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TO: Healthy San Diego Health Plans
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MEETING DATE SET WITH TEXAS STAR+PLUS EXPERTS

I am pleased to announce that we will have the opportunity to meet with two executives of one of the contracting health plans for the Texas StarPlus Program. They will provide an overview of that program at **the October Planning Committee meeting re-scheduled for Friday, Oct 26, from 10:30 AM until noon, at Aging & Independence Services in the Training Room.** The Texas StarPlus Program is the model closest to San Diego's "vision" for acute and long term care integration.

Members of the Finance/Data Workgroup and the Health Plans are invited to an "after meeting" immediately following the Planning Committee meeting, in the same room. Lunch will be provided and the experts from Texas will provide a more specific presentation on their model: including, concurrent 1915(b) and (c) waivers, waiver "slots", problems experienced in start-up and implementation, etc. There will be time for questions and answers. **Put these meetings on your schedule now—you won't want to miss this important opportunity!** (Also, I need your sandwich preference!)

Please call me (858-495-5428) or e-mail me with any questions! See you on the 26th!