

Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Timeframes

Go Live Timing	Counties	Populations of Focus	Description/Criteria
<p style="text-align: center;">January 1, 2022</p> <p>Existing Whole Person Care Programs will transition into the new ECM benefit</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Adults and Families – Homelessness</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Adults and Families who:</p> <p>(1) Are experiencing homelessness (as defined by U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)) or at risk of becoming homeless</p> <p>AND</p> <p>(2) Have at least one complex physical, behavioral, or developmental health need with inability to successfully self- manage, for whom coordination of services would likely result in improved health outcomes and decreased utilization of high-cost services.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Marin</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mendocino</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Adults – At Risk for Avoidable Hospital or ED Utilization</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Adults who:</p> <p>(1) Had Five or more emergency room visits in a six-month period that could have been avoided with appropriate outpatient care or improved treatment adherence;</p> <p>AND/OR</p> <p>(2) Had Three or more unplanned hospital and/or short-term skilled nursing facility (SNF) stays in a six-month period that could have been avoided with appropriate outpatient care or improved treatment adherence</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Napa</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Shasta</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sonoma</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Adults – Serious Mental Health (SMH) and/or Substance Use Disorder (SUD)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Adults who:</p> <p>(1) meet the eligibility criteria for participating in, or obtaining services through: SMHS delivered by MHPs; The Drug Medi-Cal Organization Delivery System (DMC-ODS) or the Drug Medi-Cal (DMC) program;</p> <p>AND</p> <p>(2) Are experiencing at least one complex social factor influencing their health (e.g., lack of access to food, lack of access to stable housing, inability to work or engage in the community, high measure (four or more) of ACEs based on screening, former foster youth, history of recent contacts with law enforcement related to mental health and/or substance use symptoms;</p> <p>AND</p> <p>(3) Meet one or more of the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Are at high risk for institutionalization, overdoses, and/or suicide; (b) Use crisis services, EDs, urgent care, or inpatient stays as the primary source of care; (c) Experienced two or more ED visits or two of more hospitalizations due to serious mental health or SUD in the past 12 months; (d) Are pregnant or postpartum

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<p>July 1, 2022</p> <p>Counties without existing Whole Person Care Programs</p>	<p>Del Norte - Humboldt - Lake Lassen - Modoc - Napa - Siskiyou Solano - Trinity - Yolo</p>	<p>Adults and Families – Homelessness</p>	<p>Adults and Families who:</p> <p>(1) Are experiencing homelessness (as defined by U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)) or at risk of becoming homeless AND (2) Have at least one complex physical, behavioral, or developmental health need with inability to successfully self- manage, for whom coordination of services would likely result in improved health outcomes and decreased utilization of high-cost services.</p>
		<p>Adults – At Risk for Avoidable Hospital or ED Utilization</p>	<p>Adults who:</p> <p>(1) Had Five or more emergency room visits in a six-month period that could have been avoided with appropriate outpatient care or improved treatment adherence; AND/OR (2) Had Three or more unplanned hospital and/or short-term skilled nursing facility (SNF) stays in a six-month period that could have been avoided with appropriate outpatient care or improved treatment adherence</p>
		<p>Adults – Serious Mental Health (SMH) and/or Substance Use Disorder (SUD)</p>	<p>Adults who:</p> <p>(1) meet the eligibility criteria for participating in, or obtaining services through: (i) SMHS delivered by MHPs; (ii) The Drug Medi-Cal Organization Delivery System (DMC-ODS) or the Drug Medi-Cal (DMC) program; AND (2) Are experiencing at least one complex social factor influencing their health (e.g., lack of access to food, lack of access to stable housing, inability to work or engage in the community, high measure (four or more) of ACEs based on screening, former foster youth, history of recent contacts with law enforcement related to mental health and/or substance use symptoms; AND (3) Meet one or more of the following criteria: (a) Are at high risk for institutionalization, overdoses, and/or suicide; (b) Use crisis services, EDs, urgent care, or inpatient stays as the primary source of care; (c) Experienced two or more ED visits or two of more hospitalizations due to serious mental health or SUD in the past 12 months; (d) Are pregnant or postpartum</p>

