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Alameda County State Contractors Committee Meeting

AGENDA

Thursday, August 27, 2020 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Via: ZOOM

1. Welcome / Roll Call / Announcements (1-1:20)

- a. In one word, describe how things are for you.
- b. Reminder to send FINAL revision of 4th Ouarter reports to Lorita for Pilot evaluation
- c. Any announcements from agencies

2. California Legislative, State Budget and other State Updates – Ellen Dektar (1:20-1:30)

- a. AB 123 (Fact Sheet attached)
- b. Early Childhood Policy Council meeting Aug 24th recap
- c. CA DSS transition survey:

Over the next few months, the California Health and Human Services Agency, CDSS, and CDE will continue to reach out to stakeholders in this transition process. As the first step in their stakeholder engagement process, they are conducting a survey to obtain more information about your suggestions, feedback, and concerns regarding this transition.

You can access the survey here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KXNJ2LN

3. Alameda County Updates – Ellen Dektar (1:30-1:45)

- a. Alameda County Planning Council application update
- b. Extending Alameda County Pilot

Please continue to reach out to Banta and Skinner

Asm. Bonta's Legislative Director, Maheen Ahmed: <u>Maheen.Ahmed@asm.ca.gov</u> Senator Skinner's Policy Consultant, Michelle Sonico: <u>Michelle.Sonico@sen.ca.gov</u> Suggested language:

Please support a mechanism (budget or legislative) this legislative year to extend Alameda County's Child Care Subsidy Pilot, up to permanency, that expires on July 1, 2021. It is no additional state cost and helps stabilize childcare programs in our high cost, highly impacted by COVID County.

*Add detail on the numbers of children served by their program and other specifics.

4. California Department of Social Services / Community Care Licensing: Safety Notice & PIN – Lorita Riga (1:45-1:50)

- a. 2020 Virtual Education Manager Institute: Available On-Demand (emailed 7/24/20)
- b. PIN 20-16-CCP: Online Child Abuse Mandated Reporter Training; in Spanish (emailed 7/28/20)
 - c. PIN 20-17-CCP: FDA Safety notice for hand sanitizer (emailed 7/28/20)
 - d. PIN 20-17-CCLD: Federal Relief available (emailed 7/31/20)
 - e. PIN 20-19-CCP: RAST Tele-visits (emailed 7/31/20)
 - f. PIN 20-18-CCP: MIS in children (emailed 8/4/20)
 - g. PIN 20-20-CCP: Local Licensing call (emailed 8/11/20)
 - h. PIN 20-21-CCP: Resources to support immigrant population (emailed 8/19/20)
 - i. PIN 20-20-CCLD: Guidance on how to access Guardian (emailed 8/19/20)
- j. Invitation to contribute to California's Master Plan for Early Learning and Care (facilitated in Spanish)(emailed 8/24/20)

Link to all PINs listed above: https://www.cdss.ca.gov/inforesources/community-care-licensing/policy/provider-information-notices

5. ELCD Updates: Management Bulletins and other announcements – Lorita Riga (1:50-2:20)

- a. Upcoming Guidance and Family Fees (emailed 7/27/20)
- b. Additional information regarding essential protective gear and supplies (emailed 7/29/20)



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- c. Advisory for 12-Month Eligibility
- d. Distribution of Essential Protective Gear and Cleaning Supplies (emailed 7/9/20)
- e. MB 20-15: FY 20-21 AP Provider reimbursement requirements and data collection requirements (emailed 8/3/20)
- f. Webinar Announcement: APP caseload reporting and allocation information (emailed 8/7/20; took place on 8/13/20)
- g. Webinar announcement: New attendance & fiscal electronic reporting for Center-Base contractors (emailed 8/7/20; took place on 8/12/20)
 - h. Guidance for serving School-Age children during distance learning (emailed 8/7/20)
 - i. Guidance on parent signatures on monthly attendance records
- j. Webinar Announcement: CDE/ELC webinar on COVID-19 guidance (emailed 8/11/20; took place on 8/14/20)
- k. Webinar Announcement: CDE/ELC webinar on COVID-19 guidance (emailed 8/19/20; took place on 8/21/20)
 - l. Emergency Disaster Relief Information (emailed 8/21/20)
- m. Guidance regarding requirements for Reopening Reimbursement, & Distance Learning for Direct Service Contractors (emailed 8/21/20)
- n. Webinar Announcement: CDE/ELC webinar on COVID-19 guidance (emailed 8/25/20; will take place 8/28/20)
- *It was announced on the 8/21/20 webinar that CDE/ELCD/CDNFS will be holding these webinars weekly.

Link to all MBs: https://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/cd/ci/allmbs.asp

- 6. Check-in with Center-Based programs Lorita Riga (2:20-2:50)
 - a. Are you open?
 - b. If open, how are things going? How is attendance?
 - c. If open, are you also providing home learning for those not physically attending?
 - d. If not open, are you doing home learning?
 - e. If not open, when do you plan to physically re-open to provide in-person services?
- 7. Other Questions / Comments / Concerns Everyone (2:50-3)
- 8. Adjournment (3pm)

Next Meeting Date: Thursday September 24, 2020 1-3pm Location: ZOOM