



**California Department of Aging
All Stakeholder Quarterly Meeting
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Captioners Transcript

>> WELCOME TO THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF AGING ALL STAKEHOLDER QUARTERLY MEETING, THANK YOU FOR JOINING US, BEFORE WE GET STARTED I WOULD LIKE TO GO OVER A COUPLE OF ITEMS AND PASS IT ON FOR A BRIEF OVER VIEW OF THE AGENDA.

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FIRST, THERE ARE SEVERAL ACCESSIBILITY FEATURES AVAILABLE, ASL AND CLOSED CAPTIONING, IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ENABLE THE SUBTITLES, SELECT THE ICON ON THE BOTTOM OF YOUR SCREEN. IT WILL BE ARCHIVED TO VIEW CONTENT, VISIT THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF AGING YOU TUBE CHANNEL. .

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IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS, PLEASE ENTER INTO THE Q AND A FEATURE, LOCATED AT THE BOTTOM OF YOUR SCREEN, WE ARE RESERVING TIME FOR QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS, JOIN THE QUEUE WITH THE RAISE THE HAND ICON. WITH THAT I PASS IT OVER.

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>> THANK YOU, GOOD MORNING EVERYONE AND THANK YOU FOR JOINING TODAY, WE HAVE A FULL AGENDA TODAY, WE WOULD

LIKE TO MAKE SURE WE GET THROUGH IT QUICKLY AND ALLOW TIME FOR Q AND A AT THE END. QUICKLY, THINGS WE GOT TODAY, WE HAVE OUR WELCOME MESSAGE. WE WILL TOUCH ON SOME COVID-19 UPDATES.

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WE WILL HEAR FROM MARK, YOUR CHIEF DEPUTY DIRECTOR ABOUT AGING AND ADULT SERVICES AND THE MPA PROJECT DIRECTOR ABOUT THE GOVERNOR'S MASTER PLAN FOR AGING AND MOVE THROUGH STATE SPRING BUDGET PROPOSALS AND STIMULUS UPDATES AND DEPARTMENT UPDATES FROM THE DIRECTOR OF ADMIN SERVICES.

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AND I WILL ALSO UPDATE ON OLDER AMERICAN'S MONTH AND MOVE INTO Q AND A PORTION OF THE MEETING. LET'S MOVE ONTO WELCOME MESSAGE, I WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME KIM MCCOY WADE OUR DIRECTOR.

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>> GOOD MORNING AND THANK YOU AND WELCOME AS THE NEW COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR. THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR JOINING US. THIS IS OUR SECOND QUARTERLY ALL STAKEHOLDER CALL OF THE YEAR, FOURTH, COMPLETES THE FIRST YEAR OF TRYING THAT.

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WELCOME YOUR FEEDBACK. WE CONTINUE TO BE FOCUSED ON RESPONDING TO COVID.

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AS SPRING HAS SPRUNG WE ARE RETURNING TO RECOVERY IN EVERY WAY. THAT WE WILL BE RECOVERING. WE ARE ALSO LASER FOCUSED ON REMEDY OF INEQUITIES. AND THIRD REBUILDING BACK BETTER.

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WE KNOW BEFORE COVID WE HAVE MANY OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES IN AGING AND DISABILITY AND FAMILY CARE GIVING AND COVID UNDERLYING THEM MORE. .

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WITH THAT FOCUS, LET'S GET STARTED WITH UPDATES FOR TODAY. I WILL LEAD THROUGH A COVID UPDATE. THIS DATA SLIDE, WHICH IS VERY DENSE FROM THE COLLEAGUES AT CDPH, CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO THE LIGHT BLUE BAR AT 65 PLUS, YOU SEE THAT CASES AMRONG PEOPLE 65 PLUS WERE LOWER THAN THE POPULATION. LARGELY BECAUSE OLDER ADULTS STAYED HOME AND STAYED SAFE.

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IF YOU LOOK TO THE FAR RIGHT, DEATHS DRAMATICALLY EXCEEDED THAT, OLDER ADULTS 65 AND OLDER MAKE UP 75% OF THE LIVES LOST TO COVID.

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THAT IS FURTHER AMPLIFIED BY DISPARITIES IN RACE AND ETHNICITY, CASES AND DEATHS THAT IMPACTED OLDER ADULTS, SEVERELY IMPACTED THOSE WHO ARE BLACK AND LATINO AND PACIFIC ISLANDER COMMUNITIES, THOSE DISPARITIES ARE JUST AS MUCH AS A PORT OF THE STORY.

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THIS MEANS FOR THE AGING COMMUNITY WE HAVE A LOT OF LOSS AND GRIEF. WE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER THOSE LIVES AND HOLD ALL OF US WHO ARE GRIEVING AND HAVE SPACE FOR THAT, THAT IS PART OF RECOVERY AS WELL. THOSE WE HAVE LOST AND HONORING THE MEMORY AND BRINGING FORWARD THE LEGACY.

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AS THE GOVERNOR REMINDS US, SPRING HAS BROUGHT A LOT OF HOPE, NO BETTER PLACE IN THE VACCINES, OLDER ADULTS WERE FIRST TO BE VACCINATED.

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BEGINNING WITH OLDER ADULTS IN FACILITIES. BEGINNING IN JANUARY TO THE GENERAL POPULATION OF 65 +. (READING) (ON SCREEN) THIS WEEK EXPANDING TO THE STATE. GOOD NEWS WE ARE MAKING PROGRESS, AND CONTINUING NEWS IS WE ARE MORE TO GO. MORE EFFORTS ARE COMING, WE ARE VERY EXCITED TO BE WORKING WITH OUR PARTNERS.

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SO BY THE END OF THE MONTH, THERE ARE NEW OPTIONS FOR TRANSPORTATION AND IN HOME SERVICES STATEWIDE, BUILDING ON WHAT IS AVAILABLE. MORE IS COMING BY THE END OF THE MONTH, AND MORE OUT REACH IS COMING.

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TARGETED OUT REACH, TO FOLK FOLKS WHO HAVE QUESTIONS AND LANGUAGE BARRIERS AND OTHER BARRIERS TO GETTING THE VACCINE, THANKS TO THE NEW MONEY YOU HEAR ABOUT IN A SECOND. TARGETING WITH OLDER ADULTS (INAUDIBLE).

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AND, LASTLY THE OTHER GOOD NEWS IS THE STIMULUS, GRATEFUL THAT THE GOVERNOR AND LEGISLATURE INCLUDED PEOPLE OF OLDER AGES AND WITH DISABILITIES IN THE GOLDEN STATE STIMULUS PACKAGE, ABOUT A MILLION OLDER ADULTS WILL BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CRUCIAL GOLDEN STATE STIMULUS ECONOMIC SPOERD DURING THIS TIME, PEOPLE RECEIVING SSI, AND, LOW INCOME ADULTS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES KS.

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OLDER ADULTS WHO WORK AND FILE FOR THE STATE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT, WE ARE ONLY STATE IN THE COUNTRY. TAKE ADD VAN OF THAT. AND THOSE IN THE CAL WORKS PROGRAM. ALL PRONGS. AND WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR THAT. I WILL HAND OFF TO MARK NOW TO CONTINUE THE STORY. MARK?

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>> THANK YOU SO MUCH KIM, GOOD MORNING EVERYBODY, MY NAME IS MARK, I AM CHIEF DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT. I WOULD LIKE TO START OFF BY GOING OVER KEY PROGRAM UPDATES AND DATA FOR THE AGING AND ADULT SERVICES PROGRAMS.

