	Application	Edmund Carolan/ Kim McCord/ Carene Halsey/ Tanya Homman/ Linda Rahmeyer/ Manuel Urbina	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
3	50120	County of Responsibility (Including ICT)	Alice Mak	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
1	50011	Definitions	Marge Buzdas	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
22	50223	Disability	Marie Taketa/ Terry Durham/ Betty Mosher	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
21	50167	IEVS	Vacant	R. Brantingham/ Vacant
10	50501	Income	Dave Rappolee/ Patty Nichol	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
6	50271	Institutional Status	Elena Lara	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
11	50601	Maintenance Need	Craig Yagi/ Patty Nichol	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
14	50731	Medi-Cal Card (BIC)	Marlene King/ Kim Nicholls	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye

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5	50201	Medi-Cal Programs	Marge Buzdas/ Erin Lynch	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
8	50351	MFBU (MC Family Budget Unit)	Marge Buzdas/ Erin Lynch	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
15	50761	OHC/Buy-In	Lea Shalabi	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
16	50781	Overpayments	Vicki Partington	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
16	50781	Fraud	Vicki Partington	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
13	50701	Period of Eligibility	Edmund Carolan	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
9	50401	Property	Sharyl Shanen-Raya	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
12	50561	Share of Cost	Craig Yagi/ Patty Nichol	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
17	50801	Special Treatment Programs	Lea Shalabi	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
18	50951	State Hearings	Helen Cahueque	R. Brantingham/ Vacant

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ACWDL/ACIN Subscription Distribution	Vacant	G. Arellano/ B. Liberty
AIM Coordination	Tony Plescia	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
AIM Outreach	Lisa Jackson/ Angelica Perez	A. Mrva/ K. Gable
Alienage	John Zapata / Angela Ajise	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
Authorized Representative	Kim McCord	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
BabyCal Outreach Campaign, Toll-Free Line	Angelica Perez/ John Wood/ Tyra Allen/ J. Chen/ Sue Jackson/Lisa Jackson	A. Mrva/ K. Gable
Burial Funds	Sharyl Shanen-Raya	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Comprehensive School-Linked Services	Armando Martinez	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
Confidentiality/MEDS Access	Ana Ramirez	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
Continued Eligibility for Pregnant Women and Infants	Tony Plescia	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
DED Coordinator	Marie Taketa/Terry Durham/ Lea Shalabi	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
Disabled Adult Child(ren)	Cecilia Kelley/Vicki Partington	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
Disabled Widow(er)s	Cecilia Kelley	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller

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Drug & Alcoholism Program	Janeen Jimenez	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Disability	Marie Taketa/Terry Durham/ Betty Mosher	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
Face-to-Face Interview	Tanya Homman	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
FAME/AEVS	Marlene King / Kim Nicholls	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
Family PACT (State Only Family Planning)	Tony Plescia/Sherilyn Walden/ Helen Cahueque	R. Brantingham
Forms Committee Coordinator	Donna Tanaka	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
Forms Supply	Michael Yokeley	G. Arellano/ B. Liberty
Foster Care/Aid to Adoptive Children/ Interstate Compact on Children	Ken Martinez/ Janeen Jimenez	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Fraud	Vicki Partington	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
Healthy Families/ Medi-Cal For Children Education Campaign	Angelica Perez/ Sue Jackson/ Lisa Jackson/ J. Chen/ John Wood/ Tyra Allen	A. Mrva/ K. Gable
Healthy Families/Medi-Cal For Children Media / Advertising/Public Relations Celebrity Spokespersons	Lisa Jackson/Sue Jackson/ Tyra Allen	A. Mrva/ K. Gable
Healthy Families/ Medi-Cal Mail-In Application	Manuel Urbina/ Edmund Carolan/ Linda Rahmeyer/ Tanya Homman/ Kim McCord/ Carene Halsey	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm

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Healthy Families/ Medi-Cal For Children Toll-free Line (747#)	John Wood/ J. Chen	A. Mrva/ K. Gable
Healthy Families/ Medi-Cal For Children Collateral	Lisa Jackson/ Angelica Perez/ Tyra Allen	A. Mrva/ K. Gable
Healthy Families/ Medi-Cal For Children Sponsorship	Sue Jackson/J. Chen	A. Mrva/ K. Gable
Healthy Families & Medi-Cal Outreach Campaigns	Richard Perry/ Lydia Ilomin/ Rena Verras/ Josie Barajas	A. Mrva/ Y. Lee
Healthy Families/ Medi-Cal For Children Systems Support	Sherilyn Walden / Marlene King/ Kim Nicholls	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner/ G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
Healthy Families/ Medi-Cal Outreach Campaign	Katie Villegas	R. Brantingham/ Vacant
Hospice	Sheila Rich	G. Arellano/ B. Liberty
Income Disregard	Marge Buzdas	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
In-Home Supportive Services/ Personal Care Services	Lea Shalabi/	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
OBRA	John Zapata	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
LA Leader	Mary Hitchcock/ Angela Ajise/ Elena Lara	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
Life Insurance	Sharyl Shanen-Raya	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Long-Term Care Partnership	Sharyl Shanen-Raya	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller

