

TO:	The Honorable Senator Susan Talamantes Eggman, Chair Senate Health Committee
FROM:	Nossaman LLP on behalf of the Monterey County Board of Supervisors
DATE:	June 9, 2023
RE:	AB 1057 (Weber) California Home Visiting Program SUPPORT

The County of Monterey is pleased to support measure Assembly Bill (AB) 1057 by Assembly Member Akiah Weber. This measure seeks to give additional flexibility to local health jurisdictions to administer more Home Visiting Programs that address the unique needs of their communities and provide support to families who need it most

AB 1057 will accomplish three objectives. It will allow local health departments the flexibility to use any other federally approved home visiting model. It will also permit local health departments the opportunity to supplement home visiting with mental health supports and training. Lastly, local health jurisdictions will have the opportunity to submit an alternative public health nursing model that prioritizes the unique needs of the individual in that jurisdiction.

For these reasons, the County of Monterey pleased to support AB 1057. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the County's Public Policy Advisor, Ashley Walker of Nossaman LLP at 916-442-8888.

Sincerely,

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