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CIT Name:	**SCR CA 225692 / CIV 108674; COVID Good Cause CW and TANF Time On Aid**
From:	CalSAWS Project

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Description: (Including any step-by-step instructions)	**Purpose**
	The purpose of this CIT is to inform the C-IV and LRS counties of the implementation of SCR CA-225692/CIV-108674 to apply the COVID Good Cause exemption to exclude individuals who have used 61 or more months of TANF and more than 48 months of CalWORKs.
	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.
	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 or more than 48 months of CalWORKs. There are individuals who exceed the CalWORKs 48-Month Time Clock limit and may have received the exemption erroneously from November 2020 to March 2021. CA-225692/CIV-108674 will apply the exemption from April 2021 until June 2021.
	County Action

	A list of cases with individuals who erroneously received a COVID Good Cause exemption and who have used 61 or more months of TANF or more than 48 months of CalWORKs has been posted to: C-IV and LRS ███████████████████████ 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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