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Dear Regional Center Administrators:

## SUBJECT: NEW LOS ANGELES COUNTY ORDER REGARDING VACCINATION OF HEALTH CARE WORKERS

On August 12, 2021, a Health Officer Order was issued by the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health requiring health care or home care workers who work in or routinely visit high risk or residential care settings to be vaccinated against COVID-19 and document their vaccination status by September 30, 2021. This order applies to all individuals who are either paid or unpaid and work in indoor or other settings where care is provided to patients, patients have access for any purpose, or home care or daily living assistance is provided to residents. The requirements also apply to employees with a remote or hybrid work agreement since those who work remotely may need to visit a facility location from time to time.

Any Regional Center staff that meet these criteria specified in the order would be required to adhere to this order.

For more specific details, please review the Health Care Worker Vaccination Order and Frequently Asked Questions online at <u>reopeninglacounty.com</u>.

Sincerely,

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