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CIT Name	**CA-290450- 2026 Social Security Title II and Title XVI Cost of Living Adjustment (SSA COLA) Batch Memorandum**

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Description	
	Purpose The purpose of this CIT is to provide counties with the batch memorandum associated with **CA-290450 Batch EDBC to apply 2026 SSA Cost of Living Adjustments (COLA).** **Background** **SCR CA-290450- Batch EDBC to apply 2026 SSA Cost of Living Adjustments (COLA)** will update the SSA income and Medicare Part B premium records per the 2026 SSA COLA on 12/13/2025, with an effective date of 1/1/2026 per [ACWDL 25-22](#), [ACWDL 25-26](#), [ACIN I-56-25](#). **Additional Information** **SCR CA-290450** will run Batch EDBC starting the weekend of 12/13/2025. This will apply the new COLA values for Medi-Cal, CalWORKs, Diversion, Immediate Need, CAPI, CalFresh, Nutrition Benefit, Foster Care/AAP/ARC, Kin-GAP, RCA, LA GA/GR and GA/GR Automated Solution programs for the January 2026 benefit month.

Separate CITs for lists related to the COLAs will be sent after the data update and batch job is completed and the lists are available.

NOTE: EDBC will not run for 'Yellow Banner' programs. Counties can check 'Yellow Banner' programs daily with the latest Qlik report. Please refer to **CIT 0316-22 CA-243555** CalSAWS Converted Case Review Dashboard and **CIT 0313-23** for more information on 'Yellow Banner Cases'.

County Action

Counties are encouraged to distribute the information in the 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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Attachments	2026 SSA COLA Batch Memorandum.docx
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