STATE OF CALIFORNIA—HEALTH AND WELFARE AGENCY

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES
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TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS
CHILD HEALTH AND DISABILITY PREVENTION DIRECTORS AND DEPUTY DIRECTORS
CALIFORNIA CHILDREN'S SERVICES ADMINISTRATORS
COUNTY CHILDREN'S MEDICAL SERVICES PROGRAMS

SUBJECT: A PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COLLABORATION INVOLVING DENTAL AND CHILDREN'S SERVICES PROFESSIONALS: PANDA PROGRAM AND "BABY BOTTLE TOOTH DECAY SYNDROME"

Both the California Department of Health Services (CDHS) and the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) are committed to strengthening families and improving the health and welfare of children. The purpose of this ACIN is to announce an initiative which will result in increased collaboration toward these goals and to enlist your cooperation.

Dental problems are as serious as any other type of untreated wound; neglecting treatment can lead to complications affecting the entire body. In the course of their work, dental professionals often detect facial and oral indicators that abuse or neglect may have occurred. In order to better protect children and promote good oral health, two new programs have been implemented.

The PANDA Program:

PANDA (Prevent Abuse and Neglect Through Dental Awareness) is a collaboration between CDSS, CDHS, Delta Dental Plan of California, dental schools, and private agencies concerned about the prevention of child abuse/neglect.

PANDA was announced at a press conference on September 9, 1994. Training will be provided to dental professionals to recognize and report signs of child abuse/neglect.

The PANDA training will be conducted by Delta Dental which will contact you in advance of each training activity in your area to invite you to assign a representative to assure that such training is responsive to local needs and that the trainers communicate accurately the type of information your Emergency Response workers need to receive. We anticipate that this training may increase the volume of reports in some areas.

Baby Bottle Tooth Decay Syndrome:

In an effort to increase awareness by staff who provide services to children and families of the importance of dental health as an integral part of children's well-being and to begin to influence better parenting practices in this area, your local Child Health and Disability Prevention (CHDP) program may be able to provide no-cost training to your staff on "Baby Bottle Tooth Decay." This syndrome is increasingly being recognized as a serious consequence of inappropriate parenting practices. We hope, by this letter, to encourage county welfare departments (CWD) and local CHDP programs to communicate with each other for the purpose of arranging training for appropriate CWD staff. The training module is flexible in that its duration and intensity can be modified to accommodate local needs.

A list of CWD and CHDP programs is attached for your convenience.

Thank you for your participation in this often overlooked area of our children's welfare.

If you have any questions, please contact Renee Nolte Newton, CDHS, Children's Medical Services Branch at (916) 653-4860 or Rick Kraft, CDSS, Office of Child Abuse Prevention at (916) 324-3041.

Sincerely,

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Attachments

c: County Welfare Directors Association

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