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COUNTY FISCAL LETTER (CFL) NO. 15/16-21

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS
ALL COUNTY WELFARE FISCAL OFFICERS
ALL CHIEF PROBATION OFFICERS
ALL INDEPENDENT LIVING PROGRAM COORDINATORS

SUBJECT: FISCAL YEAR 2015-16 INDEPENDENT LIVING PROGRAM
FEDERAL GRANT FINAL ALLOCATION

REFERENCE: [CFL NO. 00/01-46, DATED DECEMBER 4, 2000](#)
[CFL NO. 10/11-33, DATED DECEMBER 13, 2010](#)
[CFL NO. 10/11-48, DATED JANUARY 12, 2011](#)
[CFL NO. 11/12-18, DATED SEPTEMBER 16, 2011](#)
[CFL NO. 13/14-16 DATED SEPTEMBER 13, 2013](#)
[ALL COUNTY LETTER NO. 11-09, DATED JANUARY 19, 2011](#)

This letter informs counties of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2015-16 federal grant final allocation for the Independent Living Program (ILP). A total of \$16,765,969 in federal funds is available based on the Budget Act of 2015. The distribution shown in the attachment is based on a percent to total of each county's FY 2010-11 federal funds allocation, as shown on the attachment of [County Fiscal Letter \(CFL\) NO. 10/11-33](#).

Federal Funding for ILP

The ILP facilitates the successful transition of foster youth to adulthood through various services and resources. In accordance with the Chafee Foster Care Independence Program, federal funding is provided for ILP services to current foster youth between the ages of 16 and 21, and to former foster youth who exited from Foster Care between the ages of 16 and 21. Federal funding is also available for ILP services for some youth between the ages of 18 and 21 who exited Foster Care into legal guardianship prior to age 16 under the conditions described in [All County Letter \(ACL\) No. 11-09](#).

As in prior years, there will be a \$200,000 set-aside of federal funds for the California Department of Social Services to contract with the California Youth Connection. These funds are used to promote collaborative needs assessments, program planning,

implementation and evaluation and the use of college and county resources for individual services for foster youth. There will also be a \$1.6 million hold back amount for state operations costs utilizing Chafee ILP funds.

The cost of federal ILP services should be claimed on the County Expense Claim using Program Code (PC) 184 – (ILP-Services), and federal ILP administration/case management costs should be claimed to PC 182 – (ILP-Case Management).

The administrative costs that exceed the federal allocation will be moved to 100 percent county using State Use Only Code 810 and 237. Please refer to [CFL No. 00/01-46](#) for more detailed claiming instructions for federally funded ILP case management and services.

Nonfederal Funding for ILP

Youth who do not meet federal ILP eligibility requirements may be eligible for ILP services claimed with nonfederal funding, as described in [ACL No. 11-09](#). Nonfederal ILP (originally state-funded); was affected by the implementation of the 2011 Realignment (see [CFL NO. 11/12-18](#)); the county share is currently used to match the federal ILP funds (refer to [CFL No. 13/14-16](#)). Counties may utilize their Local Revenue Funds received under the 2011 Realignment for any costs that are associated with nonfederal ILP.

Costs for nonfederal ILP services can be claimed to PC 746 – (ILP Non-Relative Non-federal – Services) and nonfederal ILP case management costs can be claimed to PC 745 – (ILP Non-Relative Non-federal – Case Management).

Please refer to [CFL No. 10/11-48](#) for more detailed claiming instructions for non-federally funded ILP case management and services. Additional claiming instructions related to nonfederal ILP costs will be released in a forthcoming CFL.

Program related questions regarding the ILP should be directed to the ILP Policy Unit at ILPpolicy@dss.ca.gov. Any questions regarding this distribution should be directed to fiscal.systems@dss.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Original Document Signed By:

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Attachment

**FISCAL YEAR 2015-16 INDEPENDENT LIVING
PROGRAM FEDERAL GRANT ALLOCATION**

County	CDFA #: 93.674 Allocation
Alameda	\$803,073
Alpine	\$20,144
Amador	\$20,144
Butte	\$172,738
Calaveras	\$24,239
Colusa	\$20,144
Contra Costra	\$385,882
Del Norte	\$29,294
El Dorado	\$53,532
Fresno	\$417,193
Glenn	\$23,238
Humboldt	\$89,897
Imperial	\$89,897
Inyo	\$20,144
Kern	\$295,981
Kings	\$45,458
Lake	\$40,403
Lassen	\$43,439
Los Angeles	\$6,786,261
Madera	\$55,567
Marin	\$80,805
Mariposa	\$20,144
Mendocino	\$64,641
Merced	\$124,246
Modoc	\$20,144
Mono	\$20,144
Monterey	\$126,263
Napa	\$46,475
Nevada	\$32,330
Orange	\$545,491
Placer	\$102,026
Plumas	\$20,144
Riverside	\$712,156
Sacramento	\$700,030
San Benito	\$22,220
San Bernardino	\$911,153
San Diego	\$751,560
San Francisco	\$496,997
San Joaquin	\$329,314
San Luis Obispo	\$119,191
San Mateo	\$158,591
Santa Barbara	\$113,135
Santa Clara	\$439,413
Santa Cruz	\$66,675
Shasta	\$87,879
Sierra	\$20,144
Siskiyou	\$51,513
Solano	\$151,521
Sonoma	\$111,116
Stanislaus	\$150,520
Sutter	\$40,403
Tehama	\$51,513
Trinity	\$20,203
Tulare	\$306,075
Tuolumne	\$20,144
Ventura	\$157,592
Yolo	\$68,695
Yuba	\$68,695
Total	\$16,765,969