



# COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 1/31/2023

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**To:** Board of Supervisors

**From:** Supervisor Steve Madrone

**Agenda Section:** Initiated by Board Member

**Vote Requirement:** Majority

**SUBJECT:**

Presentation on Direct Contracting Entities (DCE's) and ACO-REACH (Accountable Care Organizations - Realizing Equity, Access, and Community Health) Programs Impacting the Medicare Program (Supervisor Steve Madrone)

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Hear the presentation; and
2. Consider sending a letter opposing the privatization of Medicare.

**SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

N/A

**DISCUSSION:**

Corinne Frugoni, M.D. and Patty Harvey, Co-Directors of Health Care for All/Physicians for a National Health Program - Humboldt will give a brief presentation on the DCE's and ACO-REACH programs impacting Medicare and attempts to fully privatize the Medicare program.

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

N/A

**STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK:**

This action supports your Board's Strategic Framework by providing community-appropriate levels of service.

**OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:**

N/A

**ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:**

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Board discretion

ATTACHMENTS:

- A. Draft letter of opposition

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No.: N/A

Meeting of: N/A

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