

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

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ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE I-28-80. **TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS****SUBJECT: STATEHOUSE CONFERENCE ON CHILDREN AND YOUTH****REFERENCE:**

The Statehouse Conference on Children and Youth will be held at the Sacramento Convention Center on April 16-19, 1980.

One thousand community meetings have already been held throughout the state, with more than 11,000 participants discussing the concerns of California's children and youth.

Now California will gather at the Statehouse Conference on Children and Youth to speak to those concerns, learn strategies and skills for meeting the needs of children and youth and develop action plans to respond to the identified needs.

In order to aid conference delegates and participants to get a better understanding of existing resources in the state for children and youth, I am requesting your involvement by discussing your program. Program sharing can be accomplished in two ways at the conference - by convention booths or poster sessions.

Convention Booth

Convention type booths will be set-up for you at the conference if you request the space. You may, for example, want to display children's crafts, to show a slide show on your program, or bring some information with you about your program for conference attendees.

Poster Sessions

You may want to put information on posters which describe your programs or concerns about children in your communities. There will be poster boards and felt pens available at the conference.

If you wish to participate, we urge you to reserve booths now or inform the Statehouse Conference Planning Committee you will be having a poster session.

There will be a limited amount of space, so please send in your requests immediately. Your requests should be sent to Kate Tootham, Department of the Youth Authority, 4241 Williamsborough Drive, Sacramento, CA 95823. Her phone number is (916) 445-2046.

Thank you for your participation and involvement in the Statehouse Conference on Children and Youth and your commitment to young people in the State of California.

Sincerely,


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Director

cc: CWDA