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THIS GIVES US A OPPORTUNITY TO CELEBRATE HARD WORK AND TREMENDOUS CONTRIBUTIONS THAT THE LOCAL PARTNERS AND PROVIDERS ARE PERFORMING IN THE SERVICE OF HELPING OLDER ADULTS GET THROUGH THE COVID PANDEMIC.

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AS A REMINDER, ALL OF THE PROGRAM DATA CAN BE FOUND ON THE DATA REPORTS PAGE, CAN BE REACHED AT THE LINK REFERENCED ON THIS PAGE, DATA REPORTS PAGE, CONTAINS DATA DASHBOARDS FOR SEVERAL AGING AND ADULT SERVICES PROGRAMS.

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MEALS DELIVERED AND INFORMATION ASSISTANCE, CRISIS LINE CALLS RECEIVED AND ANSWERED AS WELL AS DEMOGRAPHIC DATA FOR OLDER ADULTS. WE ARE ALSO PLEASED TO REPORT THAT WE HAVE ADDITIONAL DATA NOW AVAILABLE. WE HAVE COMPLETED OUR PROGRAM FACT SHEETS FOR FISCAL YEAR 19, 20. THESE CONTAIN DATA FOR PROGRAMS THAT INCLUDES INFORMATION ABOUT PROGRAM EXPENDITURES BY FUND SOURCE.

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NUMBER OF SERVICES DELIVERED, AND NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS SERVED. AGAIN, YOU CAN REACH THIS PAGE BY CLICKING ON THE LINK INCLUDED ON THIS SLIDE. ALL RIGHT, NEXT SLIDE. I'M ALSO HAPPY TO REPORT THAT CDA IS IN THE PROCESS OF EXPANDING THE EQUITY DATA. WE CURRENTLY COLLECT A VARIETY OF DATA ABOUT THE PARTICIPANTS, AGE, ETHNICITY AND GENDER.

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WE ARE NOW EXPANDING THE DATA TO INCLUDE SEXUAL ORIENTATION AND GENDER IDENTIFICATION, WE HAVE BEEN COLLECTING THE DATA FOR THE REGISTERED PROGRAM SPECIFICALLY. THOSE PROGRAMS FOR WHICH WE ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROVIDING DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION TO OUR PARTNERS OF THE FEDERAL ADMINISTRATION OF COMMUNITY LIVING.

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AND, SOME OF THE REGISTERED PROGRAMS INCLUDE PERSONAL CARE, HOME DELIVERED MEALS, CASE MANAGEMENT AND CARE GIVING SERVICES. ON THE SLIDE YOU SEE A SNAPSHOT OF THE TYPE OF DATA THAT WE HAVE BEEN COLLECTING, WE ARE GOING TO CONTINUE TO REFINE AND VALIDATE THIS DATA AND WE SHOULD HAVE MORE DATA TO SHARE.

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WE NOTE THERE ARE SHORTCOMINGS IN THE DATA, SPECIFICALLY THE FIELDS, DECLINE THE STATE AND MISSING, NOT A PERFECT DATA SET BY ANY MEANS, BUT THE DATA WE DID NOT HAVE BEFORE, WILL HELPS US IDENTIFY GAPS IN SERVICE DELIVERY AND NEEDS OF THE POPULATION WE SERVE.

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OKAY, I WOULD NOW LIKE TO GO OVER SOME DATA, THAT REALLY CELEBRATES THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF LOCAL PARTNERS AND PROVIDERS, THIS NEXT SLIDE SHOWS ACCOMPLISHMENTS THAT LOCAL PARTNERS HAVE HAD IN BRIDGING NUTRITION GAP FOR OLDER ADULTS.

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AS YOU SEE WE HAVE DELIVERED TEN MILLION MEALS FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF THIS YEAR. THAT IS PHENOMENAL. THIS PUTS US ON TRACK TO EXCEED THE TOTAL NUMBER OF MEALS DELIVERED LAST YEAR, WHICH WAS 28 MILLION, RECORD HIGH FOR THE PROGRAM.

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AND, REALLY JUST YOU KNOW, KUDOS TO ALL OF THE LOCAL PROVIDERS FOR EXPANDING AND QUICKLY EXPANDING THE MEAL SERVICES AND REACHING MORE OLDER ADULTS IN THE STATE THAN BEFORE.

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NEXT SLIDE. WE ALSO HAVE SEEN A HIGH DEMAND IN PUBLIC INFORMATION AND TELEPHONE ASSISTANCE SERVICES, WE HAVE AGREEMENT WITH THE INSTITUTE ON AGING TO PROVIDE THE FRIENDSHIP LINE, EMOTIONAL SUPPORT COUNSELING LINE FOR OLDER ADULTS, WE HAVE CLEARLY SEEN A NEED FOR EMOTIONAL SUPPORT AND COUNSELING THROUGH OUT THE PANDEMIC, TO ADDRESS LONELINESS, ISOLATION, DEPRESSION, ANXIETY, ON AVERAGE IT IS TAKING 283 CALLS A DAY. SERVING 283 OLD R ADULTS, AND FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF THIS YEAR, .

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THEY HAVE ANSWERED 25 THOUSAND PHONE CALLS, THEY ARE ALSO EXPERIENCING HIGH CALL VOLUMES, A QUARTER OF A MILLION CALLS, 252, 778 CALLS, SEE THERE IS A HIGH DEMAND AND GREAT NEED FOR INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE AS THE PANDEMIC CONTINUES.

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I WANT TO PROVIDE UPDATE ON THE DIGITAL DEVICE PROGRAM. WE ARE ALSO BRIDGING THE DIVIDE FOR DIGITAL DEVICES AND SERVICES. SO, WE HAVE DISTRIBUTED 4 THOUSAND OR IN THE PROCESS OF DISTRIBUTING I PADS TO LOCAL AREA AGENCIES ON AGING.

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THESE PADS WILL BE PROVIDED TO OLDER ADULTS WHO ARE, OR LIVE ALONE, AND LOW INCOME, SO, THIS WILL HELP PROVIDE THEM WITH SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT AS WELL AS ACCESS TO INFORMATION ASSISTANCE. WE HAVE ALSO DEPLOYED 850 GOOGLE HOME SMART SPEAKERS TO THE LOCAL AREA AGIN SIS ON AGING AND MULTISERVICES SENIOR SERVICES PROGRAMS.

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AND THIS WILL HELP WITH SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT, AND ACCESS TO OTHER INFORMATION THAT OLDER ADULLS MAY NEED. VERY HAPPY THAT WAS A GENEROUS DONATION BY THE WAY. WE ARE PLEASED FOR THE PARTNERSHIP WITH GOOGLE.

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I WANT TO MOVE ALONG, KIM MENTIONED CONTINUE TO SUCCESSFULLY VACCINATE INCREASING NUMBERS OF CALIFORNIANS.

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AS THE STATE A GRADUALLY MOVING BEYOND THE BLUEPRINT FOR SAFER ECONOMY TOWARDS REOPENING. WE ARE STARTING TO REISSUE GUIDANCE FOR PARTNER AND PROVIDERS TO PROVIDE SERVICES.

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IN THE FALL WE STARTED THIS BY PROVIDING GUIDANCE TO LOCAL OMBUDSMAN PROGRAMS TO RESUME IN PERSON VISITS, ON THE NEXT SLIDE TALKING ABOUT DATA ASSOCIATED WITH THOSE. ON APRIL 8TH, WE RELEASED GUIDANCE TO THE CBAS PROVIDERS.

