

Proposed Budget Fiscal Year 2009-10

Department of Health and Human Services
June 11, 2009

Department Summary

Reductions

Total Expenditures	\$	20,206,063
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Total Revenues \$ 6,397,063

Net County Cost \$ 13,809,000

Total Staff Positions 147.6 FTE

Primary Health

Reductions

Total Expenditures

\$ 2,377,263

Total Revenues

\$ 0

Net County Cost

\$ 2,377,263

Total Staff Positions

23.8 FTE

Primary Health

County Medically Indigent Services Program (CMISP) – Case Management Services:

 Reduction in staff will significantly increase referral processing time and increase delays for medical appointments

Clinic Services:

- Closure of Del Paso Clinic
- Reduction in non-mandated Chest Clinic services
 - Care of low-risk, non-infectious tuberculosis patients will be transferred to their primary care provider
 - Services, including Direct Observation Therapy (DOT), will continue to be provided for active, infectious tuberculosis cases and their high risk contacts

Reductions

Total Expenditures

Public Health Laboratory:

- Inability to respond 24/7
- Delays in test results for diseases such as tuberculosis and rabies which could result in increased disease and deaths

Community Health Promotion, Communicable Disease Control & Epidemiology:

 Significant increase in Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STD) because of the reduction in prevention and education messages and STD Controller

Maternal Child and Adolescent Health:

- Loss of medical support for CPS
- Loss of nursing capacity to respond to an epidemic
- Loss of administrative support to Public Health Nursing
- Elimination of additional programs to be discussed 6/16/09

Full Impacts to be discussed 6/16/09

Dental Disease Prevention & Education:

- Elimination of the entire Dental Health Program
- 30,000 children no longer served

Maternal, Child & Adolescent Health:

- Elimination of the Nurse Family Partnership Program
- Increase in caseloads and waiting lists for Public Health Nursing services
- Increase in incidence of preventable deaths, child abuse/neglect and childhood illnesses and injuries
- Reduced capacity to respond to CPS referrals
- Reduced capacity to respond to epidemics

Senior and Adult Services

Reductions

Total E	Expenditures
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\$ 6,945,393

\$ 3,226,814

Net County Cost

\$ 3,718,579

Total Staff Positions

54.6 FTE

Senior and Adult Services

In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) – Administration:

- Reduction of 46.6 FTE in addition to mid-year loss of 32.0 positions; this represents a 36% decrease in staff, leaving more than 9,000 cases without social worker
 - Restored 2 Social Workers by reducing 1 Program Manager
- Creation of a Wait List for applicants
- Increase in overdue renewals
- Increase in County costs for provider payments (more residual cases at 35% county cost vs. 17.5% county cost)
- Increase of County liability due to potential death/injury of IHSS applicants/consumers when services not provided in timely manner as mandated by law

Senior and Adult Services

Adult Protective Services (APS):

- Elimination of investigations of financial abuse to more than 1,000 seniors and dependent adults who are victims of financial abuse and scams; this represents 19% of the abuse reports
- Elimination of contracts for emergency beds, food and shelter for placement of abused seniors
- Reduce emergency response services to the extent staffing is available
- Inability to provide 24/7 response to reports of abuse
- Increase of County liability due to potential death/injury of APS seniors and dependent adults when services not provided in timely manner as mandated by law

Birth & Beyond

Reductions

iotai Expenditures	\$ 1,829,123
Total Revenues	\$ 463,408

Net County Cost \$ 1,365,715

Results in total loss of clinical supervision on cases for paraprofessional home visitors to identify/assess issues of safety and risk

Child Protective Services

Reductions

Total Expenditures \$	2,531,151
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Total Revenues \$ 1,005,892

Net County Cost \$ 1,525,259

Total Staff Positions 3.0 FTE

Child Protective Services

- Elimination of Public Consulting Group Inc. contract for SSI application services
- Reductions in School District contracts for Independent Living Program
- Reduction in administrative support staff

Office of Director

Reductions

Total Staff Positions	17.0 FTE
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Total Contract Positions 40.0 FTE

Reductions in administrative unit staff and IT contractors will result in remaining staff absorbing the workload.

Juvenile Medical Services (JMS)

Reductions

Total Expenditures

Juvenile Medical Services (JMS)

- Elimination of daily nurse sick call and nursing assessments prior to booking
- Curtailment of physician care from current six days per week to five
- Delays in required medical attention as a result of incidents in the facility
- Increase in number of patients sent out to emergency rooms for medical care at higher cost
- Increase of County liability when services fall below the mandated level of care

In Home Supportive Services (IHSS) – Provider Payments

Net County Cost

Proposed Budget

\$17,527,309

Requested Budget

\$26,057,367

FMAP at 61.6%, Growth at 8%, wages at \$10.40 with limited State participation in wages at \$9.50

Shortfall

\$8,530,058

In Home Supportive Services (IHSS) – Provider Payments

Following are several proposals in the Governors May revise state budget that could have significant impacts on the IHSS Provider Payment Budget Unit:

- Limit state participation in wages to \$8.00 effective 10/01/09
 could potentially increase county cost by \$18M over 2009-10 recommended proposed budget.
- Limit domestic and related services to recipients with a functional index rating of four and above – could potentially save the county \$600K
- Three tiered functional index proposal which limits services to those individuals in the bottom 2 tiers. The County impact has not been determined.
- IHSS fraud initiative which involves several proposals. The County impact has not been determined.

Health and Medical Treatment Payments

BRMS Contract \$26.6M

Sutter, Mercy &

Specialty Care \$22.0M

California Children's

Services \$ 1.1M

Overhead \$ 1.0M

Realignment (\$18.0M)

Cigarette Tax (\$ 0.3M)

Net County Cost \$32.4M

Changes from 5/14/09 Budget Workshop

Tobacco Litigation Settlement (TLS) Funds were reduced for the following programs:

Birth & Beyond

\$ 1,365,715

Full Impacts to be discussed 6/16/09

•	Nurse Family	y Partnership	(David Olds)	\$ 1,141,453
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•	Tobacco Education	845,000
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•	Child Health	& Disability	Prevention	186,370
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•	Dental Prevention	99,000
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•	Chlamydia	59,723
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• TLS Contract Monitor 95,282

Changes from 5/14/09 Budget Workshop

Juvenile Medical Services:

- Sacramento County Boys Ranch restored (\$573,280)
- Juvenile Hall Youth Detention Facility unfunded (\$1,101,144)