

# Notice of Public Hearing

March 7, 2017

---

The Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado will conduct a PUBLIC HEARING pursuant to Health and Safety Code Section 1442.5, on the elimination of and/or reductions in the level of laboratory services provided by the County, and/or the closing of County Public Health Laboratory. The hearing will be held at the following time and place:

March 21, 2017, 10:00 a.m.

Board of Supervisors  
Board of Supervisors Meeting Room  
330 Fair Lane, Building A  
Placerville, CA 95667

At the hearing, the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors will consider the impact on the health care needs of the County's indigent population of the implementation of the changes set forth herein. Public testimony, both oral and written, will be accepted at this hearing.

Further information is available by telephoning the Health and Human Services Agency at  
(530) 621-6100

---

## **BEILENSON NOTICE FISCAL YEAR 2016-17**

### Reduction of Public Health Laboratory Services

The Public Health Laboratory supports Public Health programs and provides specimen laboratory services for residents of the County as well as non-County operated hospitals in El Dorado County.

Site: 931 Spring Street, Placerville, CA 95667

Nature of Change: Transfer of Public Health Laboratory services to contracted provider.

Staff Impact: 1.0 Full Time Equivalent (FTE) Public Health Microbiologist/Director position will be vacant due to retirement.

Services Affected: The retirement of one Public Health Microbiologist/Director will leave the Public Health Laboratory without appropriately licensed staffing, thereby requiring management of lab specimen testing to be transferred to a contracted provider.

Expected Annual Savings: \$158,000