

MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA

DATE REPORT ISSUED: December 22, 2020  
ATTENTION: Members, Medical Board of California (Board)  
SUBJECT: Midwifery Advisory Council (MAC) Chair Report  
CONTACT: Diane Holzer, L.M., Chair

REQUESTED ACTION:

After review and consideration, approve the following agenda items for the next MAC meeting:

- 1) Establishing goals for the MAC;
- 2) Update on midwifery related legislation and sunset review;
- 3) Report from the MAC Chair;
- 4) Update on the Midwifery Program;
- 5) Discussion and possible action on proposed regulatory language for the Licensed Midwife Annual Report (LMAR);
- 6) Approval of minutes from the December 3, 2020 MAC meeting;
- 7) Selection of two new MAC members: one licensed midwife position and one public member position;
- 8) Report from the Task Force and discussion regarding Medi-Cal related issues.

BACKGROUND:

The last MAC meeting was held on December 3, 2020. At this meeting the following actions were taken or the MAC was provided the following information:

- Approved meeting minutes from the August 20, 2020 MAC meeting;
- Received an update from the MAC chair;
- Received an update on midwifery legislation;
- Received an update on the Midwifery Program;
- Voted on 2021 MAC meeting dates;
- Received a report from the Task Force regarding the data collected on the LMAR;
- Received an update on the Sunset Review;
- Received a report from the Task Force regarding a draft letter to the Birth Certificate Clerks and Social Security offices;
- Received a report from the Task Force on action regarding legislative solution to address stalemate on creating regulations for Licensed Midwives.