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CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

COUNTY FISCAL LETTER NO. 26/27-04

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COUNTY FISCAL LETTER (CFL) NO. 26/27-04

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS
ALL CHIEF PROBATION OFFICERS
ALL COUNTY PROGRAM MANAGERS
ALL COUNTY FISCAL OFFICERS

SUBJECT: REDISTRIBUTION AND FINALIZATION OF THE FISCAL
YEAR 2021-22 FAMILY FIRST PREVENTION SERVICES PROGRAM
STATE BLOCK GRANT GENERAL FUND ALLOCATION

REFERENCE: [ASSEMBLY BILL 107 \(BUDGET ACT OF 2024\)](#);
[ALL COUNTY LETTER \(ACL\) 24-90](#), [ACL 23-23](#);
[CFL 22/23-05](#), [CFL 21/22-110](#), [CFL 21/22-84](#)

This letter informs County Welfare Departments (CWDs) and County Probation Departments (CPDs) of the redistribution and finalization of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2021-22 Family First Prevention Services (FFPS) Program State Block Grant (SBG) General Fund (GF) allocation in the amount of approximately \$198.0 million. This CFL supersedes any previously issued or posted version of this CFL in its entirety. This revised CFL provides an updated attachment of the final SBG allocation distribution amounts following the final reconciliation of available funds. Counties should rely on this CFL for all purposes, and any previously issued or posted versions should be disregarded entirely.

As stated in [ACL No. 23-23](#), counties were required to submit Comprehensive Prevention Plans (CPPs) to the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) by July 31, 2023, to opt into the FFPS program to begin or continue accessing their SBG allocations. [ACL 24-90](#) extended the CPP deadline to December 1, 2025, for small counties. The attachment displays the final SBG allocation distribution based on submitted CPPs. Allocations in [CFL No. 21/22-84](#) for CWDs and CPDs that chose not to participate in the FFPS Program have been redistributed to opt-in counties based on each participating county's percentage of the total statewide planning allocation, as displayed in [CFL No. 21/22-84](#).

Separate letters have been released regarding funding for Tribes with a California Title IV-E agreement.

In consultation with the County Welfare Directors Association and the Chief Probation Officers of California, CDSS is redistributing SBG funding among counties to ensure maximum expenditure of available funds.

REAPPROPRIATION

The [Budget Act of 2024](#) includes reappropriation authority for SBG in support of the FFPS Act. As a result, the allocations displayed in the Attachment are available for expenditure through June 30, 2028.

UNSPENT FUNDS

The general process CDSS will follow when making counties' unspent funds available from FY to FY is described below and in the multi-year allocation County Expense Claim Reporting Information System (CECRIS) procedures described in [CFL No. 22/23-05](#).

Counties' unspent funds at the end of each FY, if any, will roll forward year-to-year on a county-specific basis through June 30, 2028, due to multi-year statutory authority and will not be redistributed until the close-out process.

CLOSE-OUT

After June 30, 2028, any remaining unspent funds will be redistributed to participating CWDs, CPDs, and Tribes with a California Title IV-E agreement during the FY 2027-28 year-end close-out process to cover costs that exceeded their respective allocations.

CLAIMING

County Welfare Departments

The SBG allocation for CWDs is tracked against Ledger 206 – FFPS STATE BLOCK GRANT – CWD. The following Program Codes (PCs) are available for CWDs to claim administrative costs associated with the FFPS Program to CECRIS:

- PC 1012 (CWD – Title IV-E Prevention Admin & Training)
- PC 1013 (CWD – FFPS State Block Grant Prevention Services)
- PC 1014 (CWD – Title IV-E Prevention – Other Agencies/Providers)
- PC 1015 (CWD – FFPS State Block Grant Prevention Admin & Training)

Costs claimed in excess of the SBG allocation will be shifted via State Use Only (SUO) 1007 (SUO – FFPS State Block Grant - CWD O/M) and funded with 100 percent county-only funds.

