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COUNTY FISCAL LETTER (CFL) NO. 12/13-13

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

SUBJECT: FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2012-13 ILP FEDERAL GRANT FINAL
ALLOCATION

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

This letter informs counties of the FY 2012-13 federal grant final allocation for the ILP. A total of \$17,646,724 in federal funds has been made available for this program based on the approved FY 2012-13 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, funding is provided for services to eligible youth, currently or formerly under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court, foster care adolescents and youth ages 16 to 21 years. In addition, counties have the option to provide ILP services to youth ages 14 to 15 years of age by using county only funding. These services should facilitate the successful transition of foster youth to adulthood through various services and resources.

Senate Bill (SB) 654 (Chapter 555, Statutes of 2010) has changed the state-funded ILP eligibility requirements for youth in non-related legal guardianships. The California Department of Social Services (CDSS) has received policy clarification that youth between the ages of 16 and 17 years placed with non-related legal guardians are not eligible for federally funded ILP services. Therefore, beginning January 1, 2011, ILP services for youth age 16 and 17 years who meet the SB 654 eligibility requirements must be claimed through non-federal funding, using Program Code (PC) 745 – ILP NonRelative NonFed-CM or PC 746 – ILP NonRelative NonFed – SVCS. Youth that

are 18 years of age but under 21 years of age can only be served later with federal funding. In addition, youth who enter into the Kinship Guardianship Assistance Payment Program prior to age 16 years who are eligible for, and participate in, the ILP would claim to non-federal ILP funding. Counties may utilize their Local Revenue funds received under the 2011 Realignment for any costs that are associated with SB 654.

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 (CEC) 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:

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Attachment

**FY 12-13 INDEPENDENT LIVING PROGRAM
FEDERAL GRANT ALLOCATION**

County	CDFA #: 93.674 Federal
Alameda	\$845,260
Alpine	\$21,203
Amador	\$21,203
Butte	\$181,812
Calaveras	\$25,512
Colusa	\$21,203
Contra Costra	\$406,153
Del Norte	\$30,832
El Dorado	\$56,344
Fresno	\$439,109
Glenn	\$24,458
Humboldt	\$94,620
Imperial	\$94,620
Inyo	\$21,203
Kern	\$311,530
Kings	\$47,846
Lake	\$42,525
Lassen	\$45,721
Los Angeles	\$7,142,753
Madera	\$58,487
Marin	\$85,050
Mariposa	\$21,203
Mendocino	\$68,037
Merced	\$130,773
Modoc	\$21,203
Mono	\$21,203
Monterey	\$132,896
Napa	\$48,917
Nevada	\$34,028
Orange	\$574,147
Placer	\$107,386
Plumas	\$21,203
Riverside	\$749,568
Sacramento	\$736,804
San Benito	\$23,387
San Bernardino	\$959,018
San Diego	\$791,041
San Francisco	\$523,105
San Joaquin	\$346,613
San Luis Obispo	\$125,452
San Mateo	\$166,922
Santa Barbara	\$119,078
Santa Clara	\$462,496
Santa Cruz	\$70,177
Shasta	\$92,495
Sierra	\$21,203
Siskiyou	\$54,220
Solano	\$159,481
Sonoma	\$116,954
Stanislaus	\$158,427
Sutter	\$42,525
Tehama	\$54,220
Trinity	\$21,264
Tulare	\$322,153
Tuolumne	\$21,203
Ventura	\$165,870
Yolo	\$72,304
Yuba	\$72,304
Total	\$17,646,724