

**Medi-Cal Dental Advisory Committee**  
**Thursday, December 6, 2018**  
**2:00pm – 4:00pm**

**Sacramento First 5 – Community Room**  
 2750 Gateway Oaks Ste. 330  
 Sacramento CA 95833

**Join by Phone: (916) 876-4100**  
**Conference ID: 890250**

### AGENDA

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|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| 1. 2:00 Welcome & Introductions                                         | Terry Jones   |
| 2. 2:05 Approve October 4, 2018 Meeting Minutes (Action)                | Terry Jones   |
| 3. 2:10 Approve 2019 Meeting Dates (Action)                             | Debra Payne   |
| 4. 2:15 Approve Center for Oral Health as standing agenda item (Action) | Debra Payne   |
| 5. 2:20 New MCDAC Member Sacramento Covered Seat (Action)               | Debra Payne   |
| 6. 2:25 DHCS Update                                                     | Alani Jackson |
| a) <a href="#">Dental Transformation Initiative Update</a>              |               |
| b) <a href="#">Prop 56 update</a>                                       |               |
| c) <a href="#">Smile California</a>                                     |               |
| 7. 3:00 Informed Consent Statement (Action)                             | Terry Jones   |
| 8. 3:20 Annual Report to BOS Process (Discussion)                       | Debra Payne   |
| 9. 3:35 Dental Plans Update                                             | Dental Plans  |
| 10. 3:40 California Dental Association Update                           | Dharia McGrew |
| 11. 3:45 Children Now Update                                            | Katie Andrew  |
| 12. 3:50 Every Smile Counts Update                                      | Debra Payne   |
| 13. 3:55 Agenda Items for February 7, 2018 MCDAC Meeting                | All           |
| 14. 4:00 Other Items & Announcements                                    | All           |

**Public comment may be given on any of the agenda items and before a vote.**

**Purpose:** The purpose of the advisory committee is to provide oversight and guidance to improve Denti-Cal utilization rates, the delivery of oral health and dental care services, including prevention and education services, dental managed care and fee-for-service Denti-Cal.

**Authority:** AB 1467 (Budget Committee), Effective July 1, 2012; Sacramento County BOS, Dec 11, 2012, Resolution No. 2012-0903 establishing a Sacramento County Medi-Cal Dental Advisory Committee & Resolution No. 2012-0904 appointing the initial membership to the Advisory Committee.

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## **Medi-Cal Dental Advisory Committee (MCDAC) Meeting Minutes—October 4, 2018**

**Meeting Date & Location:** October 4, 2018 -- 2:00-4:00 p.m.  
First 5 Conference Room  
2750 Gateway Oaks Drive Ste. 330

### **Meeting Purpose:**

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### **Meeting Authority:**

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### **Members Present:**

Katie Andrew; Melinda Anderson; Steve Heath; Terrence Jones; Olivia Kasirye; Cathy Levering; Dharia McGrew; James Musser; Debra Payne; Jan Resler; Dorothy Seleski; Penelope Scott; and Cynthia Vanzant

### **Members Calling In:**

None

### **Members Excused:**

Martha Cisneros Campos; Julie Gallelo; Henrietta Gutierrez; Jonathan Porteus; Mary Jess Wilson; and Griselda Zamora

### **Members Unexcused:**

None

### **Public Attendees:**

Robyn Alongi; Robin Blanks; Danielle Cannarozzi; Kris Clinton; Felicia Fondren; Catherine Hale Henry; Jennifer Jackson; Amanda Morgan; Rene Gricelda Ocegueda; Lisa Murawski; Penelope Scott; Pedro Reyes; and Maritza Valencia

**Public Attendees Calling In:** Judy Babcock and Anita Valarde

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### 1. Welcome and Introductions

- Welcome and introductions were made by all present.

### 2. Approval August 2, 2018 Minutes (Action Item)

- The motion to approve the August 2, 2018, was made by Steve Heath, seconded by Terry Jones. Minutes were approved.

### 3. Update: Parent Experience

- Debra Payne shared parent experience with Blue Hills Dental. The parent had asked to be referred to Dr. Musser but was told by staff that he had retired. Blue Hills Dental was notified by Debra Payne to inform staff to correct the false information.

