

**Provider Meeting
May 4, 2011**

Highlights

1. Governor's Budget – Realignment Implications

No election will be held in June since the legislature did not pass. Still not sure. State has different ideas on how to get revenue. If Drug Medi-Cal and Drug Court realign, one set of funds such as DMC would receive funds current to what is used. The problem is that funds will need to be distributed without going over the maximum. We would only be able to give provider ABC a certain amount or would only pay for certain diagnosis codes such as current Mental Health services or could use a managed care system. Part of that determination would be based on what client population would get services. We will know more once it gets closer and looks more like a reality. We will need to have further discussion with providers in order to develop a working system. The criteria will need to be narrowed for clients receiving DMC services such as clients from another county. The County could become responsible for the monitoring and certifying for services. Drug Court services could see a possible lifting of restrictions.

2. Prevention Services

Two RFP's have been released, the Marijuana Initiative will be due to close on May 13th and the Prevention Services Evaluator will close May 25th.

Prevention Events

The Lock it Up Project will be airing 30 second commercials at Edwards Movie theaters at Riverpark to advertise for the Lock it up Project.

3. PSN Funding

PSN Funds are being suspended as of July 1, 2011. Contracts will be going to the Board to terminate contracts.

4. Claims Submission

Claims need to be submitted timely.

5. Open Admissions

Still have open admissions that need to be discharged. This is a reminder to discharge timely.

6. New Services

Detox – Will be going to the Board of Supervisors on June 7, 2011, on approved we can begin services.

Sober Living will be for clients who are currently in outpatient services. These services are scheduled to start July 1, 2011.

Family Villa – permanent housing for clients enrolled at the PATHS to Recovery program. These services will be managed by Turning Point.

7. Contract Amendments

Amendments will be going to the Board of Supervisors for extension on June 7, 2011