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AS THE END OF THE WEEK RELEASING TO THE MSSP PROVIDERS AND NEXT WEEK TO THE TRIPLE A PROGRAMS, I WANT TO TAKE A MOMENT TO RECOGNIZE THE INNOVATION AND CREATIVITY AND HARD WORK OF THE LOCAL PROVIDERS, MSSP, CBAS AND TRIPLE A'S, IN YOU KNOW, CREATIVE IN THE WAY THEY DELIVER SERVICES.

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MAKE SURE THAT OLDER ADULTS RECEIVE SERVICES DURING THE COURSE OF THE PANDEMIC. OKAY, THIS IS SOME DATA ON THE LONG TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN PROGRAM, LAST SEPTEMBER, OUR PROGRAMS STARTED TO RESUME IN PERSON VISITS. WE HAVE SEEN REALLY GREAT GROWTH IN THE NUMBER OF VISITS, IN PERSON VISITS THAT HAVE BEEN CONDUCTED. SO, BETWEEN THE MONTHS OF FEBRUARY, AND MARCH, WE HAVE SEEN A GROWTH OF 1400 VISITS, SO THAT IS A TREMENDOUS INCREASE. HOWEVER WE HAVE A LONG WAY TO GO, IF YOU LOOK AT THE FEBRUARIED

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WE ARE HEADED IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION, BUT AGAIN, A LOT OF THANKS, AND, YOU KNOW, CELEBRATION, TO THE OMBUDSMAN. FOR GETTING BACK INTO THE FACILITIES AND ENSURING THAT RESIDENTS OF NURSING HOME, AND RESIDENTIAL CARE FACILITIES FOR THE ELDERLY ARE CARED FOR AND ABLE TO REPORT INCIDENTS OF ABUSE AND NEGLECT.

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NEXT SLIDE, I WOULD FINALLY LIKE TO PROVIDE UPDATE ON THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT STATE PLAN, AS YOU MENTIONED IN THE LA MEETING. CALIFORNIA IS REQUIRED TO SUBMIT OLDER AMERICANS ACT STATE PLAN ONCE EVERY FOUR YEARS TO FEDERAL ADMINISTRATION FOR COMMUNITY LIVING.

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STATE PLAN IS REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO ACL ON JULY 1ST, AND, GOES INTO EFFECT OCTOBER 1, 2021, WHILE IT IS A REQUIRED DOCUMENT, ALSO MORE IMPORTANTLY SERVES AS CDA'S BLUEPRINT FOR CALIFORNIA'S OLDER AMERICANS NETWORK TO BUILD EQUITABLE AGE FRIENDLY CALIFORNIA THROUGH ADVOCACY PARTNERSHIP AND SERVICES. OUR PLAN WAS INTENTIONALLY DESIGNED TO ALIGN WITH THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING.

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THE CDA STRATEGIC PLAN AND LOCAL AREA PLANS. NEXT SLIDE, THE PLAN IS NOW AVAILABLE ON THE CAD HOME PAGE FOR VIEW, IT IS A DRAFT PLAN, PLEASE, REVIEW IT, WE HAVE PUT UP A STATE PLAN SURVEY, THAT SURVEY WILL BE AVAILABLE UNTIL MAY 31, 2021, PLEASE, TAKE TIME TO READ THE PLAN, SEE IF YOU FIND ANYTHING MISSING. ANYTHING THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO

COMMENT UPON, I WOULD LOVE TO HEAR YOUR FEEDBACK. AND, WE WILL CONTINUE TO REVISE THE PLAN UP UNTIL THE DATE THAT WE SUBMIT TO FEDERAL ACL.

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WE REALLY WELCOME YOUR COMMENTS.

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I WANT TO NOTE THAT WE HAVE TWO PUBLIC HEARINGS SCHEDULED. THE FIRST IS SCHEDULED ON MONDAY APRIL 26 AND SECOND IS APRIL 29. THE YOU ARE ABLE TO MAKE THE PUBLIC HEARINGS, I REALLY ENCOURAGE YOU TO DO SO. OUR DIRECTOR WILL BE SPEAKING AS WELL OR CHAIRING THE MEETING AS WELL AS LUNCH MEETING FROM THE COMMISSION ON AGING, SO, REALLY AN OPPORTUNITY TO FOR THE PUBLIC TO HEAR A WALK THROUGH THE PLAN, AS WELL AS PROVIDE THE FEEDBACK AND THAT IS MY PRESENTATION, THANK YOU.

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I WILL TURN IT OVER TO AMANDA THE PROJECT DIRECTOR FOR THE MASTER PLAN ON AGING.

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>> GOOD MORNING EVERYONE I WOULD LIKE TO PROVIDE YOU WITH A FEW UPDATES WHERE WE ARE WITH THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING AS I REFER TO MPA. MPA WAS RELEASED THIS YEAR IN JANUARY. WITH FIVE GOALS AND 23 STRATEGIES, RELEASED OVER 4 MONTHS AGO. .

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WITH A VIRTUAL SUMMIT WITH HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND SEVERAL PARTNERS WHO ARE INTEGRAL TO DEVELOPMENT OF THE MPA.

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THIS PLAN FEATURES FIVE BOLD GOALS, HOUSING FOR ALL AGES AND STAGES, HEALTH REIMAGINED, EQUITY AND INCLUSION NOT ISOLATION. CARE GIVING THAT WORKS AND AFFORDING AGING. WITHIN EACH OF THESE AREAS ARE SEVERAL STRATEGIES TO GUIDE IMPLEMENTATION.

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JUST A FEW DAYS AFTER WE LAUNCHED THE GOVERNOR REVEALED HIS JANUARY BUDGET FOR 2021. AND IT INCLUDED MANY INVESTMENTS FOR AGING, INCLUDING FUNDING TO TAKE THE AGING AND DISABILITY RESOURCE CONNECTION STATEWIDE. COMPREHENSIVE AND COORDINATED APPROACH TO ALZHEIMER'S. EXPANSION OF SUPPORT HOUSING AND SENIOR NUTRITION, AND INCREASED WORKFORCE AND MANY MORE AREAS RELATED TO THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING, WE HAVE POSTED THE LINK TO A SUMMARY OF INVESTMENTS ON THE HOME PAGE.

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THE MPA ALSO INCLUDZ A LE CAL PLAY BOOK, IT IS MEANT TO GUIDE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, COMMUNITY BASED ORGANIZATIONS AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THEIR OWN MASTER PLANS FOR AGING.

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WE HAVE GUN TRAINING AND INFORMATION SESSIONS WITH LOCAL LEADERS, SUCH AS CALIFORNIA STATE ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES, REGIONAL LTSS COLLABORATIVES AND LOCAL HEALTH JURISDICTIONS AND BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS WITH NETWORKS IN CALIFORNIA. ALSO INCLUDED IS THE DATA DASHBOARD FOR AGING, WE HAVE RECENTLY ADDED INDICATORS AND MADE OTHER UPDATES, AND WILL CONTINUE TO DO SO. WE HAVE AND SOON WILL BE HOSTING MORE DEMONSTRATIONS AND USER TESTING SESSIONS WITH LOCAL LEADERS AND PARTNERING AGENCIES, INCIAGE

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THIS WILL BE ADDED TO THE DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION OF THE DASHBOARD. ALSO INTEGRAL IS THE IMPACT STAKEHOLDER COMMITTEE. THIS COMMITTEE WILL SOON BE ANNOUNCED AND COMPRISED OF STAKEHOLDER REPRESENTING THE INTERESTS OF OLDER ADULTS.

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TO BUILD A CALIFORNIA FOR PEOPLE OF ALL AGES AND ABILITY. ALSO OUR FIRST PROGRESS REPORT, IT WILL INCLUDE NOT JUST DEPARTMENT OF AGING ACTIVITIES BUT ALSO THE PARTNERS IN THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING. SO, MOVING ONTO SOME INITIATIVES.