County Probation Departments

The SBG allocation for CPDs is tracked against Ledger 207 – FFPS STATE BLOCK GRANT – CPD. The following PCs are available for CPDs to claim administrative costs associated with the FFPS Program to CECRIS:

- PC 1016 (CPD – Title IV-E Prevention Admin)
- PC 1017 (CPD – Title IV-E Prevention)
- PC 1018 (CPD – FFPS State Block Grant Prevention Admin & Training)
- PC 1019 (CPD – FFPS State Block Grant Prevention Services)

Costs claimed in excess of the SBG allocation will be shifted via SUO 1008 (SUO – FFPS State Block Grant CPD O/M) and funded with 100 percent county-only funds.

Please refer to [CFL No. 21/22-110](#) for detailed claiming instructions.

For program-related questions, please contact the Safety and Early Intervention Bureau at (916) 651-6160 or at ffpsapreventionservices@dss.ca.gov. Questions regarding this allocation should be directed to fiscal.systems@dss.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Original Document Signed By:

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Finance and Accounting Division

Attachment

REDISTRIBUTION AND FINALIZATION OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2021-22
FAMILY FIRST PREVENTION SERVICES PROGRAM STATE BLOCK GRANT GENERAL FUND ALLOCATION
FOR CHILD WELFARE DEPARTMENTS (CWD) AND COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENTS (CPD)

