



*Building bridges between
criminal justice & behavioral health
to prevent incarceration*

Protecting California's Investments in Medi-Cal Expansion for the Justice-Involved

February 1, 2017, 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Board of Parole Hearings Executive Board Room

1515 K Street, 5th Floor, Suite 550

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Los Angeles County Probation Department
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Purpose:

This workshop aims to assess the importance and impact of expanding Medi-Cal eligibility to the justice-involved population with behavioral health needs. Participants are working in this space and want to help California realize the positive benefits of criminal justice reform coupled with health care expansion. To accomplish this we must share our work and document key findings. COMIO intends to take the information and ideas shared in this workshop, conduct follow-up information gathering, and develop a written brief that can be used widely among various stakeholders and partners. Additional future activities and outcomes to pursue may be identified during the workshop.

Objectives:

Short-Term – COMIO to develop a timely policy brief

Long-Term – Support coordinated efforts to assess how Medi-Cal services are serving the justice-involved

Draft Agenda

- 1) Welcome and Introductions
- 2) Review Purpose and Objectives
- 3) Briefly assess the landscape and status of changes to the ACA impacting California

- 4) Share work related to the use of Medi-Cal resources by justice-involved individuals
- 5) Discuss what we know and what we don't know
- 6) Discuss what arguments can be made with existing or accessible data
- 7) Identify next steps
- 8) Adjourn

In preparation for the meeting several documents are recommended for you review. We will have these documents posted on our website and will be able to access them during the meeting via the internet. This is by no means an exhausted list. Please visit our website for access to these materials at: <http://www.cdcr.ca.gov/COMIO/>.