### 4. Brown Act Presentation: Sacramento County Counsel

- Rick Heyer provided a presentation on the Brown Act. He shared that the Brown Act was passed by Assemblymember Ralph Brown in 1953. The act guarantees the public's right to attend and participate in meetings and local legislative bodies. For more information about the presentation, please see (Attachment 3)

### 5. Follow-up Discussion: Patient/Parent Informed Consent

- Rick Heyer advised the committee that the Patient/Parent Informed Consent should be shared as a recommendation by MCDAC to the Department of Health Care Services, First 5 Sacramento, and the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors.
- Debra Payne motioned to bring the statement back to the December 4<sup>th</sup> MCDAC meeting to vote whether MCDAC will move forward sharing the recommendation with Department of Health Care Services, First 5 Sacramento, and the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors. Penelope Scott seconded the motion.

### 6. Medi-Cal Choice Packets

- Debra Payne shared the Medi-Cal Choice packets with the committee to provide feedback for improvement. The packets are mailed to parents who are eligible for Medi-Cal. Debra will follow-up with Healthcare Solutions and the ombudsman to attend the next MCDAC meeting.

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### 7. Dental Plan Update

#### Liberty Dental

- Melinda Anderson reported that Liberty Dental has added the phone numbers of adult beneficiaries to the provider's roster to allow dentists to more easily engage and schedule appointments. In her visits with dental offices, Melinda reported access to dental care has become better and appointments are readily available.
- Liberty is working to get the dentists to complete the 5300 form before the end of the year.
- Melinda announced that Registered Dental Hygienist in Alternative Practice can join the Liberty network by registering online.

#### Health Net

- Dorothy Seleski shared upcoming outreach activities including an event at Fairytale Town and Senator Pan's health fair. Also, Health Net is hosting a California Smile event at the Community Resource Center on November 3, 2018. The event will take place at 5047 East Whittier Blvd. East Los Angeles.
- Dorothy announced that she is hiring a Project Manager to work with FQHCs throughout Central and Northern California. Kris Clinton will forward the job announcement to MCDAC participants.
- Felisha Fondren is collecting data on billing codes by physicians to better understand the medical dental integration within Health Net.

#### Access Dental

- No report given.

### 9. California Dental Association

Dharia McGrew reported the following:

- The Governor signed six bills related to opioids including bills that put a cap on prescribing to minors, require additional informed consent, and the mandate e-prescribing.
- The Dental Hygiene Committee of California went through the sunset review process and will be officially renamed the Dental Hygiene Board of California. It will no longer be under the jurisdiction of the dental board, but will continue to confer with the dental board on matters pertaining to scope of practice.

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- SB 1008 (Skinner), the dental plan transparency act was signed. This bill requires all dental plans to use a uniform matrix to disclose their benefits, similar to that matrix used by medical plans. The matrix, which is not yet developed, will provide beneficiaries with a uniform summary of benefits and coverage to include plan details such as covered services, reimbursement levels, estimated enrollee cost share, limitations, and exceptions.
- SB 1148 (Pan) would have required coverage of Silver Diamine Fluoride in Denti-Cal, but was vetoed.
- SB 501 (Glazer) was signed. This bill changes regulatory structure of sedation services for pediatric anesthesia away from the delivery mode and instead uses the levels of sedation (mild, moderate, deep). There will be different permits for providers based on the levels and will require a new pediatric life support training course. The new permits will be issued beginning in 2022.
- SB 1192 (Monning) was signed. This bill requires restaurants to make water the default drink for children's meals instead of soda. Advertisements and in-store displays of kids meals cannot feature soda.

### 10. Children Now Update

- Katie Andrew reported that Assemblyman Jim Wood's office submitted a letter to DHCS inquiring about implementation and progress of the AB 2207. Katie expressed that Children Now has some concerns regarding the requirements of AB 2207 and how it will be measured.

### 11. Every Smile Counts! Update

Debra Payne reported the following:

- The Virtual Dental Home pilot has served 50 children.
- The Medical Dental Partnership pilot has served 200 children at River City Medical Group.
- Staff is working to recruit Kaiser, Methodist and Sutter to participate in the Medical Dental Partnership pilot.
- The Interim Therapeutic Restoration trainings will be completed by all VDH providers by the end of June.
- The Community Outreach Parent Education Pilot has developed the train the trainer program. Community health workers have

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been trained and health education materials have been developed.

- A request for an additional \$2.3 million was submitted to DHCS.

