



DEPARTMENT OF  
**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

Promoting and protecting health, well-being, self-sufficiency, and safety of all in Marin County.



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Dear Colleagues,

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Many of us are wondering about the election's implications for local programs and services. It is premature to speculate about specifics, but it is likely there will be significant changes in Federal policy and funding.

For many, this is a challenging time. Please know however, that Marin Health and Human Services (HHS) is fully committed to ensuring that services meet the needs of all people in Marin. Enrollment in Medi-Cal remains open, and there have been no changes in eligibility or benefits. Marin's primary care clinics are continuing to accept new patients and are providing excellent primary care regardless of income, immigration status, or other factors. For more information on these and other programs, please go to <https://www.marinhhs.org/community-resource-guide> or call HHS Public Assistance at 415.473.3400.

HHS will continue to monitor for significant shifts at the Federal or State level that may affect local services. But regardless of what lies ahead, HHS will have an unwavering commitment to strengthening our service-delivery systems, building stronger community partnerships and improving health equity. By working together across our beautiful county, we will continue to promote and protect the health, well-being, self-sufficiency and safety for all in Marin.

My best,

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