



Quarter 2 2025 Sacramento County Public Health/Anthem Quarterly MOU Meeting

Date & Time June 6, 2025
Frequency Quarterly
Location Virtual
Meeting Leader Kalil Macklin

Attendees

Organization	Name & Title	Attended
Sacramento County Public Health Department	Olivia Kasirye	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Hannah Awai	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Lynnan Svensson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Vanessa Stacholy	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Davis Reedus	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Gurleen Roberts	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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	Melanie Capiccioni	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Lisa Mathews	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>
Anthem	Rachel Allen	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Ted Mumford	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Kalil Macklin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Chantal Betancourt	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Debra Hoppwood-Blackburn	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	David Lavine	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Agenda

Topics	Presenters
I. Welcome & Introductions	All
II. Follow-up Items <ul style="list-style-type: none">Schedule a meeting with Lisa to discuss lead testing compliance. (Sent email on 3/10). Address support for providers needing guidance on blood lead testing requirements for Medi-cal members.Transitional Rent Policy Strategy- Anthem Strategy Development: Strategy in progress for transitional rent policy effective July 1st. Christopher Kuntz and Rebecca Samaha are leading the development. Next Steps: Obtain details on strategy and deliverable date. Kalil Macklin to update and prioritize David in communications. (Reached out internally, need to schedule a meeting with David)	All




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Meetings were proposed with Lisa Matthews and David Reedus to discuss transitional rent policy, which is set to take effect on January 1, 2026.	
III. MOU Updates 1) LHD/WIC MOU Picked meetings back up in April 2) IHSS/CWDA MOU Met in March. Need to reconnect. 3) First Five MOU Coordinated meetings. Regular Occurrence. Next meeting in June. 4) Child Welfare MOU Having Regular Meetings. Working through Language. 5) Regional Center MOU Ongoing efforts to finalize MOUs within the next 30-45 days across various county collaborations.	Anthem
IV. County Program Updates 1) General Updates - Discussion on access to dental services and Medicaid changes at the state level. - Lynnann Svensson: Announced California Surgeon General speaking event and highlighted efforts to align Black infant health programs with state models. - Concerns raised about budget cuts impacting dental care following a potential elimination of Proposition 56. 2) Immunization (IZ) Immunization Program Adjustments: - Termination of COVID outreach funding since March has reduced team resources. - Focus shifts to back-to-school clinics, vaccinations for unhoused children, and an HPV vaccination project. 3) Sexually Transmitted Disease (STI) - Olivia Kasirye to provide updates on the STI program. 4) Tuberculosis (TB) Tuberculosis Program Updates: - A drop in refugee TB screening referrals noted. - Investigations into TB exposures at assisted living facilities continue. 5) Maternal Child and Adolescent Health (MCAH) 6) California Children Services (CCS) Children's California Services (CCS) Updates:	Sacramento County Team



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<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Successful relocation to a new medical therapy unit.- Upcoming launch of a client satisfaction survey in July.- Nurse retirements noted.<ul style="list-style-type: none">7) Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Branch (CLPPB) – Blood Level Screening8) Women Infant and Children (WIC)- Lisa Matthews (WIC Program):<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Handles a caseload consistently at 101% capacity.- Caseload increase expected in October; team prepared for increased demands.- Appointment wait times reduced from one month to one week.- Transitioning last lactation consultant to a county role; full team staffing achieved.- Significant infant formula switch coming August 1st with plans for an informative campaign.- David Reedus: Working on WIC MOU and meeting set for later in the month.<ul style="list-style-type: none">9) CCHP10) NFP11) Black Maternal Health Outcomes12) Black Infant Health (BIH)13) SIDS14) Foster Care- Issues in securing timely medical appointments for foster care children remain a challenge.<ul style="list-style-type: none">15) Home Visiting16) Adolescent Sexual Health Advocates (ASHA)	
<p>V. Health Plan Updates</p> <p>1) Anthem</p> <p>a. Membership – 243,914 (May 1st)</p> <p>b. Utilization Report</p> <p></p> <p>Q2 2025 Anthem Blue Cross _ Sacramento PH _Reports_6.6.2025.pdf</p> <p>i. Transportation Benefits (NMT and NEMT)</p> <p>Non-emergency medical transportation — provider certification statements - Provider News (anthem.com)</p> <p>ii. LiveHealth Online</p> <p>Live Health Online can be used by everyone. Encourage our members to use this platform.</p>	Anthem