### 12. Agenda Items for December 6, 2018

- Vote: To proceed with the recommendation to forward the Patient/Parent Informed Consent to the County Board of Supervisors, First 5 Sacramento and the Department of Health Care Services
- Vote: Center for Oral Health Update as a standing agenda item
- Vote: Elect Maritza Valencia as the new Sacramento Covered representative for MCDAC.
- Discussion: Process for MCDAC reports to the County Board of Supervisors
- Presentation: Healthcare Solutions and/or Ombudsman to present on the Medi-Cal Choice Packets

### 13. Announcements & Other Items

- Maritza Valencia announced Griselda Zamora has resigned as a committee member of MCDAC. A letter has been submitted by Sacramento Covered on behalf of Marita requesting that she be elected to MCDAC as a voting member.
- Jan Resler reported, the Kindergarten Oral Health Assessment Workshop for school administrators will be held on February 4, 2019. Staff is working with Sacramento County Office of Education, Liberty Dental and Children Now to coordinate this training. In addition, the Sacramento County Oral Health program is developing continuing education classes for dental providers to incorporate tobacco cessation and re-think your drink messages.

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**Medi-Cal Dental Advisory Committee  
2019 Meeting Dates  
Bi-Monthly Meetings on the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday**

Day	Date	Time	Location
1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday	February 7	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	First 5 Sacramento Commission 2750 Gateway Oaks Drive, Suite 330 Sacramento, CA 95833
1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday	April 4	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	First 5 Sacramento Commission 2750 Gateway Oaks Drive, Suite 330 Sacramento, CA 95833
1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday	June 6	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	First 5 Sacramento Commission 2750 Gateway Oaks Drive, Suite 330 Sacramento, CA 95833
1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday	August 1	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	First 5 Sacramento Commission 2750 Gateway Oaks Drive, Suite 330 Sacramento, CA 95833
1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday	October 3	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	First 5 Sacramento Commission 2750 Gateway Oaks Drive, Suite 330 Sacramento, CA 95833
1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday	December 5	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	First 5 Sacramento Commission 2750 Gateway Oaks Drive, Suite 330 Sacramento, CA 95833

**Note:** The Chair may call additional meetings as needed.

Approved (date pending)

## **Patient/Parent Informed Consent**

Dentists assume publicly-entrusted responsibilities founded on the principle of non-maleficence—first do no harm. Informed consent, a process whereby a patient/parent voluntarily agrees to a proposed treatment after a discussion of advantages, disadvantages and risks is one way dentists invoke patient trust and reduce the likelihood of harm.

Sacramento County's Medi-Cal Dental Advisory Committee (MCDAC) underscores the importance that informed consent plays in the delivery of dental care, especially when providing care to children and individuals with special healthcare needs. Informed consent is an essential part of delivering dental care and must include a candid, open dialogue with the patient or legal guardian outlining the risks, benefits and alternatives of the proposed treatment including the use of protective stabilization, sedation, and/or general anesthesia. Policies established by professional dental organizations including, but not limited to, the [American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry](#) and the [American Dental Association](#), emphasize that "the dental team should be appropriately trained to use protective stabilization techniques, should consider each patient's emotional and cognitive developmental level prior to treatment, and should be aware of potential adverse physical and psychological effects before using protective stabilization techniques" (American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry, 2013). MCDAC supports and encourages these policies as a key component of the doctor-patient relationship, respecting a patient's choice and adhering to community expectations of trauma-informed practices.

Dental care is a medical necessity that should be available and utilized by all families and individuals. Fear and past trauma have been identified as barriers for some individuals resulting in lower utilization of regular dental care, including preventive services. Behavior guidance techniques are essential to alleviate anxiety, deliver quality dental care, establish a trusting relationship, and foster a positive dental experience. Policies developed by professional dental organizations to address these concerns guide and are supported by MCDAC. In turn, MCDAC expects dental professionals and dental plans to embrace these policies.

MCDAC accepts that dental trauma can be an all-too-present reality experienced by individuals and families and supports Sacramento County's efforts to implement trauma-informed policies and practices.

