

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES



November 25, 1981

ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE I- 148-81

TO: ALL-COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: CWD TITLE XX PLAN

REFERENCE:

The purpose of this notice is to inform you of potential county action necessitated by All-County Information Notice I-133-81 which transmitted emergency regulations designed to establish service program priorities.

Prior to the beginning of the federal fiscal year, the Department informed the Federal Government of its intent to implement the Title XX Social Services Block Grant Program effective October 1, 1981. The Department also requested that the Federal Government accept the information contained in the 1981/82 Title XX Comprehensive Annual Services Program Plan (CASPP) as compliance with the pre-expenditure report requirement contained in Section 2004 of Title XX of the Social Security Act. This request was approved. Following that action, the Department published ACIN I-133-81 which transmitted emergency regulations that reduced the ten state mandated programs to six in an attempt to minimize the impact of reduced funding under the Federal Title XX Social Services Block Grant Program. Of the remaining six mandated programs, three (Child Protective Services, Out-of-Home Care for Children Services and In-Home Supportive Services) remained in effect in accordance with existing regulations and three (Information and Referral Services, Adult Protective Services and Out-of-Home Care for Adults Services) continued to be state mandated but the detailed program content was repealed.

As a result of these changes to the mandated programs, the 1981/82 CASPP no longer accurately reflects Title XX services in California. Consequently, the Department will process an amendment to bring the CASPP up-to-date. The amendment will be effective January 1, 1982 and will modify the CASPP definitions for Information and Referral Services, Adult Protective Services and Out-of-Home Care for Adults Services; and withdraw Health Related Services, Employment Related Services, Child Day Care Case Management Services and Family Planning Services. Further, it will modify the

description of optional programs to include only program definition and eligibility criteria. If your county plans to increase or decrease the number of optional programs for 1981/82 program year, you may submit a revised Prediction of Program Utilization (PPU) by December 18, 1981. Please mail the revision to:

Department of Social Services
 Social Services Planning Branch
 744 "P" Street, M/S 5-135
 Sacramento, California 95814

After January 1, 1982, any increases or decreases in optional programs for the remainder of the 1981/82 program year may be submitted to the Social Services Planning Branch via a revised PPU.

To allow for a transition period, expenditures for the four repealed mandated programs announced through ACIN I-133-81: Health Related Services, Employment Related Services, Child Day Care Case Management Services and Family Planning Services may be claimed under optional programs through December 31, 1981. After that date, the four programs cannot be funded utilizing Title XX funds.

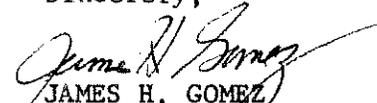
If you have any questions concerning the above information, please contact William B. Anderson at (916) 445-2174 or at the above address.

These instructions are limited to Title XX services only. Policies affecting CWD services provided to refugees under special funding through the State Office of Refugee Services will be issued by ORS at a later date. Please refer refugee-related social services questions to:

State of California
 Department of Social Services
 Office of Refugee Services, M/S 4-100
 744 "P" Street
 Sacramento, California 95814

Attention: Ms. Laura Williams
 (916) 322-3141

Sincerely,


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cc: CWDA