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CIT Name	CalWORKs/CalFresh COLA FFY 2026 Batch Memorandum

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Description

Purpose

The purpose of this CIT is to inform CalSAWS counties of the batch memorandum associated with CA-288618 FFY 2025-2026 CalFresh COLA; Update CalWORKs IRT levels for 2025-2026


Background

SCR CA-288618, will the update the COLA values for CalWORKs (CW) and CalFresh (CF) on September 04, 2025, as follows:

- Per Draft ACL 25-XX, the CalWORKs Tier 1 and Tier 2 IRT increase.
- Per Draft ACIN I-XX-25, Nutrition Service SNAP COLA memo FFY 2026.

These changes will be effective as of October 1, 2025.

Note: There will be no changes to CW and RCA MAP values with this year's COLA update.

	<p>Additional Information</p> <p>CA-293920 ACIN I-XX-25- FFY 2025-2026 CalFresh COLA; ACL 25-XX CW IRT - EDBC Batch Job will run batch and apply the new values for CalFresh and CalWORKs starting September 13, 2025, and continue through September 16, 2025.</p> <p>NOTE: EDBC will not run for 'Yellow Banner' programs. Counties can check 'Yellow Banner' programs daily with the latest Qlik report.</p> <p>County Actions</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Counties are encouraged to distribute the information in the attached Batch Memorandum to appropriate staff. Copy your Regional Manager(s) on any questions you might send to the Primary or Backup Project Contact.
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Backup Project Contact	<p>For CalWORKs/CalFresh:</p> <p>Committee.CalWORKs_CalFresh.Facilitator@CalSAWS.org</p> <p>For Foster Care/ARC/Kin-GAP/AAP:</p> <p>Michelle Ramos RamosM@CalSAWS.org</p>
Attachments	CW_CF_COLA_Batch Memorandum- September 2025.docx
Web Portal Link	<p></p> <p>OR</p> <p>You may also retrieve the CIT document and attachments by following these steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Click on the CRFIs & CITs link at the top of the page. Click on the "CalSAWS Information Transmittal (CIT)" folder. Click on the "2025" folder. Click on the appropriate CIT # folder.