

## **MEDICAL HUB SERVICES RECOMMENDATION**

It is respectfully recommended that the court make the following order:

“DCFS is hereby ordered to maintain Medical Hub medical services for the child(ren) [enter child’s name]. DCFS shall submit the referral form to the appropriate Medical Hub as soon as possible to initiate services in a timely manner. Services shall include, but are not limited to, initial medical evaluation, mental health screening, and dental screening along with required follow up and ongoing routine medical care provided by the Medical Hub, or other community medical, mental health, and dental providers. The Court orders the release of any and all medical records in DCFS’ possession regarding the child(ren) [enter child’s name] to the Medical Hub provider for the coordination of care and treatment of the child(ren) [enter child’s name] as specified in this order unless release by CFS is otherwise prohibited by law. Information regarding the Medical Hub services and any report prepared by the Medical Hub or other medical provider must be provided to DCFS for the coordination of care, treatment, and supervision of the child. Such information shall not include the details of therapeutic sessions or statements made by the child(ren) unless there is a legally permissible basis to do so. Further, pursuant to Welfare an Institutions Code Sections 5328.04 and Civil Code Section 56.103 information disclosed pursuant to this order may not be admitted into evidence in any criminal or delinquency proceeding against the child. Nothing in this section shall prohibit identical evidence derived solely from other lawful means from being admissible in a criminal proceeding nor is intended to prohibit a health care provider from providing care to a minor or disclosing health information about a minor to DCFS if there is a legally permissible basis to do so. DCFS is to regularly update the Court and all parties to this case, and their legal counsel, regarding the status of the Medical Hub assessment and follow-up care and treatment provided.”

