STATE OF CALIFORNIA—HEALTH AND WELFARE AGENCY

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ALL-COUNTY LETTER NO. 81-73

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: COORDINATION OF SERVICES WITH THE LOCAL AREA AGENCY ON AGING

The Older Californians Act, Chapter 912, Statutes of 1980 (AB 2975 McCarthy), became law on January 1, 1981. This Act designates the California Department of Aging (CDA) as lead agency in coordinating services to older persons in the state, and defines the role of various state departments and agencies in providing a comprehensive system of social and health services to persons 60 years of age or older.

The Department of Social Services (DSS) is working with CDA to carry out our responsibilities under this Act. At the local level, there are some actions that County Welfare Departments can take to assist in the implementation of the Act. I would like to suggest that you designate a member of your staff to act as a liaison with the local Area Agency or Agencies on Aging, and serve on the Interagency Committee, which the Area Agency on Aging (AAA) will convene as mandated in this Act.

There is an array of services funded by Title XX of the Social Security Act and by Title III of the Older Americans Act that serve the same population and have the goal of maintaining the independence of older persons. In these times of financial uncertainties the cooperation and coordination among service providers is more important than ever. I encourage you to work closely with the AAA to coordinate these programs and to exchange information during the planning process.

Attached, for your information, is a list of the Area Agencies on Aging in California and the counties and cities they serve.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact your Adult Service Program Management consultant at (916) 445-8724.

Sincerely,

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Deputy Director

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AREA AGENCIES ON AGING

PSA	County/Counties	Agency and Address	Contact Person	Telephone
1	Del Norte, Humboldt	AREA 1 AGENCY ON AGING HUMBOLDT SENIOR CITIZENS COUNCIL 3300 Glenwood Street Eureka, CA 95501	Patti Berg Director	(707) 442-3763
2	Lassen, Modoc, Shasta, Siskiyou, Trinity	PSA 2 AREA AGENCY ON AGING P. O. Box 1400 Yreka, CA 96097	Howard Riddle Director	(916) 842-1687
3	Butte, Colusa, Glenn, Plumas, Tehama	PSA 3 AREA AGENCY ON AGING UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION-CSUC Second and Normal Streets Chico, CA 95929	Rosemary Howard Director	(916) 895-5961
4	Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, Sierra, Sutter, Yolo, Yuba	AREA 4 AGENCY ON AGING 1020 J Street Sacramento, CA 95814	Deanna Lea Director	(916) 447-7063
5	Marin	MARIN COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING Marin County Civic Center Room 279 San Rafael, CA 94903	Ellen Caulfield Director	(415) 499-7396
6	San Francisco	SAN FRANCISCO CITY & COUNTY COMMISSION ON AGING 1095 Market Street, #700 San Francisco, CA 94103	Pauline Johnson Director	(415) 558-2126
7	Contra Costa	CONTRA COSTA OFFICE ON AGING 2425 Bisso Lane, Suite 110 Concord, CA 94520	Jane McClelland Director	(415) 671-4233

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8	San Mateo	SAN MATEO AREA AGENCY ON AGING 617 Hamilton Street Redwood City, CA 94063	Tom Jordan Director	(415) 364-5600 Ext. 4511
9	Alameda	ALAMEDA COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING 1755 Broadway, 5th Floor Oakland, CA 94612	Ruth Miller Director	(415) 874-7233
10	Santa Clara	COUNCIL ON AGING OF SANTA CLARA COUNTY, INC. 277 W. Hedding Street San Jose, CA 95110	Rex Painter Director	(408) 287-7111
11	San Joaquin	SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING 222 E. Weber Avenue Stockton, CA 95202	Charlotte Humphrey Director	(209) 944-2202
12	Alpine, Amador, Calaveras, Mariposa, Tuolumne	CENTRAL SIERRA AREA AGENCY ON AGING 56 North Washington Street Sonora, CA 95370	Clifford Bragg Director	(209) 532-6272
13	San Benito, Santa Cruz	SENIORS COUNCIL OF SANTA CRUZ AND SAN BENITO COUNTIES, INC. 234 Santa Cruz Avenue Aptos, CA 95003	David Lira Director	(408) 688-0400 476-6033
14	Fresno, Madera	FRESNO-MADERA AREA AGENCY ON AGING 2014 Tulare Street, Suite 611 Fresno, CA 93721	Pliny O. Murphy III Director	(209) 488-1584