COUNTY	CWD PLANNING ALLOCATION <i>CFL No. 21/22-84</i>	CWD REDISTRIBUTION	CPD TRANSFER	CWD FINAL ALLOCATION	CPD PLANNING ALLOCATION <i>CFL No. 21/22-84</i>	CPD REDISTRIBUTION	CWD TRANSFER	CPD FINAL ALLOCATION	TOTAL ALLOCATION
Alameda	\$5,090,544	\$8,959	\$0	\$5,099,503	\$1,147,337	\$62,329	\$0	\$1,209,666	\$6,309,169
Alpine	\$300,000	(\$300,000)	\$0	\$0	\$75,000	(\$75,000)	\$0	\$0	\$0
Amador	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
Butte	\$944,563	\$1,662	\$0	\$946,225	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$1,025,299
Calaveras	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
Colusa	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
Contra Costa	\$3,783,112	\$6,658	\$0	\$3,789,770	\$476,660	\$25,895	\$0	\$502,555	\$4,292,325
Del Norte	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
El Dorado	\$558,471	\$983	\$0	\$559,454	\$158,922	\$8,633	\$0	\$167,555	\$727,009
Fresno	\$6,932,130	\$12,200	\$0	\$6,944,330	\$1,177,336	\$63,959	\$0	\$1,241,295	\$8,185,625
Glenn	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	(\$75,000)	\$0	\$0	\$300,528
Humboldt	\$555,034	\$977	\$0	\$556,011	\$78,496	\$4,264	\$0	\$82,760	\$638,771
Imperial	\$1,329,144	\$2,339	\$0	\$1,331,483	\$248,686	(\$248,686)	\$0	\$0	\$1,331,483
Inyo	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
Kern	\$6,487,097	\$11,417	\$2,392,999	\$8,891,513	\$2,392,999	\$0	(\$2,392,999)	\$0	\$8,891,513
Kings	\$863,655	\$1,520	\$0	\$865,175	\$196,288	\$10,663	\$0	\$206,951	\$1,072,126
Lake	\$324,048	\$570	\$0	\$324,618	\$87,717	\$4,766	\$0	\$92,483	\$417,101
Lassen	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
Los Angeles	\$43,645,496	\$76,815	\$0	\$43,722,311	\$5,395,436	\$293,112	\$0	\$5,688,548	\$49,410,859
Madera	\$937,519	\$1,650	\$0	\$939,169	\$238,155	\$12,937	\$0	\$251,092	\$1,190,261
Marin	\$659,164	\$1,160	\$0	\$660,324	\$115,913	\$6,297	\$0	\$122,210	\$782,534
Mariposa	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
Mendocino	\$398,248	\$701	\$0	\$398,949	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$478,023
Merced	\$1,987,304	\$3,498	\$0	\$1,990,802	\$290,968	\$15,807	\$0	\$306,775	\$2,297,577
Modoc	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
Mono	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
Monterey	\$2,108,707	\$3,711	\$0	\$2,112,418	\$622,053	\$33,793	\$0	\$655,846	\$2,768,264
Napa	\$400,261	\$704	\$144,408	\$545,373	\$144,408	\$0	(\$144,408)	\$0	\$545,373
Nevada	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$79,559	\$4,322	\$0	\$83,881	\$384,409
Orange	\$11,093,370	\$19,524	\$0	\$11,112,894	\$1,636,136	\$88,883	\$0	\$1,725,019	\$12,837,913
Placer	\$1,184,770	\$2,085	\$0	\$1,186,855	\$241,774	\$13,134	\$0	\$254,908	\$1,441,763
Plumas	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
Riverside	\$11,670,622	\$20,540	\$0	\$11,691,162	\$1,281,304	\$69,607	\$0	\$1,350,911	\$13,042,073
Sacramento	\$7,370,122	\$12,971	\$0	\$7,383,093	\$1,724,228	\$93,668	\$0	\$1,817,896	\$9,200,989
San Benito	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
San Bernardino	\$12,786,307	\$22,504	\$0	\$12,808,811	\$1,387,437	\$75,373	\$0	\$1,462,810	\$14,271,621
San Diego	\$11,750,357	\$20,680	\$0	\$11,771,037	\$2,099,332	\$114,046	\$0	\$2,213,378	\$13,984,415
San Francisco	\$1,791,115	\$3,152	\$0	\$1,794,267	\$348,595	\$18,937	\$0	\$367,532	\$2,161,799
San Joaquin	\$4,302,599	\$7,573	\$0	\$4,310,172	\$577,540	(\$577,540)	\$0	\$0	\$4,310,172
San Luis Obispo	\$768,661	\$1,353	\$0	\$770,014	\$82,425	\$4,477	\$0	\$86,902	\$856,916
San Mateo	\$2,018,577	\$3,553	\$0	\$2,022,130	\$134,227	(\$134,227)	\$0	\$0	\$2,022,130
Santa Barbara	\$1,748,858	\$3,078	\$0	\$1,751,936	\$285,275	\$15,497	\$0	\$300,772	\$2,052,708
Santa Clara	\$5,637,360	\$9,922	\$0	\$5,647,282	\$464,144	\$25,214	\$0	\$489,358	\$6,136,640
Santa Cruz	\$797,670	\$1,404	\$0	\$799,074	\$268,466	\$14,585	\$0	\$283,051	\$1,082,125
Shasta	\$795,658	\$1,400	\$0	\$797,058	\$274,873	\$14,933	\$0	\$289,806	\$1,086,864
Sierra	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
Siskiyou	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	(\$75,000)	\$0	\$0	\$300,528
Solano	\$1,629,550	\$2,868	\$0	\$1,632,418	\$194,188	\$10,549	\$0	\$204,737	\$1,837,155
Sonoma	\$1,421,622	\$2,502	\$0	\$1,424,124	\$154,538	\$8,396	\$0	\$162,934	\$1,587,058
Stanislaus	\$3,075,907	\$5,414	\$0	\$3,081,321	\$354,495	\$19,258	\$0	\$373,753	\$3,455,074
Sutter	\$502,296	\$884	\$0	\$503,180	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$582,254
Tehama	\$318,096	\$0	(\$318,096)	\$0	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$318,096	\$397,170	\$397,170
Trinity	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	(\$75,000)	\$0	\$0	\$300,528
Tulare	\$3,539,890	\$6,230	\$0	\$3,546,120	\$333,043	\$18,093	\$0	\$351,136	\$3,897,256
Tuolumne	\$300,000	\$528	\$0	\$300,528	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$379,602
Ventura	\$3,201,167	\$5,634	\$0	\$3,206,801	\$546,504	\$29,689	\$0	\$576,193	\$3,782,994
Yolo	\$772,939	\$1,361	\$0	\$774,300	\$110,543	\$6,005	\$0	\$116,548	\$890,848
Yuba	\$492,990	\$868	\$0	\$493,858	\$75,000	\$4,074	\$0	\$79,074	\$572,932
TOTAL	\$171,075,000	\$0	\$2,219,311	\$173,294,311	\$27,000,000	\$0	(\$2,219,311)	\$24,780,689	\$198,075,000