



Maternal and Child Health Access

-MCHA Advocate Update-

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HEALTH CARE PROGRAM ALTERNATIVES IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Healthy Families has halted new enrollment into the program and established a wait list for applicants that did not have an approved case as of close of business on July 17, 2009.

Please take every opportunity to remind families to make their Healthy Families premium payments and to complete their Annual Eligibility Review on time!

What can you do for a child or teen that does not qualify for Full Scope Medi-Cal or is put on the Healthy Families wait list? [CLICK HERE](#)

ACCESS FOR INFANTS AND MOTHERS PROGRAM (AIM)

Due to advocacy on the part of Maternal and Child Health Access, MRMIB has updated the Access for Infants and Mothers web site to include sample forms to document self employment income (profit and loss), self affidavit of income, employer letter, rental income, gifts, and child care expenses. These documents can be accessed by [CLICKING HERE](#)

MEDI-CAL NEWBORN ENROLLMENT TOOL KIT

Maternal and Child Health Access is making available in one place its flyers and instructions for successfully enrolling in Medi-Cal a newborn or infant (up to one year old). These materials can be used with women postpartum in the hospital or prenatally in clinics and providers' offices. It is a "Best Practice" to have a pregnant woman on Medi-Cal fill out a Newborn Referral Form in anticipation of her baby's arrival, and send it after the baby's birth if the new mom can't get hold of her Eligibility Worker. Furthermore, infants enrolled in this way are designated as already having fulfilled the Deficit Reduction Act requirement to show proof of citizenship and identity.

To access the Newborn Enrollment Tool [CLICK HERE](#)

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