

# CalSAWS | Notes from Medi-Cal CMSP Committee Meeting

Date: September 2, 2020	Notes Location: Webcast
Time: 9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Meeting Called by: Nina Butler, Facilitator

Attendees: **Bolded names were in attendance**

Region 1	Region 2	Region 3	Region 4	Region 5
Janelle Aman	Amy Bryer	<b>Brinda Boe</b>	<b>Cynthia McGuire</b>	Devin Anderson
Janette Nunez	<b>Jakki Cuffe</b>	<b>Michael Rinehart</b>	<b>Christen Broussard</b>	<b>Jamie Petersen</b>
Kelly Campbell	Lisa Fletcher	<b>Samantha Ott</b>	<b>Monique Thurman</b>	Leopoldo Huerta
Danielle Niemi	Alisa Young		<b>Michelle Villarreal</b>	<b>Bernardo Carrillo</b>
Celeste Armijo	Sophia Sandoval		<b>Tracey Clark</b>	<b>Celia Crespo-Cruz</b>
Region 6	CMSP	CalSAWS North	CalSAWS South	Partners
Hector Flores	<b>Chris Salmon</b>	<b>Maureen Votta</b>	<b>Elisa Miller</b>	<b>DHCS – David Lucio; Nellie Abeleda</b>
Javier Corral		<b>Renee Gustafson</b>	Victor Nunez	<b>CDSS – Sherice Sterling</b>
<b>Steven Tri</b>		Ritu Chinya	<b>Nina Butler</b>	
<b>Mediatrix Torio</b>		<b>Maria Feliciano</b>	<b>Tisha Mutreja</b>	
<b>Elizabeth Solorzano</b>		<b>Tamara Williams</b>	<b>Prashant Goel</b>	
		Derek Goering	James Dorame	
		<b>Carlos Zepeda</b>	<b>Fred Evangelista</b>	
			Jacob Dorame	

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### Opening Items

- Welcome and Attendance

- Attendance called

### Meeting Notes

- August 5, 2020 committee meeting

- Approved on August 31, 2020

### CA-213839 | CIV-106510

#### Incurred Medicare Part B Premium Disregard

- This only applies to the ABD FPL program – the 250% WDP group is being pulled in to determine if they would otherwise be eligible to the ABD FPL program when the disregard is applied.
- Final vote to be received by email to allow RCMs time to discuss.

### CA-217971 | CIV-107605

#### List to prepare for Incurred Medicare Part B Disregard

- List was provided to the Counties on 8/24/20. Counties need to update these cases for the Medicare part B premium from \$0 to the current amount so the disregard is applied correctly.
- Final vote to be received by email to allow RCMs time to discuss.

### CA-211216 | CIV-105339

- FYI only – content revision to update the effective date

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### **Income Disregard for the Aged, Blind & Disabled Federal Poverty Level Program**

from 8/1/20 to 12/1/20. A one-time batch will be run on 11/24/20 in LRS and CIV to process this population. Create a DCR to insert a journal in CIV equivalent to the LRS journal so there are no gaps during migration.

- Project will review – what the journal will look like since both the ABD FPL update and the Medicare part B premium disregard will be processed during the same BATCH.

### **CA-214686 | CIV-106814**

#### **BREFS Initiatives #1 and 2: Consume SAWS Eligibility Authorization and Manage Downstream Processes**

- No Committee vote needed at this time since this is the initial document regarding these changes.

### **CA-213645 | CIV-106435**

#### **CalHEERS eHIT: Add EERC for 'Ineligible to Covered CA programs due to Medicare verification'**

- FYI – update to content only; no Committee vote required

### **CA-213468 | CIV-106351**

#### **CalHEERS eHIT: BREFS: Enhance eHIT Verifications**

- FYI – update to content only; no Committee vote required

### **CA-218515 | CIV-107754**

#### **List of Discontinued Medi-Cal Individuals Requiring Review/Restoration**

- There will be a list each month; the one for August will post today or tomorrow and there will be an updated CIT sent out.
- Wants to reiterate that the list continues to be larger than expected so Counties need to remind staff that they are not to take negative action unless it is for one of the 4 reasons allowed.
- Counties sent the 'do not touch list' to DHCS and those individuals were not included in the restorations. There were some exceptions when MEDS ran the update. This list will be sent out this week and those cases will need to be reviewed for restoral. A revised CIT will be sent to include information about restoring the exceptions and policy references.
- The list of MEDS restorals DO NOT require County action.
- The due dates for the lists will be provided in the CIT emails.

### **CER CA-214310**

#### **CWS - Add 17 Missing (and update 1) Foster Care, ARC, KinGAP and Medi-Cal Only Aid Codes for Infant Supplement, CEC and Transition Medi-Cal Only Cases**

#### **Suggestions (Renee)**

- Allow these aid codes to be available for Manual EDBC. And when creating a Medi-Cal only segment.
- Add the 15 new requested MC Types to the system
- Update MC EDBC rules to grant these aid codes in a separate MC block on the same Foster Care/AAP case with the parent for an infant supplement program.
- 7J and 38 are not recommended to be added as MC types since the functionality is already available in the

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system.

- Region 6 -Testing is being conducted and will notify the project if the system is not auto testing for 7J or 38. Will be added to the SCR if the system is not functioning properly. We need these aid codes to be added so we can run Online EDBC and make corrections if the auto test resulted in a wrong aid code.
- Committee voted to write up a SCR.

**Walk on item**

- Jakki Cuffe – wanted to know if other Counties are seeing SSI individuals being discontinued by Social Security and not being set up as CvsB.
- Kelly Campbell – this is State wide and an email has been sent to Linda Paige regarding this. Information will be sent out to the Committee once it is received.

(Optional Items)

#	Action Item	Assigned To	Assigned Date	Due Date	Status
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#	Decision Made	Who Made the Decision	Date
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