

# PRIME/QIP Metrics Office Hour

Tuesday, April 7, 12pm

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# Housekeeping

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At any time, feel free to chat your question & we will read out



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# Program Update

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On April 3, DHCS sent CMS a [Request for Section 1115 Demonstration Authority Related to the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency](#) (posted on [DHCS COVID response page](#))

*Authority for DHCS and contracted managed care plans, as applicable, to make incentive payments on a **pay-for-reporting basis for the January 1, 2020, to June 30, 2020**, period within: (1) the Public Hospital Redesign and Incentives in Medi-Cal (PRIME) program under the Medi-Cal 2020 Demonstration; and (2) the Quality Incentive Pool (QIP) directed payment program approved pursuant to 42 C.F.R. §438.6(c).*

DHCS is now awaiting CMS approval of this request.

DHCS intends the first half of PRIME DY15 & QIP PY3 (July 1-Dec 31, 2019) to still be P4P with details TBD.

# Waiver extension scenario

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Months	Jan – Jun	July - Dec	Jan - Jun	July - Dec	Jan - Jun	July - Dec
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QIP	PY3	PY3.5 "Core QIP"	PY4 "Core QIP"		PY5 New Metric Set	

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## Vote on PY<sub>4</sub>: New Metrics vs Same as PY<sub>3.5</sub>?

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# QIP



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# Q&A: QIP

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# PRIME

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# Q&A: PRIME

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