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ALL COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE I-28-14

REASON FOR THIS TRANSMITTAL

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

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS
ALL CONSORIUM PROJECT MANAGERS
ALL COUNTY CALFRESH PROGRAM SPECIALISTS
ALL COUNTY FRAUD SPECIAL INVESTIGATIVE UNIT CHIEFS
ALL QUALITY CONTROL COORDINATORS
ALL ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES

SUBJECT: COLLECTION OF CALFRESH OVERISSUANCES

REFERENCE: Manual of Policies and Procedures Section 63-102(o)(1), 63-801.731

The purpose of this All County Information Notice is to remind counties that when determining the amount of a CalFresh overissuance, the amount of the overissuance is based on the initial amount of the CalFresh benefit. If a CalFresh household has an existing overissuance that is being recouped by benefit reduction and the county needs to determine the amount of a recoupment for another type of overissuance, the county is to continue to base the amount of the second overissuance recoupment **on the initial CalFresh benefit** issued for the household not from the adjusted benefit.

Example:

A household is granted a monthly CalFresh benefit of \$200. The county is currently collecting an Inadvertent Household Error (IHE). After the IHE adjustment, the household is issued \$180 in benefits. The county discovers an administrative error (AE). The county will calculate the amount of the allotment reduction for the AE based on the initial \$200 benefit amount not the adjusted benefit of \$180.

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If you have any questions regarding the content of this letter, please contact your policy consultant or the CalFresh Policy Bureau at (916) 654-1896.

Sincerely,

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