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15	Kings, Tulare	KINGS-TULARE AREA AGENCY ON AGING 1821 W. Meadow Lane Avenue, Suite F Visalia, CA 93277	Clyde Johnson Director	(209) 733-1079
16	Inyo, Mono	INYO-MONO AREA AGENCY ON AGING P. O. Box 1799 Bishop, CA 93514	Charles Broten Director	(714) 873-5240
17	San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara	CENTRAL COAST COMMISSION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS AREA AGENCY ON AGING 301 S. Miller Street Santa Maria, CA 93454	Joyce Ellen Lippman Director	(805) 925-9554
18	Ventura	VENTURA COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING 800 S. Victoria Road Lower Plaza Ventura, CA 93003	Colleen House Director	(805) 654-3660 ATSS 723-3660
19	Los Angeles County	LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SENIOR CITIZENS AFFAIRS 601 South Kingsley Drive Los Angeles, CA 90005	Carol Wood Acting Director	(213) 738-3281
20	San Bernardino	OFFICE ON AGING 602 S. Tippecanoe, Bldg. #3 Room 1320 San Bernardino, CA 92415	Dennis Jackson Acting Director	(714) 383-3861

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21	Riverside	COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE OFFICE ON AGING 647 N. Main Street, Bldg. 3 Riverside, CA 92501	Walter Scales Director	(714) 683-7780
22	Orange	ORANGE COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING 801-C North Broadway Santa Ana, CA 92701	Larry Leaman Interim Director	(714) 834-6017
23	San Diego	SAN DIEGO COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING 8665 Gibbs Drive San Diego, CA 92123	Lola Hobbs Director	(714) 560-2427
24	Imperial	IMPERIAL COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING 654 Main Street El Centro, CA 92243	Richard Ramirez Director	(714) 352-8521
25	Los Angeles City	LOS ANGELES CITY AREA AGENCY ON AGING COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT AGING DIVISION 215 W. Sixth Street, 6th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90014	Jerry Cimmarusti Director	(213) 485-4402
26	Lake, Mendocino	NORTHCOAST OPPORTUNITIES, INC. AREA AGENCY ON AGING 101 W. Church Street Ukiah, CA 95482	Lynne Hall Director	(707) 462-1954

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27	Sonoma	SONOMA COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING 2230 Professional Drive Santa Rosa, CA 95401	Susan James	(707) 527-3153
28	Napa, Solano	SOLANO-NAPA AGENCY ON AGING 1814 Capitol Street Vallejo, CA 94590	John J. Cunningham Director	(707) 644-6612
29	El Dorado	EL DORADO COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING 330 Fair Lane Placerville, CA 95667	Joyce Pierson Director	(916) 626-2149
30	Stanislaus	STANISLAUS COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING 1024 J Street, Room 416 Modesto, CA 95354	Roxanne Killian Director	(209) 526-6700 ATSS 482-6700
31	Merced	MERCED COUNTY AREA AGENCY FOR AGING PROGRAMS 2150 M Street, Suite 3 Merced, CA 95340	Ray K. Lee Director	(209) 726-7550
32	Monterey	DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES AREA AGENCY ON AGING DIVISION 1322 Natividad Road P. O. Box 299 Salinas, CA 93902	Vicki Shepherd Director	(408) 757-2911
33	Kern	KERN COUNTY OFFICE ON AGING 1100 26th Street Bakersfield, CA 93301	Tom Folsom Acting Director	(805) 861-2445