DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

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ALL COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE 1-71-00

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS
ALL CalWORKs PROGRAM SPECIALISTS

REASON FOR THIS TRANSMITTAL
 [] State Law Change [] Federal Law or Regulation Change [] Court Order [] Clarification Requested by One or More Counties [X] Initiated by CDSS
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SUBJECT: NONCITIZEN ELIGIBILITY REFERENCE GUIDE

REFERENCE: ACIN I-47-95

The purpose of this notice is to transmit reproducible copies of the attached noncitizen reference guide. This guide is a revised version of the Santa Clara County Reference Guide that was issued via ACIN I-47-95 in October 1995.

A county workgroup reviewed the previous reference guide and made changes as it relates to CalWORKs and Immigration and Nationality Act law and INS procedures. The guide explains the different categories of noncitizens and the types of documentation associated with each particular group. The guide should not be regarded as an exhaustive listing.

Due to the fact that immigration law changes frequently, this document is not fail-safe. This guide does not in and of itself determine program eligibility, nor does it supersede the Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlements (SAVE) system requirements. INS makes the determination on whether a noncitizen's document and/or status is valid. With respect to the Medi-Cal program, use of this guide is not approved and any questions should be directed to your appropriate Medi-Cal contact.

This guide is not required and will not be stocked by the CDSS. If you have any questions regarding this notice, please call Kevin Campbell of the CalWORKs Eligibility Bureau at (916) 654-2130.

Sincerely,
Original signed by
Maria Hernandez for
Charr Lee Metsker
on 7/27/00
CHARR LEE METSKER, Chief
Employment and Eligibility Branch

Attachment

c: CWDA CSAC