

California's Coordinated Care Initiative Questions? Email info@calduals.org

Date Patient Name Address City, CA ZIP

Dear (Type patient's name here):

Cal MediConnect is a type of health care plan that will combine your medical, mental health, and long-term services and supports into one health plan. Cal MediConnect plans will help you coordinate your care and your Medicare and Medi-Cal services. This will help you, your doctors, and caregivers work together to get you the care you need and help you live a healthy life.

If you are eligible for Cal MediConnect, you can make a choice about how you want to receive your Medicare and Medi-Cal benefits. Joining Cal MediConnect is your choice. If you do not want to join a Cal MediConnect plan, you can keep your Medicare the way it is now. You will have to choose a Medi-Cal plan for your Medi-Cal benefits. You will not lose your Medicare or Medi-Cal benefits no matter what you choose. Joining a health plan does not cost you anything.

As your doctor, I want to make sure you have the information you need to understand your options and make the best choice for you. I am part of Cal MediConnect so whether or not you join, I can still be your doctor.

You can also contact my office at (XXX) XXX-XXXX to find out which Cal MediConnect plans we accept.

Sincerely,

(Type your name here), M.D. Enclosure