



Substance Abuse Prevention and Control

Payment Reform FY2026-27

Value-Based Incentives (VBI)

July 16, 2026

VBI Update: Participation and Engagement Survey

Deadline Extended

Dear Treatment Provider Agencies,

To provide agencies with additional time to participate, SAPC is extending the deadline to complete the [FY2026-27 SAPC VBI Participation and Engagement Survey](#) to **Monday, July 20, 2026**.

The brief 5-10 minute survey will help SAPC assess your agency's anticipated level of engagement in this year's incentives and support planning for the year ahead.

The survey includes questions related to the three focus areas:

- **[Finance and Business Operations](#):** Optimizing service delivery and reimbursement strategies to strengthen financial performance, improve operational efficiency, and support long-term sustainability.
- **[Workforce Development](#):** Strengthening provider agency capacity for recruiting, retaining, and developing a skilled workforce to deliver high-quality care and succeed in future outcomes-driven reimbursement models
- **[Access to Care](#):** Reducing barriers and expanding timely access to quality care by strengthening engagement, coordination, and connections to services.

For complete details on this year's VBI activities, including program requirements and payments, please visit the [VBI website](#) for more information.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact DPH-SAPC-VBI@ph.lacounty.gov.

Thank you,

The SAPC Team