



LOS ANGELES COUNTY CALWORKS YOUTH JOBS INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN

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YOUTH JOBS PROJECT FOR PROGRAM
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To: All LWIAs and CalWORKs Service Providers

The purpose of this bulletin is to inform all LWIAs and CalWORKs service providers of the status of the CalWORKs Youth Jobs Project for program year 2002-03.

Although funding cuts may occur in some of the LTFSS projects, we are hopeful that the CalWORKs Youth Jobs Project funding is not decreased. If cuts do occur, funding allocations will be revised accordingly.

CSS is currently in the process of seeking approval from the Board of Supervisors for funding allocations for the 2002-03 program year. The funding allocations, as seen in Attachment I of this bulletin, are planning figures only. The actual allocations are not final until DPSS and Board of Supervisors approval is received. We will contact you shortly to verify your current address and phone number for the CalWORKs flyer (announcing the start of the program for PY 2002-03).

We are also in the process of obtaining the list of total eligible CalWORKs participants from DPSS. Our contacts have indicated that they are processing our request and the listing should be available within 2 to 3 weeks and a disk will be forwarded to you. Please note that funds which are allocated for PY 2002-03 may not be spent prior to July 1, 2002. Therefore, LWIAs and service providers may use funds from the current program year (2001-02) for all start-up costs incurred prior to July 1, 2002. Moreover, there will be no provisions for advance payments in the up-coming program year.

Additionally, as was the case in the current program year, we are requesting that all LWIAs and service providers set aside up to 10% of their PY 2002-03 allocation as start up costs for PY 2003-04.

If you have any questions please contact Patrick Malekian at (213) 738-2683.

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Attachment