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COUNTY FISCAL LETTER (CFL) NO. 13/14-18

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

SUBJECT: FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2013-14 ILP FEDERAL GRANT FINAL
ALLOCATION

REFERENCE: [CFL NO. 10/11-33, DATED DECEMBER 13, 2010;](#)
[CFL NO. 11/12-18, DATED SEPTEMBER 16, 2011;](#)
[ACL NO. 11-09, DATED JANUARY 19, 2011](#)

This letter informs counties of the FY 2013-14 federal grant final allocation for the ILP. A total of \$16,974,129 in federal funds has been made available for this program based on the approved FY 2013-14 Budget Act. The distribution shown in the attachment was based on a percent-to-total of each county's FY 2010-11 federal fund allocation, as shown on the attachment of CFL No. 10/11-33.

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 up to 21 and to former foster youth whose dependency was terminated between the ages of 16 up to 21. Former foster youth who do not meet federal ILP eligibility requirements may be eligible for ILP services claimed with non-federal funding, as described below. In 2010, Senate Bill 654 (Chapter 555, Statutes of 2010) expanded non-federal ILP services to include youth who entered into a Non Related Legal Guardian between the ages of eight and 15, as set forth in Welfare and Institutions Code Section 10609.45. Counties maintain the option to provide ILP services to foster youth ages 14 to 15 years of age also using non-federal funds. ILP services should facilitate the successful transition of foster youth to adulthood through various services and resources.

Program Code (PC) 745 – ILP NonRelative NonFed-CM or PC 746 – ILP Non Relative NonFed – SVCS must be claimed through non-federal funding for ILP services

provided to youth ages 16 and 17 whose dependency was terminated to 1) enter into the Kinship Guardianship Assistance Payment Program prior to age 16, or 2) enter into a non-related legal guardianship, through the juvenile court, between the ages of 8 and 15. Counties may utilize their Local Revenue funds received under the 2011 Realignment for any costs that are associated with non-federal ILP. Youth in both of these types of guardianships become federally eligible for ILP services at age 18, as they meet the definition of “former foster youth”.

As in prior years, there will be a \$200,000 set-aside of federal funds for CDSS 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.

Administrative costs for the ILP are limited to 20 percent of the allocation. The cost of personnel to provide ILP services should be claimed to the County Expense Claim using PC 184 – ILP-Services, while ILP administrative/case management should be claimed to PC 182 – ILP-Case Management.

State-funded ILP has been affected by the implementation of the 2011 Realignment (reference CFL No. 11/12-18); the county share will now be used to match the federal ILP funds. Counties must continue the normal claiming process. The administrative costs that exceed the federal allocation will be moved to 100 percent county share using State Use Only Code 810 and 237.

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:

BRIAN DOUGHERTY, Chief
Financial Management and Contracts Branch

Attachment

**FY 13-14 INDEPENDENT LIVING PROGRAM
FEDERAL GRANT ALLOCATION**

County	CDFA #: 93.674 Federal
Alameda	\$813,044
Alpine	\$20,394
Amador	\$20,394
Butte	\$174,883
Calaveras	\$24,539
Colusa	\$20,394
Contra Costra	\$390,673
Del Norte	\$29,657
El Dorado	\$54,197
Fresno	\$422,372
Glenn	\$23,526
Humboldt	\$91,014
Imperial	\$91,014
Inyo	\$20,394
Kern	\$299,656
Kings	\$46,022
Lake	\$40,904
Lassen	\$43,978
Los Angeles	\$6,870,519
Madera	\$56,257
Marin	\$81,809
Mariposa	\$20,394
Mendocino	\$65,444
Merced	\$125,788
Modoc	\$20,394
Mono	\$20,394
Monterey	\$127,830
Napa	\$47,052
Nevada	\$32,731
Orange	\$552,263
Placer	\$103,293
Plumas	\$20,394
Riverside	\$720,998
Sacramento	\$708,721
San Benito	\$22,496
San Bernardino	\$922,466
San Diego	\$760,891
San Francisco	\$503,168
San Joaquin	\$333,402
San Luis Obispo	\$120,671
San Mateo	\$160,560
Santa Barbara	\$114,540
Santa Clara	\$444,868
Santa Cruz	\$67,503
Shasta	\$88,970
Sierra	\$20,394
Siskiyou	\$52,153
Solano	\$153,402
Sonoma	\$112,496
Stanislaus	\$152,389
Sutter	\$40,904
Tehama	\$52,153
Trinity	\$20,454
Tulare	\$309,875
Tuolumne	\$20,394
Ventura	\$159,548
Yolo	\$69,548
Yuba	\$69,548
Total	\$16,974,129