### **Protective Stabilization Policies**

American Dental Association

[https://www.ada.org/epubs/assets/ADA\\_Inside\\_Edition\\_papoose\\_board\\_statement\\_April\\_2012\\_FINAL.pdf](https://www.ada.org/epubs/assets/ADA_Inside_Edition_papoose_board_statement_April_2012_FINAL.pdf)

American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry

[http://www.aapd.org/media/policies\\_guidelines/g\\_protective.pdf](http://www.aapd.org/media/policies_guidelines/g_protective.pdf)



(Government Code §§54950 – 54963)



# General Rule

- Provides legal minimums for transparency in decision-making
- Decision-making bodies must conduct business in open and in public meeting to ensure that the public is fully informed about local decisions



# The Act Applies to Legislative Bodies of Local Agencies

Governing bodies-Board of Supervisors/City Council

Subsidiary bodies-commissions, committees created by charter, ordinance, resolution or formal action of a legislative body

# WHAT IS A MEETING?



- A meeting is any situation involving a **majority** of a **decision-making body** in which business is transacted or discussed.
  - Does not require that action be taken
  - Majority of governing body cannot talk privately about an issue before the body no matter how the conversation occurs, whether by
    - telephone,
    - e-mail or
    - at a local coffee shop

# Examples Of Meetings

- Formal meetings
- Collective briefings
- Retreats
- Site tours
- Meal gatherings during a formal meeting



# Unlawful Meetings

- Pre-meetings
- Post-meetings
- Serial meetings





# Serial Meetings Prohibited

- Serial meetings are prohibited
- Serial meeting is a series of meetings conducted through direct communications, intermediaries or technological devices **to develop a concurrence as to action to be taken.**
- Hub and spoke-A to B, A to C and A to D
- Sequential-A to B, B to C, C to D
- Simultaneous-A,B,C and D have joint conversation by phone or other means

# How Do Serial Meetings Occur?

- Technology
  - Phone
  - Fax
  - E-mail: Beware of e-mail exchanges
- Human intermediaries





# Collective Concurrence

- Substantive conversations
- Facilitating agreement or compromise
- Advancing a motion or resolution
- Debating





# Serial Meetings: Practice Tips

Avoid substantive communications (directly or through others) with other members re items that are on an agenda or likely to be placed on a future agenda

Discussing procedural issues (time, date and order of matters on an agenda) is not prohibited. But do not discuss substantive communications

Staff briefings are permissible to answer questions/provide information to members if staff does not communicate the comments of members to other members of the legislative body

# Permissible Gatherings

- Not every gathering of governing body members amounts to a violation
- Attendance at an educational conference or a social event is not a violation if a majority of the governing body does not discuss business at the event.



# Types of Meetings



- Regular meetings-time and place established by ordinance, resolution or bylaws
- Special meetings-called 24 hours before meeting by the presiding officer or a majority of the board/legislative body
- Emergency meetings-crippling activity, work stoppage or other activity that severely impairs public health/safety-1 hour notice

# Basic Rights of the Public

- To receive agenda materials
- To notice of meetings
- To attend meetings
- To record meetings
- To comment at meetings
  - Items on the agenda
  - Non-agenda matters





# Access to Written Materials

- Agenda and any written materials related to items on agenda that are distributed to a member are public records
  - Emails or other written material relating to an agenda item that is sent by staff directly to a member must be provided to all members
  - Draft staff reports that are provided to individual members for comment/input must be provided to others
  - “On the agenda” includes items not only on upcoming agenda but items which are reasonably foreseeable to be on any future agenda
  - Draft staff reports provided to individual members for comment must be provided to other members.
- Documents provided less than 72 hours before meeting must be made available to the public at the same time as provided to majority of members
- Documents provided by others (public) must be made available promptly after the meeting

# Agenda Requirements

- Agenda must contain a brief description of each item of business to be transacted or discussed
- Closed session must be on the agenda
- Must include time for public comment before or during agenda item



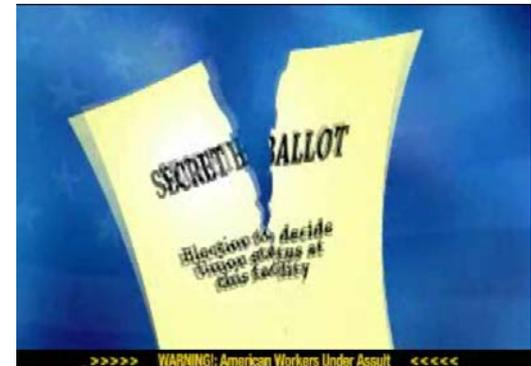
# Right to Attend Meeting

- Accessible to disabled persons
- No precondition to attend
- If sign-in sheet, must clearly state that it is optional



# Conducting Meeting

- Must permit audio/videotape recording by public and media unless disrupts meeting
- No secret ballots
- No mandatory sign-in
- May use teleconferences for public comment



