

# Year 19 MOP Contracts

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# MOP Contracts Overview

- All MOP contracts renewed in Year 19
- Multiple approval steps involving OAPP, DPH Contract & Grants, County Counsel, County CEO, etc.
- Board approval and execution



# Contract Execution

- OAPP forwards approved contracts to MOP providers for execution
- Provider returns executed (signed) contracts to OAPP
- OAPP forwards executed contracts to DPH C&G for full execution
- C&G forwards contracts to Dr. Fielding for full execution
- Fully executed contracts returned to OAPP



# Changes in Medical Outpatient (MOP) Contract Language Year 19



# Tuberculosis Screening

- Baseline tuberculin skin testing (TST) or Interferon Gamma Release Assay (IGRA) for screening of latent tuberculosis
  - Chest x-ray for known PPD+ or if patient manifests pulmonary symptoms
- Baseline chest x-ray for new patients



# Pregnant Women

- Time frame for referrals to specialized perinatal care centers increased to 4 weeks (from 6 wks) of pregnancy
- Referrals made within four (4) weeks and/or by the end of first trimester of pregnancy



# Non-ADAP Formulary

- No longer required
- Added language to ensure tracking of pharmacy budget use and reimbursement



# Medical Nutrition Therapy

- No longer a funded service category (contracts ended on 10/15/09)
- Eliminated requirement for referral to an RD for baseline MNT within 6 months after and HIV+ diagnosis
- Eliminated annual requirement for MNT assessment
- Fold services into MOP as possible



# Therapeutic Monitoring

- TMP administrative cost no longer reimbursed
- Added a line item in MOP budgets to allow shifting funds as needed for TMP
- State budget cuts eliminated SOA TMP voucher program
- Providers given choice to process TMP specimens with LA County Public Health Laboratory (PHL) or a private lab



# Providers Using a Private Lab for TMP (VL+RT)

- 5 month allocation for VL, Geno and Pheno (10/1/09 to 2/28/10)
- MOP budgets will be augmented
- Providers reimbursed for actual cost only up to maximum:

VL - \$64

Geno - \$285

Pheno - \$540



# Provides Using the PHL for VL+RT

- Providers processing VL+ genos through PHL between 8/15/09 and 12/31/09
- MOP budgets will be augmented
- OAPP reimburses PHL for:
  - VL - \$64
  - Geno - \$285



# Treatment Education

- No longer funded service category; contracts ended 10/15/09
- Restructure and propose highly-targeted treatment education investment
- SOC subcommittee currently revising MOP standards of care document to include treatment education and MNT standards (document now in public comment period)



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