

The Children's Partnership joins a coalition of child advocates to ensure that children with autism do not lose access to critical behavioral health services after their transition from Healthy Families to Medi-Cal. "The state needs to address this urgent situation immediately and ensure children in Medi-Cal receive medically necessary behavioral health therapies," said Wendy Lazarus, Founder & Co-President of The Children's Partnership. "Because of this serious problem, the state should not move forward with any future phases of the Healthy Families transition until the issue is resolved and continuity of care can be assured."

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