# Right to Comment



- On each agenda item
  - Before conclusion of consideration of item (if discussion item) or before action taken (if action item)
- On any matter within the body's jurisdiction that is not an agenda item
  - May schedule for any time in meeting
  - Members may not discuss or respond substantively

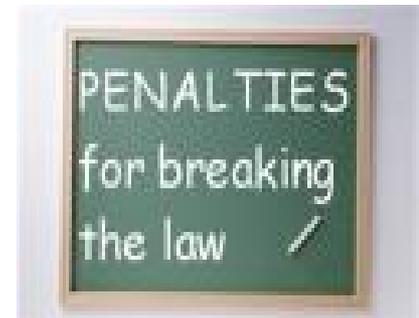


# Limits on Public Comment

- May limit amount of time for each item
- Reasonable limit on total public comment time on an item
- No right to disrupt
- No right to a response from body or its members

# Consequences of Brown Act Violation

- Civil action
  - Injunction against violation
  - Decision voidable (right to cure)
  - Attorneys fees and costs
- Criminal sanctions
  - Misdemeanor



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### **Members Calling In:**

None

### **Members Excused:**

Henrietta Gutierrez; Olivia Kasirye; and Jonathan Porteus

### **Members Unexcused:**

None

### **Public Attendees:**

Robyn Alongi; Barbara Aved; Robin Blanks; Carolyn Brookins; Danielle Cannarozzi; Kris Clinton; Catherine Hale Henry; Tessa Hammer; Alani Jackson; Jennifer Jackson; Summer McKenna; Amanda Morgan; Gricelda Ocegueda; Steve Heath; Pedro Reyes; Lisa Rufo; Maritza Valencia; Brian Vu; and Mira Yang.

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### Public Attendees Calling In:

Carolyn Brookins; Edward Bynum; Gina Goodpaster; and Lorena Martinez.

### 1. Welcome and Introductions

- Welcome and introductions were made by all present.

### 2. Approval April 5, 2018 Minutes (Action Item)

- The motion to approve the June 7, 2018, was made by Debra Payne, seconded by Jan Resler. Minutes were approved.

### 3. Vote: New MCDAC Member Position (Action Item)

- The committee voted Steve Heath as the new Public Health Advisory Board Representative for MCDAC. The motion to approve was made by Debra Payne, seconded by Terry Jones. The item was unanimously approved.

### 4. Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) Update

Alani Jackson provided a personnel update and introduced Brian Vu. Alani reported Dr. Annie Shih left DHCS and the department is looking for her replacement. A dental hygiene consultant exam has been posted. Carolyn Brookins is now Alani's Assistant Division Chief.

#### a) [Dental Transformation Initiative](#)

- Domain 1—DHCS has issued \$93.2 million in incentive payments. The second payment was delayed but will go out late August. A total of \$5.8 million will be paid out by the end of the month. Domain 1 Re-baselining policies effective beginning in Program Year 3, will allow providers to establish a baseline of preventive services and to set a benchmark to receive incentive payments. There has been 7% increase in utilization since the pilot began.
- Domain 2—A total of \$3.2 million has been paid out to providers over the past two years. DHCS is planning to increase participation in this domain and may expand into other counties. MCDAC has requested information regarding Sacramento County's participation in Domain two. DHCS will return to the committee at a later date with information about Sacramento County's participation.

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- Domain 3—A total of \$21 million has been paid out over the past two years to providers.
  - Domain 4—13 local dental pilot projects have been funded instead of fifteen. Two programs were not funded. DHCS released the proposal template to reallocate the approximately \$6 million of funding saved by not funding those two LDPP's. Proposals are due Aug 31. \$8.97 million has been paid to LDPP's as of July 31, 2018.
- b). [Prop 56 update](#)
- The Governor's Budget proposed an extension of Prop.56 from FY 17/18 to FY 18/19 and to add \$70 million in funding, moving from \$140 million to \$210 million.
  - DHCS posted a list of codes for approval by CMS. The codes are color coded on the sheet for easy reference. There were 272 codes in FY 17/18, and 31 codes have been added for FY 18/19.
  - DHCS document posted identifies if the supplemental payment will be a percentage supplement payment or a flat dollar amount. The majority of the additional codes were informed by DHCS' annual rate review of the top 25 most utilized services; the corresponding supplemental amounts were also informed by the American Dental Association's 2016 Survey of Dental Fees.
  - General Anesthesia – achieves general anesthesia parity with the medical side of DHCS.
  - Dental Managed Care plans - Supplemental payments will continue until CMS approves the new directed payments amendment. Payments will be retroactive if/when CMS approves the amendment request.
  - Additional benefits receiving supplemental payments are: Preventive Services for adults, a few ortho codes including removal of orthodontic appliances, periodontal services, and additional time needed to provide dental care to special needs beneficiaries. DHCS proposed adding a 40% supplemental payment to the existing SMA of \$100.
  - DHCS has partnered with OSHPD to develop a student loan repayment plan for dental school graduates.

