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TITLE: Medi-Cal Enrollment Incentive Project

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This PIN informs My Health LA (MHLA) Community Partner (CP) agencies about a project to incentivize CPs to increase their Restricted Medi-Cal enrollment for MHLA participants assigned to their clinics.

BACKGROUND:

- The State of California has made a consistent effort to ensure that low-income Californians have access to public health insurance. The State of California is currently leading the way in universal health coverage by offering Full-Scope Medi-Cal to its low-income residents regardless of immigration status.
- On January 1, 2024, California will be expanding Full-Scope Medi-Cal to eligible individuals between the ages of 26-49 regardless of immigration status.
- As with prior Medi-Cal expansions, individuals who are enrolled in Restricted Medi-Cal in advance of the Medi-Cal expansion will be automatically transitioned to Full-Scope Medi-Cal.

MEDI-CAL ENROLLMENT INCENTIVE PROJECT:

- The MHLA program has developed an incentive project utilizing unspent funds from the prior Fiscal Year (FY) 2021-22 incentive project. MHLA is allocating these funds for a one-time distribution to increase enrollment into Restricted Medi-Cal, which the program believes will help ensure a smoother transition of our current MHLA program participants into Full-Scope Medi-Cal.
- Each CP agency is eligible to receive an incentive payment. The available allocation amounts per CP were calculated in April 2023 based on a percentage of each CP's annual Monthly Grant Funding for FY 2022-2023, as allowed by the MHLA agreement.
- The incentive payment for each CP agency will be based on the measured progress achieved during the 6-month incentive period (May 1, 2023 through October 31, 2023).
- MHLA is working with the Los Angeles County Department of Public Social Services to determine each CP's current Restricted Medi-Cal enrollment baseline for MHLA participants and will conduct a second assessment in November 2023 to measure final progress achieved in enrolling MHLA participants into Restricted Medi-Cal.
- CPs must show improvement from their baseline Medi-Cal enrollment assessment to their final Medi-Cal enrollment. To earn the full incentive payment, CPs must show a measurable boost in Medi-Cal enrollment as follows:
 - CPs with a Medi-Cal enrollment baseline of at least 95+% will receive a full incentive payment if the rate increases by 2 percentage points.
 - CPs with a Medi-Cal enrollment baseline between 90-94% will receive a full incentive payment if the rate increases by 3 percentage points.
 - CPs with a Medi-Cal enrollment between 85-89% will receive a full incentive payment if the rate increases by 5 percentage points.

- CPs with a Medi-Cal enrollment baseline between 80-84% will receive a full incentive payment if the rate increases by 8 percentage points.
- CPs with a Medi-Cal enrollment baseline between 75-79% will receive a full incentive payment if the rate increases by 9 percentage points.
- CPs with a Medi-Cal enrollment baseline between 70-74% will receive a full incentive payment if the rate increases by 12 percentage points.
- CPs with a Medi-Cal enrollment baseline between 40-69% will receive a full incentive payment if the rate increases by 18 percentage points.
- CPs showing some progress toward Medi-Cal enrollment will be eligible for a portion of their incentive payment allocation based on MHLA discretion.
- All incentive payments will be distributed to CPs by January 31, 2024, or earlier.

Additional information is available in the Enrollment Incentive FAQ which will be available on the [MHLA website](#) by May 3, 2023. CPs can also contact their [MHLA Program Advocate](#). Thank you.

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