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TO: All Local Health Officers and Health Directors

**COVID-19 ELC Enhancing Detection and ELC Expansion  
Funding Extension**

Dear Local Health Officers and Directors:

This letter serves as official notification of the following funding period extensions:

1. ELC Enhancing Detection (\$286 million) funding was provided to local health departments through the federal Paycheck Protection Program and Health Care Enhancement Act. The funding period was originally May 18, 2020 through November 17, 2022 and has now been modified to **May 18, 2020 through July 31, 2024.**
2. ELC Enhancing Detection Expansion (\$1.1 billion) was provided to local health departments through the Coronavirus Preparedness and Response Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2020. The funding period was originally January 15, 2021 through July 31, 2023 and has now been modified to **January 15, 2021 through July 31, 2024.**

Additional reports will be added to the reporting schedule to accommodate the extended period of service for both grants. Please see attached updated reporting schedule.

The allocation to your jurisdiction for both ELC Enhancing Detection and ELC Enhancing Detection Expansion grants will remain unchanged. All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

If you have any questions or need further clarification, please reach out to [CDPHELC@cdph.ca.gov](mailto:CDPHELC@cdph.ca.gov).

Sincerely,

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