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WE RECENTLY ANNOUNCED CALIFORNIA HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES DISABILITY AND AGING COMMUNITY LIVING ADVISORY COMMITTEE. THE PURPOSE IS ADVANCE COMMUNITY LIVING INCLUSION AND INTEGRATION ACROSS CALIFORNIA.

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THE COMMITTEE WILL ENSURE INVOLVEMENT OF ALL INDIVIDUALS, OLDER ADULTS AND OLDER ADULTS, THE COMMITTEE WILL ADVISE CHHS, AND OTHER STATE ENTITIES ON COMMUNITY LIVING AND POLICIES AND PROGRAMS.

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WE ALSO ANNOUNCED OUR EQUITY AND AMGING ADVISORY COMMITTEE, THEIR FIRST MEETING WAS MARCH 16TH AND MEET IN JUNE.

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THIS COMMITTEE WILL ADVISE CDA ON PROCESS OF SERVICES AND DELIVERABLES ENSURING THAT THE EQUITY LENS IS APPLIED.

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ALSO CDA HAS NOT BEEN ALONE HERE, WE HAVE PARTNERS FORGING AHEAD AS WELL. FEW EXAMPLES, IMPROVING ACCESS TO FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICES WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF . .

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INCREASING BROAD BAND ACCESS, PROMOTING LIVABLE COMMUNITIES AND HOUSING FOR ADULTS AND IMPROVING ACCESS TO LTSS, INCLUDING LAUNCH OF THE INSURANCE TASK FORCE.

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JUST LAST MONTH CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES HOSTED A FORUM SPECIFICALLY FOCUSED ON SUPPORTING OLDER ADULTS.

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NOW, LEGISLATION, OF COURSE IS KEY TO MOVING FORWARD WITH THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING INITIATIVES, AND OF COURSE, SO, WE HAVE HERE, A LINK TO JUSTICE AND AGING SUMMARY OF THE 2021 LEGISLATIVE BILLS RELATED TO MAST E-PLAN FOR AGING CAN BE FOUND ON THE WEBSITE, JUSTICE AND AGING KEY PARTNER AND IS KEY PARTNER IN THE MASTER PLAN FOR AGING.

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THEY FIGHT POVERTY AND HAVE A FOCUS IN CALIFORNIA. NEXT SLIDE, OF COURSE I WANT TO MENTION THAT WE CONTINUE TO PUT ON OUR MONTHLY PEER LED ENSURING EQUITY AND AGING WEBINAR SERIES, FEATURING NATIONAL AND STATE LEAD RS, WE HOST THIS EVERY WEDNESDAY, MAY 5 IS ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND OTHER DEMENTIAS AND CULTURALLY RESPONSIVE SERVICES SUPPORT AND CARE.

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ALL OF THE PAST WEBINARS HAVE BEEN SAVED. LINK IS ON THIS SLIDE. WE HOPE YOU CAN JOIN. REGISTRATION IS ACCESSIBLE ON THAT WEB PAGE AS WELL. THANK YOU I WILL PASS IT OVER TO THE NEXT SPEAKER. HERE IS HOW YOU CAN STAY UPDATED WE HAVE A NEWSLETTER, SUBSCRIBE YOU CAN FIND THAT ON THE HOME MPA WEB PAGE.

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>> THANK YOU. I'M THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR ADD MIP STRAGS, TODAY I WILL BE GOING SOME UPDATES ON THE STATE'S SPRING BUDGET PROCESS AND HOW IT HAS IMPACTED THE DEPARTMENT OF AGING AND EFFORTS IN WORK IN IMPLEMENTING

THE MASTER PLAN, AS WELL AS FEDERAL UPDATES ON COVID RELIEF FUNDING AND DEPARTMENT UPDATES.

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SO, I WILL START WITH OUR NEW STATE BUDGET PROPOSALS, LISTED ON THE SCREEN YOU FIND FOUR DIFFERENT APPROVED SPRING FINANCE LETTERS. IN EACH ONE WE HAVE INCLUDED THE LINK TO VIEW THE FULL PROPOSAL, I AM GOING TO GO THROUGH EACH OF THESE AND I WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT DETAILED INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE TO YOU. AS YOU HEARD IT IS EXCITED TIME FOR THE NETWORK AS WE CONTINUE TO SEE INVESTMENTS IN SERVICES AS WELL AS IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MASTER PLAN THROUGH RESOURCES.

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AS WELL AS SOME MPA INITIATIVES. ONE OF THE FIRST INVESTMENTS I WOULD LIKE TO TOUCH ON IS OUR MASTER PLAN FOR AGING IMPLEMENTATION FINANCE LETTER. AS YOU CAN SEE IT PROVIDES CDA WITH 20 FULL-TIME POSITIONS AND 3.26 MILLION IN FISCAL YEAR 2021-22, AND 3.3 MILLION IN FISCAL YEAR 22-23 AND ON LOING.

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GENERAL FUND INVESTMENTS THIS PROVIDES RESOURCES FOR THE INITIAL PHASE OF THE MASTER PLAN IMPLEMENTATION, PROVIDING US WITH NECESSARY POLICY, TECHNOLOGY AND DATA AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND SUPPORT AND LEGAL RESOURCES.

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THE PROPOSAL ALSO INCLUDES CONTRACT FUNDING AND AUTHORITY FOR CDA TO HIRE A TECHNICAL CONSULTANT TO ASSIST WITH IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CLIENT RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT PROJECT. AS WELL AS ADDITIONAL POSITION AUTHORITY TO FUND THE ONGOING WORK OF THE FALL PREVENTION PROGRAM MANAGER FOR ANOTHER YEAR.

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WHICH LINES UP WITH GOVERNOR'S BUDGET PROPOSAL WE HAVE TO EXTEND THE EXPENDITURE PERIOD FOR THE FALL PREVENTION PROGRAM.

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THE NEXT PROPOSAL IS AGING AND DISABILITY RESOURCE CONNECT PROPOSAL, EXTEND AND INCREASE FUNDING TO AGING AND DISABILITY RESOURCE CONNECTS. .

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THAT PROVIDES WITH 13 FULL-TIME POSITIONS, 1% 95 MILLION, IN FISCAL YEAR 21-22 AND 1.87 MILLION IN THE ONGOING. ANOTHER GENERAL FUND INVESTMENT.

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AND THIS PROVIDES CDA WITH STATE RESOURCES TO SUPPORT THE GOVERNOR'S BUDGET PROPOSAL THAT PROVIDED ADDITIONAL LOCAL FUNDING FOR EXPANSION OF THE CALIFORNIA AGING AND DISABILITY RESOURCE CONNECT TO HELP US ACHIEVE A NO WRONG DOOR SYSTEM. IT WILL PROVIDE THE INITIAL RESOURCES WE NEED TO CONTINUE EXPANSION STATEWIDE.

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AND IT WILL ALSO PROVIDE PROGRAM AND SUPPORT STAFFING NEEDED TO MAINTAIN OVERSIGHT MONITORING AND COMPLIANCE AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND DATA COLLECTION EFFORTS AS WE CONTINUE TO GROW THE PROGRAM AND ACHIEVE THE NO WRONG DOOR SYSTEM. THE NEXT SPRING FINANCE LETTER IS THE HEALTH INSURANCE COUNSELING AND ADVOCACY, OR HICAP MODERNIZATION PROPOSAL.

