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<b>Title:</b> Quarterly report to the court on the implementation of the <u>sobky v. smoley</u> decision -- request for medi-cal beneficiary information		<b>Issue Date:</b> 12-23-97  <b>Expiration Date:</b>	<b>Issue No.</b> 97-69
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On November 28, 1994, the Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs (ADP) filed a plan with the federal court for implementing the mandates of the Order for Permanent Injunction in the Sobky v. Smoley decision. A part of the implementation plan is the filing of a quarterly status report with the court through December 31, 1997.

Enclosed is the "Medi-Cal Beneficiary Information Survey, Narcotic Treatment Program (NTP) Provider Quarterly Report." The survey collects information on the number of slots designated by providers as available to Medi-Cal beneficiaries, whether any beneficiaries were placed on the "Provider Waiting List Record" due **only** to a lack of Medi-Cal funds, and the earliest date a beneficiary was placed on the list. Survey results are included in the quarterly report submitted to the court. In the report, an asterisk (\*) in the column for reporting the number of slots available to Medi-Cal beneficiaries indicates that the provider did not respond. Please refer to the survey instructions for information on completing the survey.

For your convenience in responding, a postage-paid, pre-addressed envelope is enclosed. The completed survey may also be FAXed to Saralee Dinelli, Program and Fiscal Policy Branch, at (916) 323-0653. To enable us to meet the due date for filing the report with the court, and to eliminate the need for ADP staff to make follow-up calls to providers from whom we have not received a completed survey by the due date, please complete and submit the survey as soon as possible.



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Questions or comments on completing the survey may be directed to Saralee Dinelli, Associate Program Analyst, Program and Fiscal Policy Branch, at (916) 327-4868. As we come to the end of reporting requirement, we thank you for your cooperation in completing the surveys. Without your cooperation we could not have met the reporting mandates of the Court Order.

Enclosure: [Medi-Cal Beneficiary Information Survey](#)