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- c). Dental Managed Performance Care Measures
- A 12-month federal and fiscal year statistics are posted on the DHCS website. The data for 2017 will be posted by the end of the year.
  - DHCS will offer several Open Data Portal Webinars to provide an overview on how to access data. Three webinars have been scheduled – July, August 8th and September 6th. Kris Clinton will forward webinar dates to MCDAC participants.
- d). Department of Managed Care Audits
- DHCS provided a link to where the audits are posted. Audits are done every three years.
- e) Network Adequacy
- Information and a Power Point presentation about network adequacy are posted on the DHCS website. The Plans have met or exceeded member ratios. All have capacity to serve more beneficiaries.
- 5. Statement on Trauma Informed Consent**
- Terry Jones drafted a letter on the importance of informed consent for the delivery of dental services. The committee suggested that the title should change to Patient/Parent Informed Consent and to clearly define the term informed consent in common language. In addition, members expressed concerns that the letter could be misinterpreted as a policy versus value statement. The committee suggested that the letter should add links to existing policies by the Academy of Pediatric Dentistry and the American Dental Association on informed consent.
  - Dharia MCGrew requested a presentation by County Counsel be provided to MCDAC to outline the scope of the advisory role and procedures.
  - A motion to place this item on the agenda as action item for next meeting was made by Terry Jones and seconded by Debra Payne. Staff will revise the document and contact County Counsel for review and guidance.

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### **6. Presentation: Sacramento County Oral Health Needs Assessment Survey Results**

- Barbara Aved provided a presentation on the results of the Sacramento County Oral Health Needs Assessment (*please see attachment 1*). The report will be distributed to MCDAC participants later this year.

### **7. MCDAC Annual Letter to the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors: Update**

- Debra Payne reported MCDAC's annual letter to the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors (BOS) has been placed on the August 7<sup>th</sup> agenda and there will not be a presentation. The letter will be shared with MCDAC once the BOS August 7<sup>th</sup> agenda has been posted for public review.

### **8. Dental Plan Updates**

#### Access Dental Plan

- Martha Cisneros introduced Lisa Rufo.

#### Health Net Dental Plan

- Dorothy Seleski reported that Health Net is working on a new pilot program in Los Angeles County to increase adult Denti-Cal utilization. The same pilot may be replicated in Sacramento County.

#### Liberty Dental Plan

- Danielle Canarozzi has scheduled oral health presentations in adult schools in the San Juan and Twin Rivers School Districts. She is also providing presentations for mom groups and teen parent groups. In addition, Danielle is working with Alta Regional Center to provide oral health education and dental referrals for the adult special needs population.
- Melinda Anderson reported that Liberty Dental has added new providers and a child friendly general practice office that serves Syrian refugees.

### **9. California Dental Association**

Dharia McGrew reported the following:

- The legislature was in recess during the month of July. The legislation session ends August 31<sup>st</sup>.

### **10. Children Now**

Katie Andrew reported the following:

- The next Medical Dental Learning Collaborative is scheduled on Sept 7th at the Sierra Health Foundation from 9 – 12 pm.
- The next webinar with the Center for Oral Health will be on

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trauma informed care in the dental home.

- Assemblyman Jim Wood drafted and submitted a letter to DHCS regarding AB 2207 asking for a report on the provisions in the bill for Managed Health Care Plans and how they are tracking dental care services.

### **11. Every Smile Counts! Update**

Debra Payne reported the following:

- All three pilots are up and running.
- DHCS has announced that additional funding will be made available through a competitive application process to participating DTI Pilot Programs.

### **12. Agenda Items for October 4, 2018 MCDAC Meeting**

- Presentation by County Counsel
- Informed Trauma Consent Letter
- Review of Choice Health Care Packets

### **13. Announcements & Other Items**

- Cathy Levering announced that SDDS will provide continuing education units for dentists for the Medical Dental Partnership Webinars.

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