

**Examples of Education Wording vs.
Health Wording to be used in samples**

<u>Education World</u>	=	<u>Health World</u>
Behavior health plans	=	Mental Health Service Plans
Counseling services	=	Mental Health Counseling Services
Vision & Hearing screenings	=	Non-mandated Vision & Hearing screenings
Speech Service	=	Medi-Cal covered speech services
OT, PT services	=	Medi-Cal covered OT, PT services
Health plans	=	Managed care plans
Drug and Alcohol services	=	Substance abuse services
Psychological testing	=	Mental Health testing
Health testing	=	Medical diagnostics
Health Services	=	Treatment services
Health related services	=	Medi-Cal covered health related services
Healthy Families	=	Medi-Cal/Healthy Families
IEP Services	=	Medi-Cal services received in IEP
Health Needs	=	Health options & enhancements for the Medi-Cal covered services
Medication	=	Medication side effects

The wording on both sides of this chart represents the same thing. It is comparing apples to apples. However, in education we like to shorten things or use language that we are used to. Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) does not live in the education world. They live in the health world all the time and mostly oversee health agencies. We must make the wording the same so that it is understood by DHCS. We cannot take short-cuts in our samples, everything needs to be written out and the wording is essential. Please take the time to use the wording on the **health side** of this chart and please look for samples to use in your “examples of good samples” sheet enclosed in this envelope.