

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES
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Reason for this Transmittal

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

ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE NO. I-15-93

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS
ALL COUNTY GAIN COORDINATORS

SUBJECT: UPDATED FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL GUIDELINES FOR GAIN SELF-INITIATED PROGRAMS (SIPs)

REFERENCE: ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE I-21-92

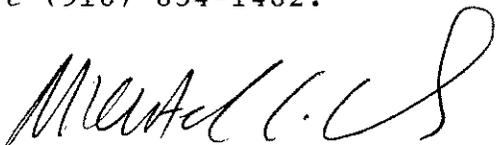
This notice transmits updated income levels needed to determine the employability of individuals seeking approval of a Self-Initiated Program (SIP) within the Greater Avenues for Independence (GAIN) Program. Manual of Policies and Procedures (MPP) Section 42-772.431 prohibits approval of SIPs for individuals who have the education or job skills needed to obtain unsubsidized employment in an occupation in demand earning income equal to two-times the federal poverty level for the individual's family size.

Effective the date of this letter, the following income levels are to be used for this determination:

FAMILY SIZE	TWO TIMES POVERTY LEVEL
1	\$13,940
2	\$18,860
3	\$23,780
4	\$28,700
5	\$33,620
6	\$38,540
7	\$43,460
8	\$48,380

For families with more than eight members, add \$4,920 for each additional member.

If you have any questions, please contact your Employment Operations Analyst at (916) 654-1462.

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MICHAEL C. GENEST
Deputy Director
Welfare Programs Division