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## **Madera County Department of Public Health Re-Opens Coarsegold Medical Therapy Unit**

(Coarsegold, Calif.) – The satellite Medical Therapy Unit (MTU), located at Coarsegold Elementary School in Coarsegold, has re-opened to California Children’s Services (CCS) clients for physical and occupational therapy. The unit closed in 2016 but children and their families were able to continue receiving care at the MTU at Gould Educational Center in Madera. Approximately 25 families from Eastern Madera and Mariposa Counties, who are current patients of the CCS MTU program, are now able to receive services at the Coarsegold Satellite unit.

“The commitment of our families to continue to travel and receive services in Madera when our Coarsegold unit needed to close was amazing! The County and the Superintendent of Schools worked closely to help get this satellite location re-opened. We are thrilled to once again be providing services in Coarsegold, closer to our kids and their families.” replied Rebecca Gilbert, PT/OT MTU Supervisor.

The Coarsegold satellite unit is currently seeing CCS MTU children once a week. The MTU team is committed to ensuring safe, quality care for eligible children throughout Madera County. Currently there are 145 active MTU cases and over 1400 active CCS cases in Madera County.

For questions regarding California Children’s Services please call (559) 675-4645. For questions regarding the Medical Therapy Unit please call (559) 662-4819.

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