

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814



April 21, 1983

ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE I- 53-83

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: REPORT OF RSDI/UI/DI

REFERENCE:

On January 10, 1983 All-County Information Notice I-04-83 was issued informing counties that the Department of Social Services (DSS), in cooperation with the Social Security Administration (SSA) had developed a monthly report of Retirement, Survivors and Disability Insurance (RSDI) benefit payments. This report is produced from the SSA's Beneficiary and Earnings Data Exchange system, commonly referred to as BENDEX. The ACIN also provided instructions on how to interpret the data on the report. The report is designed to alert the user to changes in the RSDI income of recipients in the AFDC-FG/U, AFDC-FC, Refugee Cash Assistance (RCA), Cuban/Haitian Entrant Cash Assistance (ECA), In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS), and Medi-Cal Only programs. The report does not include recipients in the new aid code categories of Refugee Medical Assistance, Emergency Assistance, and Medically Indigent Persons at this time.

In early March 1983, the first monthly Report of RSDI was released to all 58 counties. In order to further assist in the interpretation of this report, detailed instructions and code definitions are included in Attachment A to this notice. These instructions are to be used in conjunction with those issued in ACIN I-04-83.

In an added effort to maximize the county ability to verify recipient reported income, DSS has developed another automated system that will provide a report to counties, on a monthly basis, of Unemployment Insurance and Disability Insurance (UI/DI) payments made to recipients by the Employment Development Department (EDD). Effective with the April Report of RSDI the UI/DI information will be provided in a combined report with the RSDI information. Instructions for interpreting the UI/DI payment data are included in Attachment B to this notice.

The Report of RSDI/UI/DI is being provided to the counties with the anticipation that the Eligibility Worker (EW) will be using the report during the monthly eligibility/budget computation process to verify recipient reported income. When income is underreported or not reported at all by the recipient, the EW will be able to make the necessary overpayment adjustment/recoupment.

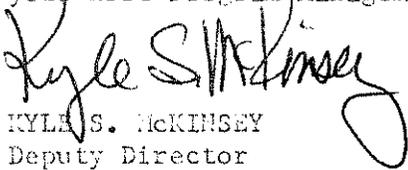
In order to complete an in-depth cost/benefit analysis of the RSDI/UI/DI Payment Verification System we are asking counties to provide DSS with the following information for the first RSDI report month (March) and the first UI/DI report month (April):

1. Amount of AFDC savings.
2. Number of cases underreporting or not reporting.
3. Amount of recoupable overpayments.

Please fill in the attached survey sheet and return by June 30, 1983 to:

AFDC Program Systems Bureau
744 P Street, M.S. 16-31
Sacramento, CA 95814

If you have any questions regarding the report or the attachments, please contact your AFDC Program Management Consultant at (916) 445-4458.


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Attachments

cc: CHDA