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I. Policy and Reporting News

- **Reporting Zero.** DHCS released the “Numerator of Zero Letter” on August 15. See attached email from David Lown on August 21 with further clarification. If you have any specific questions about the guidance or impact on your system for DY12 Reporting, please reach out to [David](#).
- **PRIME Evaluation.** The PRIME Evaluation Design was approved by CMS on August 23 and can be found [here](#). SNI will cover the updated evaluation design on the September 11 PRIME Manager webinar.
- **Updates to PRIMEone.**
 - The PRIME Platform Webinar Guide and recording of the August 22 DHCS webinar are posted in the [“Learning Collaboratives Material” library](#).
 - The PRIME PCS report has been updated under the [“NCQA Metric Policy Guidance” library](#).
- **DY12 Clinical & Quality Review of Reports – Reminder to CC SNI.** DHCS is reviewing the DY12 Mid-Year reports for clinical and quality thoroughness. If additional clarification is needed, PRIME managers will be contacted by DHCS and will need to respond in no later than 14 calendar days. Please cc [Dana](#) on your responses.

II. PRIME Manager Support

- **Topics for 9/11/17 PRIME Manager Webinar.** What would you like SNI to present on in September? Current topics include reviewing the finalized PRIME evaluation design. Contact [Kristina](#) if you have any suggestions for topics, and/or would like to host a “peer hot topic.”
- **SOGI Leads.** During the July PRIME Managers webinar, we mentioned that we’ve heard interest in connecting REAL/SOGI leads across systems. To date we have only received Alameda, San Joaquin, San Mateo and UC Davis.
 - PRIME Managers, if you have yet to do so, please [review the contact list](#) by adding/removing relevant contacts, including email addresses and sending to [Abby](#). Once we have this list refined, we will share with all PRIME Managers and everyone on the list.
- **NCQA Audit.** *Reminder:* Please let [SNI](#) know if you are planning on engaging with an LO for an NCQA PRIME Audit. The [May 8 PRIME Manager webinar deck](#) (slide 26) has the most up-to-date LO list.

III. Implementation Resources

We’ve highlighted resources useful for PRIME project implementation, more of which are posted on [SNI Link/PRIME/Project Implementation Resources](#).

- **Project 2.6: Opioid Resources** [posted on the [Project 2.6 page on SNI Link](#)]. Project leads may find the CHCF [“Driving Toward Solutions: Providers Map Strategies to Reduce Opioid Deaths”](#) report helpful.

- **Dashboard Deep Dive webinar & resources.** On August 23 Jerry Lassa provided a “Dashboard Deep Dive” as part of SNI’s Data for Improvement program. PRIME data leads may find the [webinar recording](#) and [additional tools](#) helpful.
- **Project 2.2 HCAPHS Resource** [posted on the [Project 2.2 page on SNI Link](#)]. The California Hospital Association performed an analysis on HCAHPS surveys and generated [evidence-based recommendations](#).

IV. Upcoming Events / Key Dates

Upcoming SNI Events

- **September 6 (10-11): Data Across Sectors and eMPI for Data Sharing.** To generate a better understanding of how MPIs are used in practice, All In: Data for Community Health and SNI are hosting a webinar featuring experts from two communities, who will share considerations for using and developing MPIs, and discuss methodologies and tools for implementing an overarching MPI strategy. Register [here](#).
- **September 11, 12-1: PRIME Manager Webinar.** Presentations and recording links will be posted on [SNI Link/PRIME/Webinars](#).
- **September 14, 12-1: PRIME Office Hours.** Presentations and recording links will be posted on [SNI Link/PRIME/Webinars](#).
- **September 27 (12-1). Adverse Childhood Events Screening.** Learn about Primary Care Screening Tools for Adverse Childhood Events (ACE) with Dr. Nadine Burke Harris of the Center for Youth Wellness. Register [here](#).
- **October 12 (Oakland, CA): PRIME DY12 Data Summit.** PRIME Managers and data leads will share lessons learned about reporting in the course of PRIME DY12. Save-the-date: agenda and registration to be this Friday 9/1.
- **October 25 (Burbank, CA): WIT #7.** Waiver Integration Teams will review PRIME DY12 and understand strategic planning implications. Save-the-date: agenda and registration to be released this Friday 9/1.

Upcoming DHCS Events

- **Wednesday, November 15:** PRIME Learning Collaborative Annual Conference will be held at the [Sheraton Grand Sacramento](#) beginning at 8:30 a.m. and concluding by 4:00 p.m. Contact your PRIME Liaison for additional information.

Key Dates

- **Sept. 30, 2017:** DY12 Year-End Report due to DHCS

About: The PRIME Express is sent every 4th week to CAPH members with information, tools and recent news about PRIME. If you have any topics suggested for a webinar or this Express, please contact [Kristina Mody](#).

All PRIME materials, including this newsletter, are posted on [SNI Link](#). SNI Link is open to all CAPH members with registration.

*Document sharing and discussion board for all PRIME participants can be found on [DHCS’ PRIMEOne portal](#). Email PRIME@dhcs.ca.gov to obtain access.

To add or remove people from the PRIME Express please email [Abby Gonzalez](#). Please note that this list is the same as the “PRIME Webinar” distribution list.

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