

# State of California—Health and Human Services Agency Department of Health Services



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TO:

ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

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ALL COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS

ALL COUNTY MEDI-CAL PROGRAM SPECIALISTS/LIAISONS

ALL COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS COORDINATORS

ALL COUNTY HEALTH EXECUTIVES

ALL COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: 2005 TUBERCULOSIS INCOME STANDARD AND RELATED

**ISSUES** 

This letter is to provide all counties with the 2005 income standard and resource information for use in the Medi-Cal Tuberculosis (TB) Program.

### 2005 TB Income Standard

Indívidual:

\$1,243

NOTE: If the applicant is married and living with the spouse, use only the applicant's income received in his/her name.

#### 2005 Resource Limit

Individual:

\$2,000

NOTE:

- 1) If the applicant is married when determining property, use only the applicant's separate property and one-half of the community property.
- 2) When determining a child's eligibility and there is one parent present, allow the parent a property limit of \$2000; when two parents are present, allow the parents a property limit of \$3,000.

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## 2005 Supplemental Security Income Standard Allocation

\$290 (Maximum amount allowed to an ineligible child from an ineligible parent(s)).

## 2005 Federal Benefit Rate (used to determine the Parental Deduction)

Individual \$579 Couple \$869

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Helen Cahueque at (916) 552-9482.

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