

**Provider Meeting
April 6, 2011**

Highlights

1. Governor's Budget

The Governor is proposing moving AOD services into a realignment funding stream and move the monitoring to the counties. Funding would be tied to sales tax and vehicle license fees. Current income increases that were put into place are set to expire June 30, 2011. The Governor wants to hold a special election to extend these current increases but needs 2/3rd vote from the Legislature to place on the ballot. The legislature did not pass the ballot measure and still anticipate the move to the counties with no additional funds included. Realignment funds will be a set amount instead of a flexible funding stream. Four thousand clients currently go through Drug Medi-Cal system. The ninety day cushion maybe unavailable come July 1. We are requesting our providers to submit letters to the Legislature.

Because of the uncertainty in the State's budget, we will be placing a moratorium for new Drug Medi-Cal providers and will be placing new contract language requesting a "Performance Bond". We have not decided on what to do with current contracts. You can go the the Board of Supervisor's website to see the Board Briefing Report and memo from our Director.

Error Code – Drug Medi-Cal

Our programmer has changed the error code to have an open admission when admitting a DMC client. NTP will also look at an annual update.

CalOMS - Referral/Transfer

CalOMS will only accept up to 30 days for a transfer. If client presents after 30 days, they must be entered as a new admit.

Contract Renewal Board Briefing Report

Current contracts are being considered for renewal, but our treatment side is having trouble spending their contracts.

Detox/Stabilization Services

CAP has agreed to keep client for two weeks after detox for stabilization. Will need to see how to transition client as a priority into residential or outpatient services.

Sober Living

A total of sixteen beds will be available for Sober Living services for clients who are in outpatient services. Providers can identify clients eligible for sober living services.

RFP Prevention Services

Two RFP's are being released either in May or June. One will be for Marijuana Prevention Initiative and the other will be for a Prevention Program Evaluator.