# Technical Assistance for Eligible Providers to Achieve Meaningful Use

CalOptima is offering no-cost technical assistance for eligible Orange County providers who need support implementing certified electronic health records (EHR) technology, and attesting to meaningful use to qualify for payments from the Medi-Cal Electronic Health Records Incentive Program.

## CalOptima's California Technical Assistance Program

The California Technical Assistance Program was launched in November 2015, with $37.5 million in federal and state funds to provide technical assistance to 7,500 eligible professional throughout the State. CalOptima is one of four organizations selected by the California Department of Health Care Services/Office of Health Information Technology to offer free support services to eligible providers. The comprehensive, free of cost services include:

- **Education and outreach** about effective strategies to select, implement, and meaningfully use certified EHR technology
- **EHR implementation assistance** including planning, project management, on-site coaching, consultation, and troubleshooting through the entire EHR implementation process
- **Practice and workflow redesign** to achieve meaningful use of EHR technology, and updating workflow processes to ensure continuous quality improvement
- **Assistance in achieving requirements** and advancing through the stages of meaningful use
- **Help with connecting to a health information exchange** to securely access and share essential medical information electronically
- **Support services to successfully submit attestations** on the State Level Registry to qualify for payments from the Medi-Cal Electronic Health Records Incentive Program

## Eligibility Requirements to Participate

CalOptima is focused on assisting eligible providers practicing in Orange County, that are registered with CalOptima Direct, the CalOptima Community Network, or one of CalOptima's comprehensive affiliate health networks for Medi-Cal. Eligible providers include physicians, nurse practitioners, certified nurse midwives, dentists, optometrists, and certain physician assistants. A minimum of 30% Medi-Cal patient volume (20% for pediatricians), during a 90-day period in the preceding calendar year is necessary to qualify for the Medi-Cal Electronic Health Records Incentive Program.

## Contact Us to Determine Your Eligibility

The CalOptima TechAssist Program is available to assist you in determining your eligibility for support services through the California Technical Assistance Program, and your eligibility for the Medi-Cal Electronic Health Records Incentive Program.

Call (855) 241-1145 or email techassist@caloptima.org us to determine your eligibility.