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Coordinated Care Initiative Update

Governor Brown's May Revision garnered a new start date and enrollment approach for the Coordinated Care Initiative (CCI). The revision includes Cal MediConnect, dual eligible beneficiary enrollment into Medi-Cal managed care, and the inclusion of long-term services and supports (LTSS) as a Medi-Cal managed care benefit. Beneficiaries in the eight CCI counties will enroll into Medi-Cal managed care plans no sooner than January 1, 2014, and most counties will phase-in enrollment over a 12-month period. This revision projects a savings of \$119.6 million to the General Fund in 2013-14.



California's 8 Participating Counties

CCI marked an important step toward transforming California's Medicaid care delivery system to better serve low-income seniors and persons with disabilities.

CCI will also integrate the delivery of medical, behavioral, and long-term care services. It also provides a guideline for integrating Medicare and Medi-Cal for people in both programs ("dual eligible" beneficiaries). The eight CCI counties are Alameda, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Mateo, and Santa Clara. These counties have existing health plans that have Medi-Cal health plans experienced in providing Medicare managed care.

This is a positive impact for Family Bridges, as nearly all of our clients who participate with our Community-Based Adult Services (CBAS), Hong Fook Center are dual eligible beneficiaries. Come January 2014, Hong Fook along with other LTSS providers will be part of a large coordinated effort by the health plans to deliver the most seamless and highest quality of care.

Another One for the Shelf!: Corinne Jan's Award

In March, our CEO, Corinne Jan received the Humanitarian Award from the [Multiethnic Sports Hall of Fame](#) for her work with seniors. Congratulations, Corinne for this well-deserved honor!

LMCC & Hong Lok Senior Center Move



Temporary LMCC site at 7th Street



Roy Chan of OACC and Corinne Jan in front of OACC/temporary Hong Lok site

On May 6, our Lake Merritt Childcare Center (LMCC) moved to a new site at our 7th Street, Hong Lok Senior Center. There, the students enjoy the community garden and an open outside area. The kids and parents like the new location, but since it is only a temporary solution we are hoping to find our young students a new permanent childcare center by the end of the year.

Meanwhile, The Hong Lok Senior Center moved to the facilities of the [Oakland Asian Cultural Center](#) (OACC). There, members enjoy a larger ballroom for

social dancing as well as their regular activities, but as Dorothy once said, "There's no place like home". They hope to return to the 7th Street location by the end of the year- hopefully, by then, our youngest and eldest members will both be in their own permanent centers.

If you have any suggestions for a new LMCC site, please let us know! We are looking for a place that has a safe surrounding environment, an outdoor playground, in the proximity of Oakland Chinatown, and has convenient traffic for safe pick-ups and drop-offs.

45 Years Strong!

On Saturday, June 15, Family Bridges celebrated 45 years of dutiful service to the Bay Area at the Oakland Marriott City Center! In front of over 500 guests, we proudly presented our Kenneth Hoh Award to Asian [Network Pacific Home Care & Asian Network Hospice](#), for their decades of innovative and caring home healthcare. Our Frank G. Mar Award went to Captain Weylin G. Eng, United States Navy, Retired, for his family's legacy of pioneerism, altruism, and activism. Guests were also entertained by LMCC's talented Dancing Group, and returning performers, The Black Pearl Project. Thanks are due to our 2013 Annual Dinner Committee, volunteers, staff, and guests for making sure this year's Annual Dinner was a night to remember!



Mayor Jean Quan, City Councilmember Pat Kernighan, Capt. Weylin & Rose Eng with CEO, Corinne Jan

Volunteer Appreciation Night

On Friday, July 12 at Peony Restaurant, Family Bridges showed appreciation to our dedicated and hard working volunteers. Without their generous contributions of time and energy, our organization would not be having the prosperous year that we have had! The evening started out with a delightful dancing performance by a few members of LMCC's Dancing Group; a heart-felt speech and poem by Corinne Jan; a delicious family-style dinner; awards for this year's Outstanding Volunteers; and ended with a rousing raffle. This was definitely a fun night for over 150 friends to be with their second family!



2013 Outstanding Volunteers

Family Bridges - Hotel Oakland Village Video Collaboration

Family Bridges and the [Hotel Oakland Village](#) have been partnering up to make a series of videos in Cantonese, featuring topics that seniors should be aware of regarding their health. Such topics include: Community-Based Adult Services, Nutrition and Diabetes, and Taking Your Medicines Safely. To see a full list of past videos, and our most current one, [click here](#).



Fiscal's Wealth of Editions

Our Fiscal Department would like to congratulate Vienna Gao on her promotion to Fiscal Coordinator; and to welcome their newest member, Brian Zhong to their team!

Senior Preparedness Academy

Hong Lok Senior Center partnered with the [Red Cross Bay Area Chapter](#) for the first time to host a "Senior Preparedness Academy". It was a four-session training for monolingual Chinese seniors where they learned how to prepare for, and respond to emergencies and disasters.



Learning CPR on dummy

The last class was held on Tuesday, July 23, and was followed by a graduation ceremony for all who successfully completed the academy. We all feel safer knowing there are more prepared people in our community!

Annual Senior Health Fair

The 9th Annual Senior Health & Information Fair was held on the morning of Friday, August 9 at the Pacific Renaissance Plaza. Every year, the purpose of the fair is to raise awareness of community resources and services for our senior community. Blood pressure screening, distribution of educational pamphlets, gifts, games, and more were offered at the fair. This year over 200 people attended.

Upcoming Event:



2013 Benefit Concert Presents

三個女人慈善演唱會

3 DIVAS Live!

2013
新組合

陳潔靈



葉麗儀



關菊英

Saturday, November 9

at the Oracle Arena in Oakland

二零一三年十一月九日(星期六)晚上七時

票價 \$168 \$138 \$108 \$78 \$48

門票將於八月三十日公開發售

Tickets on sale in August 30th

Call (510) 839-2022 for more information

For our 16th annual Benefit Concert, we proudly present three legendary stars from Hong Kong in **3 Divas Live!** On Saturday, November 9th at 7 PM, **Frances Yip (葉麗儀)**, **Elisa Chan (陳潔靈)**, and **Susanna Kwan (關菊英)** are coming to the Oracle Arena in Oakland to perform live. These three powerful pop stars are graciously traveling thousands of miles to support Family Bridges' health and social services programs. Don't miss out on your chance to advocate for our community with them!

Tickets will go on sale August 30th, prices are as follows: \$168, \$138, \$108, \$78 and \$48.

How to Get Involved with Family Bridges

No matter how you choose to be involved with Family Bridges, whether through monetary contributions or volunteerism, we are happy to have you be a part of our organization and family! For donating and volunteering opportunities, please [click here](#).