

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



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TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS Letter No.: 08-60

ALL COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS

ALL COUNTY MEDI-CAL PROGRAM SPECIALIST/LIAISONS

ALL COUNTY HEALTH EXECUTIVES

ALL COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: 2009 TUBERCULOSIS INCOME STANDARD AND RELATED

**ISSUES** 

The purpose of this letter is to provide all counties with the 2009 income standard and resource information for use in the Medi-Cal Tuberculosis (TB) Program.

## 2009 TB Income Standard

Individual: \$1,433

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

## 2009 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 are two parents present, allow the parents a property limit of \$3,000.

2009 Supplemental Security Income Standard Allocation

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\$337 Maximum amount allowed to an eligible child from an ineligible parent(s). <u>2009</u> Federal Benefit Rate (used to determine the Parental Deduction)

Individual: \$674 Couple: \$1,011

If you have any questions, please contact Helen Cahueque of my staff at (916) 552-9482 or <a href="mailto:helen.cahueque@dhcs.ca.gov">helen.cahueque@dhcs.ca.gov</a>.

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