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<p>Urgent Care - See a Doctor 24/7 - LiveHealth Online</p> <p>i. Cal-AIM Programs- Flyers: ECM, CS and CHW</p> <p>Anthem is continuing to implement CalAIM in Sacramento County with regular meetings occurring with key organizations.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. CalAIM Overview1. Community Health Workers (ca.gov)2. ECM Overview3. CS Overview <p>Community Health Worker:</p> <p>California Advancing and Innovating Medi-Cal (CalAIM) Anthem Blue Cross</p> <p>Community Supports:</p> <p>California Advancing and Innovating Medi-Cal (CalAIM) Anthem Blue Cross</p> <p>Enhanced Care Management:</p> <p>When providers are fully contracted they are posted on our website under “Find Care.” Find Care & Estimate Costs for Doctors Near You Anthem.com Type ECM Field-Based in the search bar. That is the most real time update as required by DHCS.</p> <p>California Advancing and Innovating Medi-Cal (CalAIM) Anthem Blue Cross</p> <p>Care Management California Medicaid Anthem</p> <p>ECM Referral Form Updates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ECM referral forms (for both adults and children & youth) will be revised and become available in Jan 2025 to include standardized referral language as set by the DHCS. You may continue using the current ECM referral forms until Jan 2025. <p>ii. ECM and CS Enrollment Data (Utilization Report)</p>	
<p>VI. Care Coordination</p> <p>1) Updates between County and MCPs</p> <p>Dr. Hannah Awai requested contact details for case discussions related to CCS issues.</p>	All









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<p>- David Lavine: Detailed timely access standards for health care services and launched a provider training course.</p> <p>- Mariette Yeranosyan: Provider manual updates announced, aligning sections with legislative changes. Regular manual updates planned every 90 days.</p>	
VII. Referrals 1) Close Loop Referrals	All
VIII. Strategies to Avoid Duplication of Services	All
IX. Dispute Resolutions	All
X. Collaboration CHIA/CHIP PHM/PNA: Community Health Assessment/ Community Health Improvement Plan Population Health Management/Population Needs Assessment	All
XI. Member Engagement Benefits, Programs, and Services: Medi-Cal Plan Benefits and Programs California Medicaid Anthem Healthy Rewards Program: Through our Healthy Rewards Program, members can earn \$10 to \$80 for getting certain health services. At the same time, you increase your practice's quality scores by providing members with the vaccinations, screening visits, and medications they need. When an Anthem member meets the eligibility criteria for the activities listed below and completes the service, they will earn the corresponding reward amount after the service is confirmed by the Claims department. The reward dollars are loaded into the member's Healthy Rewards account and can be redeemed for a variety of retail gift cards. Please ensure you file your claims timely so the members can receive their awards.  12292504 1057170CAMSPABC Healthy Rewards BR MKT 02 24.pdf  12292504 1057170CAMENABC Healthy Rewards BR MKT 02 24.pdf  CA_CAID_PU_HealthyRewardsProgram.pdf Provider Flier only.	All



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<p><u>Anthem Resources for Maternal Mental Health</u></p> <p>Member Brochures on New Baby, New Life:</p> <p>English ca_caid_pregnancyandbeyond_eng.pdf</p> <p>Spanish: ca_caid_pregnancyandbeyond_spa.pdf</p> <p>Info found under "Get Help" Health and Wellness- "Pregnancy and Women's Health" section:</p> <p>https://mss.anthem.com/california-medicaid/get-help/health-wellness/pregnancy-womens-health.htm</p> <p>Healthy Rewards Program includes New Baby New Life Incentives:</p> <p>Medi-Cal Plan Benefits and Programs California Medicaid Anthem Medi-Cal Plan Benefits and Programs California Medicaid Anthem. Our OB CM's always educate our members on Post Partum depression and resources.</p> <p>Live Health Online Maternal Menal Health Service:</p> <p>ca_caid_pregnancyandbeyond_eng.pdf (anthem.com)</p> <p>www.bemomaware.com</p> <p>https://www.postpartum.net</p> <p>CA_CAID_PostpartumMoodDisorderFlier.pdf (anthem.com)</p> <div><div> Transportation BR FINAL 12 21 (2).pdf</div><div> Transportation BR Flier Spanish HR 12 21.pdf</div><div> Live Health Online Flyer FINALv6.pdf</div><div> LHO User Instructions Flier.pdf</div><div> LHO Overview FINAL.pdf</div><div> LHO SP.pdf</div></div>	
<p>XII. Action Items</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•	All
<p>XIII. Open Forum Discussion</p>	All



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XIV. Next Meeting: September 5, 2025 @ 3:00 pm	All