

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814



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ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE NO. I-33-95

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS
ALL COUNTY FISCAL OFFICERS
ALL COUNTY AUDITOR CONTROLLERS
ALL COUNTY CHIEF PROBATION OFFICERS
ALL COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH 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: EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE INCOME LEVEL FOR FISCAL YEAR 1995-96

The purpose of this letter is to provide counties with information regarding the new income level to be used for Emergency Assistance (EA) eligibility determination purposes during State Fiscal Year 1995-96.

One of the elements of EA eligibility is the determination of the family's total income. Under EA, the family's income can be no greater than two hundred percent of the California median family income. The allowable income level for eligibility purposes is calculated on a fiscal year basis. For the period beginning July 1, 1995 until June 30, 1996, the total family income of an EA applicant cannot exceed \$93,200. This income level must be used in the eligibility determination of any EA application with a parent/relative or county worker signature date of July 1, 1995 through June 30, 1996.

The California Department of Social Services appreciates the counties' cooperation in this matter. Should you have any comments or questions regarding this material or any further questions concerning the EA program, please contact your EA program policy analyst at (916) 322-5946.

Sincerely,

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