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To:	Consortium.RegionalManagers.All, Committee.CalWORKs_CalFresh.All, Committee.TimeLimits.All, Committee.WelfaretoWork.All; PPOC.All
CIT Name:	SCR CA 221194 / CIV 108178; COVID Good Cause for participants who exceeded the TANF 60-Month Time Clock
From:	CalSAWS Project

PPOCs, please forward to the appropriate impacted staff in your county:

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Description: (Including any step-by-step instructions)	<p>Purpose The purpose of this CIT is to inform the C-IV and LRS counties of the modification under SCR CA-221194/CIV-108178 to the criteria for applying the COVID Good Cause exemption to exclude individuals who have used more than 60 months of TANF.</p> <p>Background Executive Order N-75-20 extends the provision for the Lack of Supportive Services- Good Cause exemption applied to the CW 48-Month and WTW 24-Month Time Clock until June 30, 2021, or until the termination of the State of Emergency, whichever is sooner. ACWDL August 31, 2020 details how the exemption should be applied.</p> <p>Additional Information The COVID good cause exemption does not apply to the CalWORKs 48-Month Time Clock for individuals who have received 61 or more TANF months of aid. There are individuals who received the exemption erroneously during March-November 2020. Participants who still have months remaining on the CalWORKs 48-Month Time Clock and have exhausted TANF, but who did not exceed it (61 or more months) are still eligible for the COVID-19 Good Cause exemption.</p> <p>County Action</p>
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	<p>A list of cases with individuals who erroneously received a COVID Good Cause exemption and who have used 61 or more months of TANF has been posted to:</p> <p>C-IV and LRS <div style="background-color: black; height: 1.2em; width: 550px; margin-top: 5px;"></div></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Follow the link and review the list for your county. 2) Complete a time on aid review for cases with an erroneous exemption. 3) Follow your county process to determine eligibility and establish an overpayment as appropriate.
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Attachments:	None
Web Portal Link:	<div style="background-color: black; height: 1.2em; width: 80px; margin-bottom: 10px;"></div> <p>OR</p> <p>You may also retrieve the CIT document and attachments by following these steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Click on the CRFIs & CITs link at the top of the page. 2. Click on the "CalSAWS Information Transmittal (CIT)" folder. 3. Click on the "2020" folder. 4. Click on the appropriate CIT # folder.