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MC 210	Linda Rahmeyer/ Kim McCord	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
MC 219	Carene Halsey	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
Mail-In Application	Linda Rahmeyer/ Kim McCord	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
Medical Support Program	Elena Lara	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
Minor Consent Services	Manuel Urbina	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
Newborn Referral	Sherilyn Walden	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
No Longer Disabled Children	Janeen Jimenez	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Notices of Action (NOAs)	Edmund Carolan	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
One-Month Extended Coverage	Tony Plescia	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Outstationing: OBRA 90 and Perinatal	Chet Heine	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
Out-of-State Foster Care/AAP/Title 4E	Ken Martinez/ Janeen Jimenez	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Pickle	Cecilia Kelley/Vicki Partington	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
Poverty Level Programs	Marge Buzdas/Erin Lynch	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Presumptive Eligibility for Pregnant Women	Tony Plescia	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller

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Presumptive Eligibility Systems	Sherilyn Walden	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
Procedures Manual	Vacant	G. Arellano/ B. Liberty
Property Disregard	Marge Buzdas	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
PRUCOL	John Zapata	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
Quarterly Status Report	Tanya Homman	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
Qualified Disabled Working Individual (QDWI)	Vicki Partington/Cecilia Kelley	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB)	Marge Buzdas	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Qualifying Individual	Vicki Partington/Cecilia Kelley	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
RAMOS SSI/SSP Discontinuance	Mary Hitchcock/ Angela Ajise	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
Annual/ Edwards Redetermination	Tanya Homman	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
Refugee Medical Assistance	Elena Lara	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
Regulations Manual	Vacant	G. Arellano/ B. Liberty
Rehearing Review	Helen Cahueque	R. Brantingham/ Vacant
Responsible Relatives	Marge Buzdas/Erin Lynch	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Retroactive Medi-Cal	Edmund Carolan	G. Arellano/

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		B. Rahm
SAWS - WCDS/Cal Win	Elena Lara/ Angela Ajise/ Mary Hitchcock	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
SAVE	Marlene King/John Zapata/ Elena Lara	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
SAWS C - IV Consortia	Mary Hitchcock/ Angela Ajise	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
SAWS Coordination	Elena Lara/ Angela Ajise/ Mary Hitchcock	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
ISAWS (NOAs, MCRs)	Angela Ajise	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
SAWS TA	Mary Hitchcock/Elena Lara/ Angela Ajise	G. Arellano B. Birdseye
Single Point of Entry	Kim McCord/ Tanya Homman	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
SED Children	Edmund Carolan	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary (SLMB)	Vicki Partington	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
Spousal Impoverishment . Income	Dave Rappolee/Patty Nichol	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez/ R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
. Property	Sharyl Shanen-Raya	
SSI/SSP No longer Disabled recipients	Marie Taketa/Betty Mosher	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner
Transfers of Property	Sharyl Shanen-Raya	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller

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Transitional Medi-Cal/ Wedfare	Marge Buzdas	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Trust/Annuities	Sharyl Shanen-Raya	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Tuberculosis Program	Janeen Jimenez	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
Verifications/Application	Edmund Carolan	G. Arellano/ B. Rahm
Voter Registration	Marlene King	G. Arellano/ B. Birdseye
Waivers	Marge Buzdas	R. Brantingham/ C. Miller
250% Working Disabled	Terry Durham	R. Brantingham/ M. Ratner

**MEDI-CAL ELIGIBILITY BRANCH
LAWSUITS**

<u>NAME MANAGER</u>	<u>ANALYST</u>	<u>SECTION/UNIT</u>
Beverly v. Belshé	Marge Buzdas	R. Brantingham/C. Miller
Crespin v. Coye (Kizer)	John Zapata	G. Arellano/B. Birdseye
Disabled Rights Union (DRU) v. Kizer	Marie Taketa	R. Brantingham/M. Ratner
Edwards v. Rank	Tanya Homman	G. Arellano/B. Rahm
Gamma v. Belshé	Marge Buzdas	R. Brantingham/C. Miller
Gillen v. Belshé	John Zapata	G. Arellano/B. Birdseye
Hunt v. Kizer	Dave Rappolee	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Johnson v. Rank	Dave Rappolee	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Latino Coalition v. Belshé	John Zapata	G. Arellano/B. Birdseye
Principe v. Belshé	Sharyl Shanen Raya	R. Brantingham/C. Miller
Radcliffe v. Kizer	Marie Taketa	R. Brantingham/M. Ratner
Ramos v. Meyers	Mary Hitchcock/ Angela Ajise	G. Arellano/B. Birdseye
Ruiz v. Kizer	Marlene King	G. Arellano/B. Birdseye
Sawyer v. Belshé	Dave Rappolee	G. Arellano/A. Martinez
Schwarzmer (Corrective Payments)	Patty Nichol	G. Arellano/ A. Martinez
Sneede v. Kizer		
. Ongoing	Marge Buzdas	R. Brantingham/C. Miller
. Retro	Marge Buzdas	R. Brantingham/C. Miller
Tinoco	Dave Rappolee	G. Arellano/A. Martinez

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