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THAT PROVIDES LIMITED TERM RESOURCES FOR TWO YEARS INCLUDING THREE POSITIONS AND 2.06 MILLION IN FISCAL YEAR 21-122, AND 2.04 MILLION. AS WELL AS PROPOSED BUDGET LANGUAGE.

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THIS IS AN INVESTMENT OF HIGH CAP SPECIAL FUNDS NOT GENERAL FUND. THIS IS PROVIDING LIMITED TERM RESOURCES, BOTH AT STATE AND LOCAL LEVEL FOR MODERNIZATION OF THE PROGRAM, THROUGH VARIOUS TARGETED INITIATIVES, THINGS SUCH AS EVALUATION OF ONGOING AND EXISTING RESOURCES BOTH AT STATE AND LOCAL LEVEL. TO IDENTIFY APPROPRIATE LEVEL OF RESOURCES NEEDED FOR THE HIGH CAP PROGRAM IT HAVE TO START TO REACH FOR.

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WITH OUR NEEDS AND POPULATION RESOURCES. ONE OF THE INITIATIVES IS LEVERAGING DATA DRIVEN APPROACHES AND NEW TECHNOLOGY ACROSS THE PROGRAM. ADDITIONALLY, WE HAVE FUNDING TO UPDATE TRAINING RESOURCES TOOLS AND SYSTEMS FOR LOCAL HIGH CAP PROGRAMS AND STAFF. AND REALLY FOCUSING ON DOING THAT ENSURING EQUITY AND ACCESS.

ADDITIONALLY WE WILL BE DEVELOPING STATEWIDE OUT REACH AND UPDATED BRANDING, WHICH WILL HELP US INCREASE AWARENESS AND BRAND RECOGNITION AND UPDATING CONSUMER RESOURC ACCES

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AND GOAL OF THIS PROPOSAL LIKE I MENTIONED IS TO LEVERAGE THE FUNDS OVER THE NEXT TWO YEARS TO ACHIEVE SPECIFIC MODERNIZATION NICHE TIS FOR THE PROGRAM, AND ALSO DURING THAT TIME TO COLLABORATE WITH STAKEHOLDER AND THE ADMINISTRATION AND LEGISLATURE TO DEVELOP A LONG TERM STRATEGY TO EXPAND AND IMPROVE THE SERVICES, WHILE ALIGNING RESOURCES WITH AVAILABLE FUNDING.

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THE LAST LETTER RELEASED WAS THE OFFICE OF THE LONG TERM CARE PATIENT REPRESENTATIVE PROPOSAL. THIS PROVIDES 6 FULL-TIME POSITIONS AND 2.5 MILLION IN 21-22, AND 3.99 MILLION IN 22-23 AND ONGOING. THIS IS PROPOSED TO THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION FUND. AND ALSO THIS INCLUDES VARIOUS STATUTORY CHANGES.

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THIS PROPOSAL WILL PROVIDE DEPARTMENT WITH RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH THE NEW OFFICE AND FUNCTION OF THE PATIENT REPRESENTATIVE WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT. AND PROVIDE A UNIFORM STATEWIDE APPROACH TO REPRESENT THE INTEREST OF OTHER WISE UNREPRESENTED PATIENTS WITHIN FACILITIES.

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ALSO PROVIDES LOCAL RESOURCES FOR PROVISION OF SERVICES WITH CONTRACTS OF LOCAL PROVIDERS.

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BEGINNING OF THE SECOND HALF OF FISCAL YEAR 21-22, THAT IS OVER VIEW OF THE SPRING BUDGET PROPOSALS THAT WERE RECENTLY RELEASED ON APRIL 1ST, IF WE CAN MOVE TO THE NEXT SLIDE I WILL GO OVER SOME INFORMATION ON OUR FEDERAL CODE RESPONSE FUNDING.

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AS WE MENTIONED IN THE LAST MEETING. CDA HAS DISTRIBUTED THE MONEY IN CARES ACT EFFECTIVE MARCH 2020. AND 23.8 IN FAMILIES FIRST ACT FUNDING.

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ALL IN RESPONSE OF THE PANDEMIC, FOR THINGS SUCH AS NUTRITION AND OTHER LOCAL PROGRAMMING NEEDED TO HELP THOSE OLD R ADULTS HAVING TO STAY AT HOME, AND STILL NEEDED APPROPRIATE SERVICES.

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OUR DEPARTMENT PROVIDES AND LOCAL AREA ASIS PROVIDED. NEXT SLIDE, THAT TAKES US INTO OUR NEW FEDERAL COVID-19 RESPONSE FUNDING THAT WE ARE STARTING TO SEE COME IN. WE HAVE THREE NEW CATEGORIES OF FEDERAL STIMULUS FUNDS RECENTLY APPROVED.

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FIRST ONE IS PART OF THE CONSOLIDATED APPROPRIATIONS ACT. OUR STANDARD FEDERAL BUDGET, ALSO INCLUDED FEDERAL STIMULUS, DEPARTMENT OF AGING IS RECEIVING 17.9 MILLION FOR THE TOTAL ALLOCATION.

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(ON SCREEN).

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HOME DELIVERY MEALS AND (INAUDIBLE) ADDITIONALLY WE SAW APPROVAL OF THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN, WITH THAT COMES ANOTHER CIG NIF KAPT FEDERAL INVESTMENT FOR COVID RELIEF FUNDING CDA IS ESTIMATED TO RECEIVE 48 NT 7 IN SUPPORTIVE SERVICES 78 MILLION IN NUTRITION, 4.6 PREVENTATIVE, 14.9 IN FAMILY CAREGIVER, AND MILLION FOR ELDER ABUSE PREVENTION.

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THE MOST RESENT ADDITIONAL FEDERAL STIMULUS FUNDING IS OUR SUPPLEMENTAL VACCINE FUNDING, AND THERE ARE TWO DIFFERENT POTS OF VACCINE FUNDING, ONE IS SPECIFIC TO OUR AREA AGENCIES ON AGING AND SLATED TO GET 5.2 MILLION, AND RESOURCE CONNECTION IS 1.6 MILLION. TO HELP THE LOCALS IN CALIFORNIA REACH THE OLDER ADULTS THAT HAVE YET TO BE VACCINATED AND TO PROVIDE AND DO THAT THROUGH PROVIDING TRANSPORTATION OR INFORMATION OR OUT REACH AND VARIOUS OTHER TARGETED ACTIVITIES TO ENSURE THAT WE ARE ABL

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THE DEPARTMENT PLANS TO START ISSUING GUIDANCE AND DISTRIBUTIONS IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER. SO, OUR VACCINE SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING WE PLAN TO RELEASE OUR GUIDANCE IN MAY, AND SHORTLY THERE AFTER WE START WORKING TOWARDS FUNDING DISTRIBUTION, CONSOLIDATED APPROPRIATION ACT FUFRRNDING.

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PLAN TO RELEASE GUIDANCE IN JUNE, AND AGAIN DISTRIBUTIONS WILL FOLLOW SHORTLY AFTER. IN THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN WE ESTIMATE RELEASING GUIDANCE IN JULY AND FUNDING DISTRIBUTION FOLLOW IMMEDIATELY AFTER. SO HERE ARE SOME DEPARTMENT UPDATES ON OUR RELOCATION THAT WE THOUGHT WOULD BE OF INTEREST, AS WE MENTIONED PREVIOUSLY, CDA IS SCHEDULED TO MOVE TO A NEW LOCATION IN SEPTEMBER 2021, NEW OFFICE LOCATED AT GAITWAY OAKS DRIVE. PICTURE OF THE FACILITY. IT IS ADDRESS ACCESS AND INCLUSION ISSU

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IT WILL BE CLIMATE FRIENDLY AND ENERGY EFFICIENT, ACHIEVING THE SILVER CERTIFICATION, WE WILL BE INCLUDING AND INTERWEAVING TECHNOLOGY AND OTHER MODERN TOOLS THROUGH OUT THE FACILITY. TO HELP ENSURE OUR STAFF CAN DO THEIR JOBS AND DO THEM EASILY.

