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To: Select Medi-Cal PCPs and IPAs

From: IEHP – Practice Transformation

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Subject: NOW AVAILABLE: Equity and Practice Transformation (EPT) Program Application

As shared last week, the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) is launching the **Equity and Practice Transformation (EPT) program**, a one-time \$700 million program focused on transforming primary care practices to advance health equity and reduce disparities. The maximum amount a provider can apply for is based on Medi-Cal assigned lives, across all plans with which the provider contracts. For example, a practice with 3,000 assigned lives is eligible for \$1M in funding over the 5 years of the program and these funds can be used for activities such as electronic health record enhancements, population health management tools, quality improvement projects, patient outreach efforts, and other activities.

The application for this competitive funding opportunity is now available.

Practices are encouraged to first complete a standard practice assessment tool which is available here: <https://phminitiative.com/phmcat/>

We are excited DHCS has released the link to the [application](#). As a reminder, this must be filled out in one sitting by someone with signing authority from the practice. We recommend that practices review and consider responses using the [Application Instructions](#) before filling out the actual application.

★ The application must be completed and submitted by **October 23, 2023**.

Assistance for smaller practices to complete the application is also available. Please email EPTProgram@iehp.org for more information or to request assistance.

If you're receiving this via blast fax, and wish to receive a copy of the Power Point and other notices about the EPT program via email, please send your request to providercommunication@iehp.org

If you have further questions, please reach us at EPTProgram@iehp.org

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