

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

744 P Street, MS 19-26, Sacramento, CA 95814



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ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE
NO. I-43-93

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

REASON FOR THIS TRANSMITTAL

- State Law Change
- Federal Law or Regulation Change
- Court Order or Settlement Agreement
- Clarification Requested by One or More Counties
- Initiated by CDSS

SUBJECT: AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN (AFDC) AND FOOD
STAMP DISQUALIFIED RECIPIENT REPORTING SYSTEMS

This is to provide you with a status update regarding the AFDC and Food Stamp Disqualified Recipient Systems. Currently, the Fraud Bureau of the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) receives the "Disqualified Recipient Report", (DPS-524) and enters the information into the federal database for Food Stamps and the state database for AFDC.

With regard to the federal food stamp database, once the documents are entered by the Fraud Bureau, the data is transmitted monthly to the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) data center in Kansas City for inclusion in the nationwide database. The AFDC documents are also key entered and stored in a California only data base maintained by the Fraud Bureau. Starting in October 1993 CDSS began receiving a nationwide Food Stamp file from USDA-FNS. This file and the AFDC file will make up the data base of disqualified individuals which will become an additional match under the Income and Eligibility Verification System (IEVS) applicant process beginning in the spring of 1994.

Because the AFDC disqualification process is new CDSS requests the counties to designate a contact unit/person for the various states and counties to contact regarding a disqualification. Also we would like you to update, if necessary, the Food Stamp contact person for your county. These individuals will be responsible to answer calls from other states as well as calls from the various counties. Please use the enclosed form to submit the AFDC contact and to update the Food Stamp contact. Should either of these contacts change in the future, please notify the Fraud Bureau.

If you have any questions regarding this process, please contact Mr. Dave Fairchild of the Fraud Bureau at (916) 445-3766.



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Enclosure

cc: CWDA

AFDC and Food Stamp Disqualifications Contact Persons

AFDC

List the AFDC Disqualification county contact person assigned to be the liaison with CDSS, and other counties.

Name _____ Title _____
Department _____
Unit/Division _____
Address _____
City _____ Zip Code _____
Telephone (_____) _____ Fax Number (_____) _____

Food Stamps

List the Food Stamp Disqualification county contact person assigned to be the liaison with CDSS, other states, and other counties.

Name _____ Title _____
Department _____
Unit/Division _____
Address _____
City _____ Zip Code _____
Telephone (_____) _____ Fax Number (_____) _____

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