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WE WILL ENSURE THAT WE HAVE ADDITIONAL COLLABORATIVE SPACES, CONFERENCE ROOMS CAPABLE OF HOSTING TRAINING AND CONVENINGS WITH APPROPRIATE SIZE GROUPS THAT WE NORMALLY HAVE FOR THE DIFFERENT EVENTS THAT WE PREVIOUSLY HOSTED.

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THE DEPARTMENT WILL APOLOGIES, DEPARTMENT WILL BE TAKING TWO FLOORS IN THIS FACILITY, AND, JUST A QUICK UPDATE ON CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION, THE CONSTRUCTION, OR DEMOLITION HAS BEEN COMPLETED FOR OUR THIRD FLOOR. AND, FOR THE SECOND FLOOR, WHICH WILL BE LOCATED AND SLATED TO BE FINISHED NEXT WEEK.

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AND CONSTRUCTION AND FRAMING WILL BEGIN. AND ON THE NEXT SLIDE I JUST WANTED TO PROVIDE STAFFING UPDATES, AND RECENTLY WE HAVE TWO OF THE TEAM MEMBERS RETIRE. .

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THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR THE DIVISION OF HOME AND COMMUNITY, AND THE STATE LONG TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN FOR MANY YEARS.

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WE HAVE HADDED TWO NEW TEAM MEMBERS. (ON SCREEN).

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WITH THAT I WILL HAND IT OVER.

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>> GREAT THANK YOU. SO I WANTED TO COVER A LITTLE BIT ABOUT OLDER CALIFORNIANS. OR OLDER AMERICANS MONTH, EVERY MAY OLDER AMERICANS WE CELEBRATE OLDER AMERICANS MONTH. THIS YEAR THE THEME IS STRENGTH IN COMMUNITIES, COMMEMORATE THIS MONTH WE ARE EXCITED TO LAUNCH CALIFORNIA CHRONICLES.

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EXCITING PARTNERSHIP THAT WE HAVE PARTNERING WITH THE CALIFORNIA STATE LIBRARIES AND UCB. .

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CALIFORNIA CHRONICLES IS DIVERSE COLLECTION OF STORIES THAT HIGHLIGHT EXPERIENCES AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF OLDER CALIFORNIANS, BY SHARING THE STORIES AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF OLD R ADULTS, INSPIRES PEOPLE OF ALL AGES AND LEGACIES WILL SPARK CON NECS BETWEEN GENERATIONS.

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ALL THESE WILL NOT JUST BE SHARED BUT ALSO ARCHIVED THROUGH THE STATE LIBRARIES.

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NOW IN THE STORY COLLECTION PHASE, WHETHER IT'S WRITTEN, AND AUDIO STORY, OR VIDEO OR ART WORK OR POEM. YOU KNOW WE ENCOURAGE ALL DIFFERENT TYPES OF FORMS THAT FOLKS WANT TO SUBMIT STORIES, WE INVITE YOU TO PROMOTE AND CONTRIBUTE, MORE INFORMATION ON THE WEBSITE OR DIRECT LINK IS ALSO AVAILABLE ON THE POWERPOINT AFTER THE MEETING.

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SO, EXCITED ABOUT THIS PROJECT AND LOOK FORWARD TO PARTNERING WITH ALL OF YOU, WITH STORY COLLECTION AND STORY SUBMITTALS. NOW WE MOVE ONTO QUESTION AND ANSWER PHASE, YOU WANT TO TAKE IT OVER?

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>> SURE, HAPPY TO DO THAT. THANK YOU CONNIE. WE ARE GOING TO TURN TO Q AND A, I HAVE QUITE A FEW QUESTIONS IN THE Q AND A BOX I AM SEEING, IF YOU HAVE CONGRESSMENS AND QUESTIONS AND YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE UNMITED FEEL FREE TO USE YOUR RAISE HAND FEATURE.

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QUESTION ABOUT THE DIGITAL DIVIDE, HOW IS THE DIGITAL DIVIDE DISTRIBUTION BENEFIT ASSISTING OLDER ADULTS OF COLOR, FROM NATIVE AMERICAN, LATINX BLACK AND OTHER COMMUNITIES WHO LIVE IN HOUSEHOLDS WITH OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS?

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>> I'D BE HAPPY TO ANSWER THAT. THIS IS MARK. SO, WITH INITIAL DISTRIBUTION OF TABLETS WE DID HAVE A LIMIT T AMOUNT OF MONEY, AND IT WAS VERY IMPORTANT DURING THE TIME OF STAY AT HOME ORDERS TO ADDRESS ISSUES OF LONELINESS AND ISOLATION, IN ORDER TO EKTIVELY REACH THAT POPULATION, WE DID TARGET I PAD DISTRIBUTION TO THOSE WHO LIVE ALONE. AND WHO ARE EXPERIENCING INCIDENTS OF LONELINESS AND ISOLATION, IF WE HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY FOR FUTURE FURTHER DIGITAL RELEASES, WE DEFINITELY DO

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IN FACT THE GUIDANCE WE HAVE GIVEN FOR THE I PADS DISTRIBUTED THEY SHOULD GO TO YOU KNOW DIVERSE COMMUNITIES AND UNDERSERVED COMMUNITIES.

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WE ARE ENSURING THAT EQUITY IS BEING BAKED INTO ANY OF OUR INITIATIVES.

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BUT, YES, IF WE DO HAVE FURTHER OPPORTUNITIES WE WILL LOOK AT YOU KNOW DEPLOYING TO FAMILIES AND HOUSEHOLDS WITH OTHER MEMBERS IN THEM.

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>> THANK YOU MARK. THERE WAS A COUPLE OF QUESTIONS ABOUT REENTRY GUIDANCE I AM GOING TO SUM THOSE UP. WHAT WILL THE REENTRY GUIDANCE FOR APRIL 30TH, WHAT WILL IT ENTAIL, WILL IT INCLUDE IN PERSON SERVICES, AND CAN THAT BE USED FOR PROVIDING CARE MANAGEMENT SERVICES WHO MAY NOT BE ASSOCIATED WITH AREA AYEN SIS ON AGING, AN EXAMPLE IS CITY SENIOR CENTER.

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>> RIGHT, SO, THANK YOU FOR THAT, I CAN ANSWER THAT QUESTION AS WELL. SO, OUR REOPENING GUIDANCE FOR THE CBAS CENTERS, ACL HAS BEEN PUBLISHES AND VERY SPECIFIC CRITERIA AND TRIEM FRAMES ASSOCIATED WITH REOPENING FACILITIES, KEEP IN MIND WHILE WE ARE UNDER EMERGENCY DECLARATION, THE PROVIDE RS WILL CONTINUE TO HAVE FLEXIBILITY.

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SUCH AS PROVIDING REMOTE SERVICES THAT THE FEDERAL ACL AND CMS HAVE ALLOWED. SO, YEA IF YOU HAVE TIME, TAKE A LOOK AT THE GUIDANCE, THE MSSP GUIDANCE WILL BE SIMILAR. REGARDING THE TRIPLE A, THE GUIDANCE IS GENERAL IN NATURE. WILL TALK ABOUT JEP TIME FRAMES FOR REOPENING, AS WE MOVE BEYOND THE BLUEPRINT FOR A SAFER ECONOMY. YOU KNOW THE GOVERNOR HAS A TARGET DATE OF JUNE 15. TO REOPEN THE ECONOMY.

