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Subject: Prop 56 Behavioral Health Integration Incentive Program **Attachments:** BHI Incentive Program Measures Crosswalk_122319v2.pdf

Dear Public Health Care System colleagues,

We know some of you have expressed interest in applying for the Prop 56 Behavioral Health Integration Incentive Program (BHIIP). Information may be found here and a summary is included below.

Please note: CAPH members should be advised that some of the metrics in BHIIP also exist in PRIME, QIP or WPC (see attached crosswalk for more detail). To avoid duplicative payment, which is a concern that has been raised by DHCS, in your application, do not define milestones to earn funding related to reporting or performance achievement on metrics you also report for PRIME, QIP or WPC.

Behavioral Health Integration Incentive Program Applications Due January 21

Medi-Cal providers are encouraged to apply for the DHCS Behavioral Health Integration Incentive Program (BHIIP). The objective of the BHIIP is to incentivize improvement of physical and behavioral health outcomes, care delivery efficiency, and patient experience by establishing or expanding fully integrated care in a Medi-Cal managed health care plan's network. The State has dedicated \$95 million of Prop 56 funding to this program, which will operate from April 2020 through December 2022. In order to apply, providers must complete and sign the application and submit it directly to their Medi-Cal managed care plan no later than 5 p.m. PST on January 21, 2020. For more information, please visit the DHCS BHIIP website.

Happy Holidays, Giovanna

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