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Medi-Cal Eligibility Division Information Letter No.: I 17-09

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

ALL COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS

ALL COUNTY MEDI-CAL PROGRAM SPECIALISTS/LIAISONS

ALL COUNTY HEALTH EXECUTIVES

ALL COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: Updated Modified Adjusted Gross Income and Deductions Types Chart

The purpose of this letter is to inform counties of the May 9, 2017, updates to the "Modified Adjusted Gross Income (MAGI) and Deductions Types" chart, located in the County Operations Support portion of the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) website.

DHCS added an introduction and instructions for applicants on how to use the chart as a reference when completing the Single Streamlined Application online. With the implementation of Change Request 57638, February 13, 2017, applicants can now click the help-link in the income page to open the income and deduction chart. In addition, DHCS made cosmetic changes, such as listing items with bullets to make the chart more user-friendly and made the lettering darker to make it easier to read.

DHCS also updated the following income types for MAGI Medi-Cal and Advance Premium Tax Credit (APTC)/ Cost Sharing Reduction (CCR):

- AmeriCorps State/National Stipend and Education Award
 - o (MAGI) Not Counted
- AmeriCorps National Civilian Community Corps Stipend and Education Award
 - o (MAGI) Not Counted
- AmeriCorps Vista Stipend and Educational Award
 - o (MAGI) Not Counted

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- Distributions from Alaska Native corporations and settlement trusts
 - o (APTC/CSR) Count taxable portion ONLY

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