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ASSUMING SUFFICIENT VACCINATIONS TO VACCINATE THOSE 16 AND OLDER AND PUBLIC HEALTH GUIDANCE AT THE TIME. THAT WILL BE THE OPPORTUNITY TO REOPENING CENTERS.

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AGAIN, WE ALWAYS LOOK TO PUBLIC HEALTH INFORMATION, TO FEDERAL GUIDANCE TO GUIDE HOW AND YOU KNOW WHEN WE REOPEN FACILITIES.

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SO, YOU KNOW I BELIEVE THAT THE TRIPLE A DIRECTORS WILL BE HAVING A LOT OF CONVERSATIONS ABOUT BEST PRACTICES AND SAFE WAYS TO REOPEN FACILITIES.

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>> THANK YOU, I DON'T KNOW IF THIS IS A QUESTION YOU CAN ANSWER, IF THIS IS DIRECTED TO HIM. BUT, THIS IS ABOUT THE OMBUDSMAN PROGRAM, A COUPLE OF QUESTIONS ASKING FOR A

QUICK OVER VIEW OF THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE LONG TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN AND NEW LONG TERM CARE REPRESENTATIVE.

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>> YEA, I WOULD BE HAPPY TO ANSWER THAT QUESTION. SO, I SEE HOW THERE WOULD BE CONFUSION ON THE TWO DIFFERENT FUNCTIONS. SO, OFFICE OF THE LONG TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN RESPONDS TO INCIDENTS OF YOU KNOW SPLANTS ABOUT NEGLECTED ABUSE AND SKILLED NURSING FACILITIES AND RESIDENTIAL FACILITIES FOR THE ELDERLY, CONSTANTLY IN FACILITIES MONITORING AND MEETING WITH STAFF AND RESIDENTS. .

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IT IS REALLY INTENDED TO SERVE THOSE WHO ARE INCAP ACETATED AND UNREPRESENTED FOR THE PURPOSE OF HAVING HEALTH DECISIONS MADE ABOUT THEIR CARE AND TREATMENT. SO, EACH FACILITY CURRENTLY CONVENES WHAT IS KNOWN AS INTERDISCIPLINARY TEAMS.

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WHICH CONSISTS OF CONSIDER SOCIAL WORKERS AND NURSES, TO TALK ABOUT CARE AND TREATMENT FOR RESIDENTS WHEN THEY ARE INCAP ACETATED.

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UNDER CURRENT LAW, FACILITIES ARE REQUIRED TO HAVE WHAT IS KNOWN AS A PATIENT REPRESENTATIVE ON THE BOARD, THAT IS SUPPOSED TO REPRESENT THE WISHES OF THE PATIENT. IN THE EVENT THEY DON'T HAVE A HEALTH DIRECTIVE OR PULSE IN

PLACE. THAT REPRESENTATIVE WILL CONDUCT INVESTIGATIONS AND LOOKING AT ANYTHING THAT THE PATIENT MIGHT HAVE PUT IN WRITING OR TALKING TO FRIENDS AND FAMILY.

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IN ORDER TO UNDERSTAND WHAT THE WISHES OF THE PATIENTS WOULD HAVE BEEN FOR CARE AND TREATMENT, FACILITIES LOOK TO FAMILY AND FRIENDS FIRST. IF THOSE REPRESENTATIVES DON'T EXIST, THEN CDA WILL BE PROVIDING A REPRESENTATIVE TO REPRESENT THE PATIENTS.

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>> I SEE THE ANSWER IS TYPED INTO THE Q AND A, THERE WAS A QUESTION ABOUT FEDERAL FUNDING IF THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF AGING CAN SPEAK TO OVERSIGHT AND ACCOUNTABILITY MECHANISMS IN PLACE TO ENSURE THAT INCOMING FUNDING IS DISTRIBUTED IN EQUITABLE MANNER.

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>> SURE I WOULD WILL HAPPY TO VERBALIZE BUT I ALSO PUT IN THE ANSWER, YES, YES, YES, THERE ABSOLUTELY ARE EXPECTATIONS AND DIRECTIVES IN THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT TO TARGET EQUITY AND WE COLLECT AND POSTED RECENTLY THE ANNUAL REQUIRED FACT SHEETS THAT HAVE A FAIR AMOUNT OF DEMOGRAPHIC DATA NOT COMPLETE BY ANY MEANS BUT HAVE THAT BASELINE.

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NOW WHAT WE ARE DOING, BOTH OUT OF MASTER PLAN RECOMMENDATION AND OLDER AMERICANS ACT STATE PLAN IS TAKING A DEEPER DIVE.

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AND LOOKING HOW THE SERVICE NUMBERS LINE UP WITH POPULATION NUMBERS AND NEED NUMBERS.

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NOT JUST AT OLDER AMERICANS ACT. BUT THE NEW MONEY YOU HEARD ABOUT. THE CARES, AND FAMILIES FIRST, AMERICAN RESCUE, CONSOLIDATED APPROACH, AND FIVE DIFFERENT FEDERAL POTS.

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WE HAVE BASELINE AND MOVING TOWARDS A DEEPER ANALYSIS TOWARDS THIS SUMMER AND FALL ABOUT HOW WE ARE DOING ON MEETING TRUE XIT GOALS AND BUILDING CALIFORNIA FOR ALL AGES.

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IN THE STATE PLAN OVER THE NEXT FOUR YEARS TO INCREASE AND DRIVE THAT ONE PARTICULAR STRATEGY NAMED IN THE DRAFT STATE PLAN, PARTNERSHIPS AND APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT TO WEIGH WITH THE TRIBAL ORGANIZATIONS.

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DEDICATED FUNDING FOR TRIBAL ORGANIZATIONS AND EXPLICIT AND EXPRESSED GOALS AROUND SERVING NATIVE AMERICAN ELDERS THAT WE WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT. THOSE ARE A COUPLE OF EXAMPLES OF THE BASELINE DATA AND COMING REPORT LATER THIS YEAR.

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AND ONGOING PROGRAM IMPROVEMENTS SUGGESTED IN THE DRAFT PLAN

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>> I WANT TO RECOGNIZE THAT WE HAVE SOMEONE PATIENTLY WAITING WITH THEIR HAND UP, I AM GOING TO OPEN YOUR LINE, YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO UNMUTE AND JUMP IN WITH YOUR COMMENT AND QUESTION

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>> YES, IN OPENING A LOT OF IT WITH SIX FOOT DISTANCING, OUR AGENCY WORKS WITH SENIORS AND PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND. SO MANY OF THEM NEED TO BE GUIDED IS THERE ANY GUIDELINES FOR WORKING WITH PEOPLE IN OPENING AGENCIES THAT WORK WITH PEOPLE WHO ARE DEAF OR WHOSE HEARING OR VISION DISABILITIES CANNOT FUNCTION WITH SIX FOOT DISTANCING.

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>> THANK YOU FOR THE QUESTION, SOMETHING WE ARE IN DIALOGUE WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, AS WELL AS 7 DEPARTMENTS THAT INCLUDE SERVICE SERVICES TO PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES WE ARE COORDINATING AND WELCOME INPUT AND ADVICE ON THAT, WE REMAIN ACCESSIBLE AND INCLUSIVE AND TAILORED TO DIFFERENT POPULATIONS AND DIFFERENT PEOPLE'S NEEDS.