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January 1, 2023 All counties and additional populations of focus	Del Norte - Humboldt - Lake Lassen - Marin - Mendocino Modoc - Napa - Shasta - Siskiyou Solano - Sonoma - Trinity - Yolo	Adults – Living in the Community and At Risk for Long Term Care (LTC) Institutionalization	Adults who: (1) Are living in the community who meet the SNF Level of Care criteria OR who require lower-acuity skilled nursing, such as time-limited and/or intermittent medical and nursing services, support, and/or equipment for prevention, diagnosis, or treatment of acute illness or injury; AND (2) Are actively experiencing at least one complex social or environmental factor influencing their health; AND (3) Are able to reside continuously in the community with wraparound supports
		Adult – Nursing Facility Residents Transitioning to the Community	Adult Nursing Facility residents who: (1) Are interested in moving out of the institution; AND (2) Are likely candidates to do so successfully; AND (3) Are able to reside continuously in the community

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		Children and Youth – Enrolled in California Children’s Services (CSS) or CCS Whole Child Model (WCM) with Additional Needs Beyond the CCS Condition	Children and Youth who: (1) Are enrolled in CCS or CCS WCM AND (2) Are experiencing at least one complex social factor influencing their health. Examples include (but are not limited to) lack of access to food; lack of access to stable housing; difficulty accessing transportation; high measure (four or more) of ACEs screening; history of recent contacts with law enforcement; or crisis intervention services related to mental health and/or substance use symptoms
		Children and Youth – Involved in Child Welfare	Children and Youth who: (1) Are under age 21 and are currently receiving foster care in California; or (2) Are under age 21 and previously received foster care in California or another state within the last 12 months; or (3) Have aged out of foster care up to age 26 (having been in foster care on their 18 th birthday or later) in California or another state; or (4) Are under age 18 and are eligible for and/or in California’s Adoption Assistance Program (5) Are under 18 and are currently receiving or have received services from California’s Family Maintenance Program within the last 12 months

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<p>July 1, 2023 <i>(cont.)</i></p> <p>All counties and additional populations of focus</p>	<p>Del Norte - Humboldt - Lake Lassen - Marin - Mendocino Modoc - Napa - Shasta - Siskiyou Solano - Sonoma - Trinity - Yolo</p>	<p>Children and Youth – Serious Mental Health (SMH) and/or Substance Use Disorder (SUD)</p>	<p>Children and Youth who:</p> <p>(1) Meet the eligibility criteria for participation in, or obtaining services through one or more of:</p>
		<p>Children and Youth – At Risk for Avoidable Hospital or ED Utilization</p>	<p>Children and Youth who:</p> <p>(1) Had Three or more ED visits in a 12-month period that could have been avoided with appropriate outpatient care or improved treatment adherence; OR (2) Had Two or more unplanned hospital and/or short-term skilled nursing facility (SNF) stays in a 12-month period that could have been avoided with appropriate outpatient care or improved treatment adherence</p>
		<p>Adults and Youth – Pregnancy & Postpartum</p>	<p>Adults and Youth who:</p> <p>(1) Are pregnant or are postpartum (through 12 months period)</p>
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<p>January 1, 2024</p> <p>All counties, including expansion counties, and Populations of Focus</p>	<p>Butte - Colusa - Del Norte Glenn - Humboldt - Lake Lassen - Marin - Mendocino Modoc - Napa - Nevada Placer - Plumas - Shasta Sierra - Siskiyou - Solano Sonoma - Sutter - Tehama Trinity - Yolo - Yuba</p>	<p>Adults – Transitioning from Incarceration</p>	<p>Adults who:</p> <p>(1) Are transitioning from a correctional facility (e.g., prison, jail, or youth correctional facility) or transitioned from correctional facility within the past 12 months; AND (2) Have at least one of the following conditions: (a) Mental Illness; (b) SUD; (c) Chronic Condition/Significant Non-Chronic Clinical Condition; (d) Intellectual or Developmental Disability (I/DD); (e) Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) (f) HIV/AIDS; (g) Pregnant or Postpartum</p>
		<p>Children and Youth – Transitioning from a Youth Correctional Facility</p>	<p>Children and Youth who:</p> <p>(1) Are transitioning from a youth correctional facility or transitioned from being in a youth correctional facility within the past 12 months.</p>
		<p>Adults and Youth – Birth Equity</p>	<p>Adults and Youth who:</p> <p>(1) Are Pregnant or Postpartum (12 months period) AND (2) Are subject to racial and ethnic disparities as defined by California public health data on maternal morbidity and mortality</p>

Note: As of January 1, 2024, all of the above Populations of Focus are available for Butte, Colusa, Glenn, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sierra, Sutter, Tehama, and Yuba counties.