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*Congratulations to all the PRIME teams who are nearing the milestone of DY14 Mid-Year Reporting!*

PRIME Express  
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#### I. Policy and Reporting News

- **DY14 Manual.** PRIME entities must use the DY14 Mid-Year Reporting Manual, released by DHCS on January 11, for DY14 Mid-Year Reporting due March 31, 2019. CAPH members may access the manual on [SNI Link](#).
- **Sharing PRIME reports with SNI.** A reminder to send your DY14 Mid-Year Report via proper encryption to [Dana](#) by **April 1, 2019** (see [PRIME Data Sharing with CAPH/SNI](#)).
- **Innovative Metric Feedback for DY15 Manual.** Thank you to all entities who provided feedback recently on the PRIME Innovative Metrics. The second draft Revision and feedback survey will be released [here](#) by May 6.
- **DY13 Year End Report – DHCS Clinical Review & High Performance Pool Funding.** DHCS anticipates completion of DY13 YE report review and feedback in Q2. HPP funding will be distributed after that time.
  - Please cc [Dana](#) on your responses to DHCS' requests for clarifications or revisions.

#### II. PRIME Manager Support

- **Webinar: DY14 Mid-Year Performance Trends.** SNI will host a webinar in May to highlight DY14 Mid-Year qualitative and quantitative trends. An invitation will be sent to the PRIME Webinar list in the next few weeks.
- **Reminder: DY13 Year-End Data.** SNI has analyzed and shared DY13 Year-End Data on [SNI Link](#) so members can better understand their performance in comparison to their CAPH peers and learn what others are doing from the reported narratives.
- **Reminder: NCQA Audit.** On November 20, 2018 (12-1), NCQA presented a refresher webinar about the optional PRIME audit process. The slide deck with the recording link is posted [here](#). **Reminder:** Please let [SNI](#) know if planning on engaging with an LO for an NCQA PRIME Audit.
  - At the [January 2018 PRIME Manager](#) webinar, Natividad shared their PRIME audit experience and system impact.

#### III. Implementation Resources & Opportunities *more tools are posted under [Project Implementation Resources](#)*

- **Addiction Treatment Starts Here: Behavioral Health.** The Center for Care Innovations is launching a [15-month learning collaborative](#) dedicated to working with outpatient behavioral health clinics in California to design MAT programs. They offer tools, one-on-one coaching, and tailored technical assistance to facilitate implementation, including \$50,000 in funding to each participating organization. Application deadline is April 5 at 5pm.

#### IV. Upcoming Events / Key Dates

- **Apr 11 (12-1):** PRIME/QIP Office Hours. Materials to be saved [here](#).

- **May 2 (Oakland, CA):** Care Delivery Workshop: Better Screening for Improved Health (information and registration [here](#))
- **Upcoming DHCS Events:**
  - **Topic-Specific Learning Collaborative (TLCs).** See list of TLC meeting dates and materials on [PRIMEone](#)\*. Questions can be directed to [Megan Thomas](#).
  - **May 31 (Sacramento, CA):** PRIMEd Semi-Annual Meeting
  - **October 29 & 30 (Sacramento, CA):** PRIMEd Annual Conference
- **Key Dates**
  - **March 31:** DY14 Mid-Year Reports due to DHCS

***About:** The PRIME Express is sent monthly 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 [Dana Pong](#).*

*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](mailto:PRIME@dhcs.ca.gov) to obtain access.*

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