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IT'S A WORK IN PROGRESS, AND WELCOME FEEDBACK HERE OTHER WISE ON THAT.

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>> OKAY, MY E-MAIL WAS INCLUDED IN MY REJ--YOU KNOW, YOU CAN CONTACT ME THROUGH MY E-MAIL

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>> THANK YOU.

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>> THANK YOU. ANY OTHER FOLKS WANT TO JUMP IN AND HAVE LINES OPEN TO ASK A COMMENT OR QUESTION. SOMEONE HAD HAND UP. E-MAIL, YOUR LINE HAS BEEN OPEN. UNMUTE AND JUMP IN.

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>> THANK YOU. SO I WORK AT DISABILITY SERVICES IN LEGAL CENTER BASED IN SANTA ROSA CALIFORNIA. YOU SPOKE ABOUT THE TRIBAL ENTITIES. I AM ENROLLED NATIVE AMERICAN.

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I HAVE BEEN WITH THE AGENCY FOR ALMOST TWO YEARS. AND WE DO SERVE FOUR COUNTIES, I HAVE DONE EXTENSIVE OUT REACH BEFORE THE PANDEMIC. IN MENDOCINO COUNTY THE OFFICE THERE IS ABOUT 11 MILES FROM ONE OF THE LOCAL TRIBES AND THAT HAS BEEN OPEN FOR 20 YEARS AND NONE OF THE NATIVE AMERICANS HAD USED OUR AGENCY.

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AND I WOULD LIKE TO HELP YOU GUYS TO CONNECT WITH THE LOCAL TRIBES BECAUSE I AM RELATED TO ALL OF THEM. AND BEFORE I STARTED WORKING HERE, I HAD NOT EVER HEARD OF INDEPENDENT LIVING CENTER. SO I WOULD REALLY LIKE TO HELP YOU GUYS CONNECT WITH THE LOCAL TRIBES, BECAUSE THE NATIVE AMERICAN POPULATION IS UNSERVED. THEY ARE NOT BEING SERVED.

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>> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, THAT'S WHAT OUR DATA LOOKS LIKE, TOO, SO THANK YOU FOR YOUR FIRSHTHAND EXPERTISE AND STORY, WE DO AND ARE BEGINNING, WE HAVE CALLS THIS WEEK WITH THE FEDERAL PARTNERS TO HAVE APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT TO GOVERNMENT ENGAGEMENT.

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WE HAVE JOINED A STATE COORDINATING GROUP OF SERVING TRIBAL COMMUNITIES WE ARE LEARNING AND ABSOLUTELY WILL TAKE YOU ON THAT OFFER AND HELP WITH THAT CONNECTION.

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>> I WOULD LOVE TO. I WOULD LOVE TO INTRODUCE YOU TO THE NATIVE AMERICAN CIRCLES. SO, MY E-MAIL ADDRESS IS (READING). I WOULD LOVE TO INTRODUCE YOU TO THEM.

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>> OKAY, I SEE YOU HAVE A HAND UP, YOUR LINE IS OPEN, UNMUTE AND JUMP IN.

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>> THANK YOU, CAN YOU HEAR ME? OKAY GREAT, YES, SO, I AM ALSO AFFILIATED WITH CALIFORNIA HEALTH ADVOCATES AND WITH RESPECT TO OUT REACH TO NATIVE AMERICANS.

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I WANT TO GUIDE OR OFFER ANYBODY ON THE CALL THAT IF YOU GO ONTO OUR CALIFORNIA HEALTH ADVOCATES WEBSITE. WE HAVE A PAGE SPECIFICALLY DEDICATED TO TRIBAL OUT REACH AND ALSO INFORMATION. AND WE HAVE A MOU WITH THE CIMC, CALIFORNIA INDIAN MAN ORGANIZATION.

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WE DO A LOT OF OUTREACH, OVENG PREPANDEMIC, ALSO PARTICIPATING IN THE CONFERENCE UP IN JUNE AND AUGUST. IF EVERYBODY IS INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE, THE NATIONAL INDIAN COUNSEL ON AGING IS A GREAT RESOURCE, THANK YOU

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>> THANK YOU, WE DO HAVE A RESOURCE PAGE OF CONNECTION LIKE THAT, AMONG OTHERS WE MAKE SURE THEY ARE DIGITALLY LINKED BUT APPRECIATE THAT RESOURCE.

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>> LOOKS LIKE WE HAVE JUST ABOUT ONE MORE MINUTE LEFT, I WANT TO TURN BACK TO GUIDANCE RELEASED ON APRIL 30TH, SEVERAL FOLKS ASKING ABOUT WHETHER IT WILL ADDRESS PROGRAMS

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>> YEA, AS MARK MENTIONED WE WILL BE ABLE TO PROVIDE GENERAL INFORMATION AND RESOURCES OF NATIONAL GUIDANCE AND OTHERINGS.

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WE HAVE TO BE CAREFUL, WE DON'T WANT TO DICTATE TO THE LOCAL PROGRAMS, OR NOT APPROPRIATE, HEALTH ORDERS AS WELL.

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I DON'T WANT TO OVER PROMISE WHAT WILL BE IN THE GUIDANCE, BUT A FRAMEWORK IN TEMPLATE AND RESOURCES TO BEGIN TO REOPEN THE MEALS.

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WE HAVE SURVEYED AND SEE THERE IS A SPECTRUM OF FOLKS WHO HAVE GUN TO REOPEN OR THINKING OR NOT YET. DEPENDING ON THE HOST OF FACTORS AND RECEIVED A REQUEST, THOUGHTFUL FROM THE TRIPLE A'S, YESTERDAY TO FORM A WORK GROUP TO WORK THROUGH THIS TIME TOGETHER, SO, WE WILL BE DOING THAT AS WELL. I DON'T WANT TO SUGGEST THAT EVERYTHING WILL BE ANSWERED IN A MAGIC DOCUMENT.

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BUT, IT WILL BE THE BEGINNING, I THINK YOU CAN LOOK AT THE CBAS GUIDANCE TO THE LEL OF SUPPORT AND INFORMATION WE ARE ABLE TO PROVIDE. WORKING WITH FOLKS AS THIS EVOLVES OVER WEEKS AND MONTHS AND KNOW THE VALUE OF BRINGING PEOPLE TOGETHER, AND KNOW WHAT NEEDS TO BE BALANCED IN TERMS OF SAFETY.

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FOR PARTICIPANTS AND THE STAFF. I WANT TO SAY HIGH CAP, I SAW YOU IN THE COMMENT, THAT WILL BE NEXT, ONE AT A TIME, QUICKLY AS WE CAN, AND THANK YOU FOR SURFACING THAT AS WELL.

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>> THANK YOU, BEFORE WE TURN TO CONGRESSMENS I WANT TO REMIND YOU WE DID NOT GET TO YOUR QUESTION, OR THINK OF THEM AS YOU LOG OFF, E-MAIL YOUR COMMENTS OR QUESTIONS TO COMMUNICATIONS, E-MAIL IS THERE ON THE SLIDE. WITH THAT I WILL URN IT OVER FOR CLOSING COMMENTS.

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>> GRATITUDE TO ALL OF YOU, THANK YOU, ABSOLUTELY WHERE THE OUT REACH CAMPAIGN WE ARE THINKING ABOUT IS ADDRESSING QUESTIONS AND CONCERNS AND MAKING ACCESS EASY SXHEPING US GET TO OVER 90% OF OLDER ADULT ANDS FAMILIES AND CAREGIVERS VACCINATED A AS WELL. THANK YOU SO MUCH, FOLLOW UP TO COME ON EVERYTHING FROM REOPENING TO PARTNERSHIPS.