

**ADDENDUM TO INFORMATION ABOUT
2017 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WILDFIRES**

January 31, 2018

ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS LETTER

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

FROM: TODD R. BLAND, Deputy Director
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SUBJECT: CALIFORNIA WORK OPPORTUNITY AND RESPONSIBILITY TO
KIDS (CalWORKs) ELIGIBILITY FOR DISASTER VICTIMS AND
EVACUEES OF CALIFORNIA MAJOR WILDFIRES AND
SUBSEQUENT FLOODING AND MUDSLIDES

REFERENCE: [ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS LETTER \(ACWDL\) DATED
DECEMBER 15, 2017](#)

This letter is in reference to the January 15, 2018, amendment to the presidential disaster declaration of January 2, 2018, as well as Executive Order B-46-18 issued by Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. to include damages caused by flooding and mudslides related to the 2017 Southern California wildfires.

Please refer to the ACWDL issued December 15, 2017, for guidance on existing CalWORKs regulations and policies when processing applications or documents submitted by victims and evacuees affected by debris flow, flooding and/or mudslides related to the December 2017 wildfires from the federally designated and/or State declared disaster areas in Los Angeles, San Diego, Santa Barbara and Ventura counties.

If you have any other questions regarding the contents of this letter, please contact the CalWORKs Eligibility Bureau at (916) 654-1322.

Thank you for your commitment to providing quality service to needy families during this difficult time.