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PRIME & QIP Express

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I. Policy and Reporting Updates

PRIME (SNI Link page and DHCS PRIMEone*)

■ DY14 Year End Reports.

- Per [8/30/19 DHCS email](#), the [PRIME Reporting Platform](#) is open and will remain open 11:59 PM on Monday 9/30/19. Technical support for DY14 Year End reporting will be available until 5:00 PM on Monday 9/30/19.
- Regarding DY14 trending breaks for 1.3.2/2.2.1 *All Cause Readmissions* and 2.7.5, *Palliative Care Service* see slide 31 of the [DY15 Manual Walkthrough webinar](#), [PRIME PPL 19-005](#), and [PRIME PPL 19-004](#).

Entities are to:

- Use the [DY14 PRIME Reporting Manual](#) for DY14 Year End reports due September 30.
- Address issues identified in the [DHCS DY14 Common Oversights](#) document.
- Save reports in a separate file such as a Word document before uploading.
- Email [Dana](#) final Excel and PDF copy of your DY14 Year End report and DY14 Supplemental Claiming Sheet once submitted to DHCS.

■ DY14 Supplemental Claiming.

- DHCS will host a the supplemental funds claiming webinar on Wednesday, 9/18/19 from 12-1 PM (register [here](#)).
- The DY14 Supplemental Funds Claiming sheet will be released at least one day prior to the webinar.
- The deadline to submit the DY14 Supplemental Claiming Sheet has been extended to Tues Oct 15, 2019.

■ DY15 Manual.

- *Update:* On 9/5, DHCS [issued a correction](#) to the 2.2.1 ACR metric, which is [now aligned with the Project 2.2 Target Population](#).
- DHCS released the DY15 PRIME Manual on July 10. To access, log in to [SNI Link](#), click on the download link to the Manual and PQA value sets.
- On July 24, NCQA provided a [DY15 Manual Walkthrough webinar](#).

■ DY15 Benchmarks. DHCS posted majority of DY15 benchmarks on [PRIMEone](#) on July 3; Four

remaining benchmarks will be announced in November 2019.

QIP (SNI Link page and DHCS external website)

- **PY2 Reporting.** DHCS will send out information about an a webinar and the reporting template in the next several weeks for the December 15 reporting deadline.
- **PY3 Value Sets by Measure for MCPs** will be posted [here](#) at the end of Sep 2019.
- **PY3 Reporting Manual** will be released at the end of Oct 2019.
- **PY1 Reports & Payments.**
 - If you haven't done so already, please email [Dana](#) final copy of PY1 report once DHCS gives final approval.
 - Payments will be distributed by health plans in the fall.

II. Member Support

PRIME/ QIP

- **PRIME/QIP Office Hours.** The next session is Oct 10 (12-1). The September 11 recording is posted on [PRIME](#) and [QIP](#) pages.

PRIME

- **Webinar: DY14 Year-End Performance Trends.** On Wednesday, October 23, 12-1, SNI will host a special PRIME Manager webinar on DY14 YE Data, presenting quantitative and qualitative takeaways with members sharing on performance highlights. Invites to be sent to PRIME Webinar list, or register [here](#). Materials will be posted on [SNI Link/PRIME/Webinars](#).
- **Webinar: Disparity Reduction in PRIME – Progress to Date.** On Thursday, November 7, 12-1, SNI will share progress and lessons learned around the disparity reduction metrics in PRIME. Invites to be sent to PRIME Webinar list, or register [here](#). Materials will be posted on [SNI Link/PRIME/Webinars](#).
- **Reminder: DY14 Mid-Year Report Data & Narratives.** Qualitative highlights and raw data in Excel are posted on [SNI Link/PRIME/Reporting](#). *Note:* DY14 data may not yet approved by DHCS. Please do not circulate outside your system.
- **Reminder: NCQA Audit.** NCQA presentation and member experience can be found [here](#).

QIP

- **QIP Leads Webinar.** The next session is Monday, September 23 (12-1); topics will include reporting updates and recap of QIP 2.0. Access August's QIP webinar [here](#).
- **Webinar: Chlamydia screening: Best practices and implementation strategies for primary care settings** (Oct 17, 12-1). *Supporting new QIP PY3 Measure Q-PC-12: Chlamydia Screening in Women Ages 16-24.* Presenters from the National STD Quality Improvement Center will share implementation strategies and a library of free resources successfully used in a wide variety of primary care settings for quality improvement and patient education related to chlamydia screening and adolescent sexual healthcare. Register [here](#).

