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Medi-Cal Eligibility Division Information Letter No.: I 17-08E

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

ALL COUNTY MEDI-CAL PROGRAM SPECIALISTS/LIAISONS

SUBJECT: Online Single-Streamlined Application Updates Errata

(Ref: Medi-Cal Eligibility Division Information Letter 17-08)

The purpose of this errata is to correct the release date stated in Medi-Cal Eligibility Division Information Letter (MEDIL) I 17-08. The Online Single-Streamlined Application (SSApp) updates in the California Healthcare Eligibility, Enrollment, and Retention System were expected to be deployed in the 17.7 release, effective July 31, 2017. Certain updates to the Online SSApp were deployed in the 17.6 release, on June 26, 2017. These updates include:

- The addition of Transgender: Male to Female and Transgender: Female to Male to the "What is your gender?" question; and
- The ability for individuals to report a pregnancy and be deemed pregnant for purposes of their eligibility determination regardless of gender identified; and
- The collection of optional Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity information after the submission of an application.

All other updates to the Online SSApp included in this work effort will be delayed from the 17.7 release into a future release. The Department of Health Care Services will release a subsequent MEDIL once the implementation date is available.

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