## DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES 744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814



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ALL-COUNTY	LETTER	NO.	94-64

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

RE.	AS	SON FOR THIS TRANSMITTAL
		State Law Change
[ X	]	Federal Law or Regulation
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[	1	Court Order
Ĩ	î	Clarification Requested by
•	•	One or More Counties
ſ	1	Initiated by CDSS

SUBJECT: Revised Regulations for the Aid to Families with

Dependent Children (AFDC) Program

REFERENCES: MPF 40-129.121; 44-133.31; 44-133.7; 80-301 m.(2);

82-832.18

Senate Bill (SB) 1834 (Chapter 1311, Statutes of 1992) 45 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 205.50(a)(1)(A) (Federal Register Volume 58, No. 182, September 1993)

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with copies of proposed regulations which are to be effective September 1, 1994. These regulations implement revisions and expansions as a result of State and Federal law changes. A summary of the changes are as follows:

- o Deletion of reference to "WIN Demo" under MPP 44-133.31.
- o Deletion of "legal guardians" as members who must have their income considered when minor parents are residing in their home under MPP sections 40-128 and 44-133.7.
- o Addition of "state certified nurse midwife" and "nurse practitioner," deletion of "authorized member of the physician's staff," and addition of "designated medical personnel" to the list of providers who may verify pregnancy to establish AFDC eligibility under MPP 80-301 m.(2).
- o Addition of "refugee eligible for alternative project" to the list of persons excluded by law under MPP 82-832.18.

These changes will not require any new AFDC forms or Notices of Action.

If you have questions regarding pregnancy verification, please contact Henry Puga at (916) 654-1068. For questions regarding other changes, contact Julie Lopes at (916) 654-1786. The CALNET prefix for these telephone numbers is 454.

Sincerely,

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Attachment