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| Distribution Date | January 12, 2026 |
| To | PPOC.ALL; Committee.CalWORKs_CalFresh.All |
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| CIT Name | CA-290473– ACIN I-56-25 CalFresh SSI COLA 2026 Exception Lists |

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

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Description

Purpose

The purpose of this CIT is to notify counties that the lists for **CA-290473-ACIN I-56-25 CalFresh SSI COLA - 2026 In-Bound File from MEDS** has been posted to the CalSAWS Web Portal.

Background

SCR CA-290473- ACIN I-56-25 CalFresh SSI COLA - 2026 In-Bound File from MEDS (R. 26.01.08) updated the 2026 SSI and SSP amounts in the Other Public Assistance (OPA) records for CalFresh recipients.

Additional Information

SCR CA-290474 ran Batch EDBC on 01/10/2026 to apply the new 2026 SSI and SSP COLA values for the February 2026 benefit month.

County Actions

One-time lists of cases associated with CA-290473 has been posted to the CalSAWS Web Portal in the following location:

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Users must follow their county's business process to review the cases and take any necessary actions.

| <u>List</u> | <u>County Action</u> |
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| List of Cases where the OPA record was not updated Includes additional columns for Benefit Month, CIN #, First Name, Last Name, Middle Initial, MEDS SSI Eligible Amount, MEDS SSP Eligible Amount, MEDS SSI Paid Amount, MEDS SSP Paid Amount. | These are cases where SSI/SSP information does not match between MEDS and CalSAWS or the SSI/SSP Eligible amounts exceed the SSI/SSP Paid amounts. The user will need to review the SSI/SSP OPA records and MEDS and manually update the SSI/SSP OPA record as appropriate. |
| Cases where SSI, SSP, or SSI/SSP OPA records was updated with zero amount Includes additional columns for Benefit Month, CIN #, First Name, Last Name, Middle Initial, MEDS SSI Eligible Amount, MEDS SSP Eligible Amount, MEDS SSI Paid Amount, MEDS SSP Paid Amount. | Informational only |

Copy your Regional Manager(s) on any questions you might send to the Primary or Backup Project Contact.

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Attachments

None

Web Portal Link

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OR

You may also retrieve the CIT document and attachments by following these steps:

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 "2026" folder.

4. Click on the appropriate CIT # folder.