

CMHDA Members,

For your information, the California Department of Health Care Services will be holding regional workshops March 3 through April 27 related to the mandatory enrollment of Medi-Cal beneficiaries into managed care plans. The Department's website describes the purpose of the workshops as follows:

"People with disabilities and seniors who have Medi-Cal only (not Medicare) are encouraged to come to a free presentation to learn about Medi-Cal changes. In 2011 or 2012, you will probably need to enroll in a Medi-Cal Health Plan. Very few people can stay in Regular Medi-Cal. Learn about the Medi-Cal Health Plans and when and how to enroll in one."

Below are links to the two items the Department placed on its web page related to the workshops:

- **[Medi-Cal Presentations \(March 3 – April 27, 2011\)](http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/individuals/Documents/MMCD_SPD/Presentations/MMCD_SPDPrsntMarApr.pdf)** (DHCS Link: http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/individuals/Documents/MMCD_SPD/Presentations/MMCD_SPDPrsntMarApr.pdf) – PDF calendar presenting all presentations.
- **[Medi-Cal Community Presentations](http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/individuals/Pages/MMCDSPDCommPrsnt.aspx)** (DHCS Link: <http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/individuals/Pages/MMCDSPDCommPrsnt.aspx>) – Flyers for each of the regional presentations.

The presentations are being held in the following 16 counties:

- Alameda County
- Contra Costa County
- Fresno County
- Kern County
- Kings County
- Los Angeles County
- Madera County
- Riverside County
- Sacramento County
- San Bernardino County
- San Diego County
- San Francisco County
- San Joaquin County
- Santa Clara County
- Stanislaus County
- Tulare County

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