III. Implementation Tools & Opportunities

More tools posted on [PRIME/Project Implementation Resources](#) and [QIP/Implementation Tools](#).

- **PRIMEd Call for Presentations.** The Annual PRIMEd Annual Conference, led by DHCS and Harbage and required for PRIME entities, will be held October 29 and 30 in Sacramento; registration will be released in the next several weeks. DHCS and Harbage have issued a call for presentations; interested entities should share a brief 1-2 paragraph overview of a proposed presentation to Trish Violet (Trish@harbageconsulting.com); deadline has been extended to

Friday, September 20.

- **PRIMEd Telehealth Series.** DHCS and Harbage have partnered with Bluepath Health to offer an upcoming webinar series on telehealth to achieve PRIME goals. The third webinar will be 10/3 (12-1); register [here](#). Materials to be posted on [DHCS PRIMEone](#).
- **Webinar materials: Patient-Centered Care Transitions Communication to Improve H-CAHPS Scores.** Riverside University Health System shared how they improved scores on the H-CAHPS survey measures, in part by changing how staff communicate about the work measured by these survey items with patients. Slides and recording [here](#).
- **SNI Epic Usergroup.** This summer SNI held two EHR Usergroup meetings for CAPH members using, implementing or considering Epic. Materials are posted [here](#).
- **Project 2.4 Resource.** States and communities across the country deploy numerous approaches to support the health, development, and well-being of children and families. Center for Health Care Strategies developed a brief and data collection tool for tracking funds [\[link\]](#).
- **AEH Blog – Disparity Reduction in PRIME.** SNI, Contra Costa Health Services and UC San Diego presented on disparity reduction in PRIME at the June AEH Vital2019 Conference. Read a recap of their presentation [here](#).

IV. Upcoming SNI Events

- **Sept 23 (12-1): QIP** Leads webinar. Will be posted on [QIP](#) page.
- **Oct 10 (12-1).** [PRIME/QIP](#) Office Hours. Will be posted on [PRIME](#) and [QIP](#) pages.
- **Oct 17 (12-1): QIP** Chlamydia screening: Best practices and implementation strategies for primary care settings. Register [here](#).
- **Oct 23 (12-1):** PRIME DY14 Year End Data Review. Will be posted on [PRIME](#) page. Register [here](#).
- **Nov 7 (12-1):** PRIME Disparity Reduction – Progress to Date. Will be posted on [PRIME](#) page. Register [here](#).
- **Dec 4-6:** CAPH/SNI Annual Conference (San Diego, CA). a QIP Leads meeting will be held Thursday, December 5. [Registration is now open](#).

DHCS PRIME Events:

- **Topic-Specific Learning Collaborative (TLCs).** Materials on [PRIMEone](#)*. Questions can be directed to [Megan Thomas](#).
- **October 29 & 30 (Sacramento, CA):** PRIMEd Annual Conference (attendance required by STCs)

V. Key Deadlines & Dates

- **Sep 30 – PRIME:** DY14 Year End Reports due to DHCS
- **Sep 30 – QIP:** PY3 Value Sets released
- **Early Oct - QIP: DHCS to release PY2 Reporting Template & User guide**
- **Oct 15 – PRIME:** DY14 Supplemental Claiming Sheets due to DHCS
- **Oct 31 – PRIME:** DY14 Year End payment
- **Oct 31 – QIP:** PY3 Reporting Manual released
- **Early Nov – PRIME:** DHCS to release DY15 benchmarks for remaining 4 metrics
- **Fall – QIP:** PY1 payment

Dec 15 – QIP: PY2 Report due to DHCS

About: *The PRIME/QIP Express is sent monthly to CAPH members with information, tools and news about PRIME and QIP. If you have any topics suggested for a webinar or this Express, please contact [Dana Pong](#).*

PRIME and QIP materials, including this newsletter, are posted on [SNI Link/PRIME](#) and [SNI Link/QIP](#). 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 this Express please email [Abby Gonzalez](#).

Please note that this list combines the “PRIME Webinar” and “QIP Webinar” distribution list.

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