



Contracts and Compliance Updates

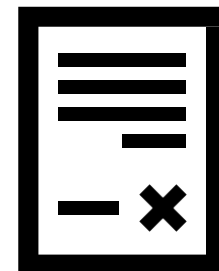
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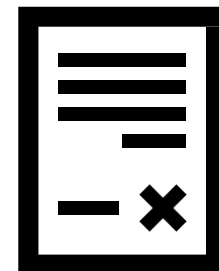


Recently Published Information Notices

- **24-10:** Pregnant and Parenting Women Expanded Recovery Bridge Housing Benefit.

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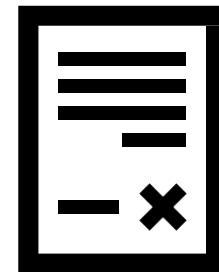


Fiscal Year (FY) 24/25 Contract Amendments (See [IN 22-14](#))

- Contract Amendments take **3-4 months** to process.
- Submit once you have reached **50%** utilization.
- Deadline to submit 24/25 Amendment requests is **March 15, 2025**.
- Network approach to review and approval of amendment requests – Agencies must be responsive to the County, work to resolve any open issues or CAPs, and provide all necessary documentation timely.

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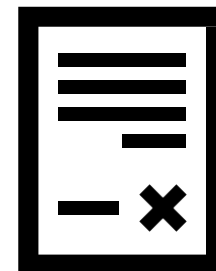


Fiscal Year (FY) 25/26 DMC Contract extensions

- Current DMC contract expires June 30, 2025;
- SAPC will extend the current contract for 1 year; and
- *FY 26/27 SAPC will be issuing new treatment contracts.*

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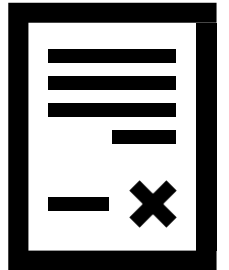


Corrective Action Plans (CAP)

- ✓ Corrective actions are captured based on all SAPC compliance activities;
- ✓ SAPC is also responsible for implementation of DHCS's identified CAPs;
- ✓ Open/unresolved issues may impact amendment requests; and
- ✓ Be responsive to all areas of SAPC and your Contract Program Auditor (CPA), particularly regarding requests for documentations and work to resolve and open and unresolved deficiencies, including A/C Reports and findings.

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Happy New Year - Reminders

- ✓ **Complaints** (DMC Contract, Paragraph 27) – *Agencies shall preliminarily investigate **all complaints** and notify the County (your CPA) of the (1) status of the investigation within 48 hours of receiving the complaint and (2) provide copies of all written responses to the County (CPA) within 3 business days of mailing to the complainant; and*
- ✓ **Holiday Closure Pre-Approval** (Provider Manual 9.0, page 38) – Providers must obtain SAPC approval when an outpatient facility is scheduled to close to observe a federal, state, local or religious holiday. Consistent with other health services, outpatient sites cannot be close for days other than actual recognized holidays (local or religious).
Submit requests to: SAPCMonitoring@ph.lacounty.gov annually by July 1st.



DHCS Mandatory Outpatient AOD Certification

- DHCS mandated all OUTPATIENT providers to be Alcohol and Other Drug (AOD) Certified in accordance with [BHIN 23-058](#) and [DHCS AB 118 FAQ](#).
 - Must **apply** by January 1, 2024;
 - Must **obtain by January 1, 2025** – subject to \$2000 per day fine, if late;
 - Outpatient/Residential DMC-Certified Providers are required to obtain AOD certification (AOD Certification is site specific); and
 - DUI and NTPs are exempt per DHCS.

For more information see the DHCS notices above and/or visit DHCS' Facility Certification page:
<https://www.dhcs.ca.gov/provgovpart/Pages/Licensing-and-Certification-Facility-Certification.aspx>



THANK YOU!

