

OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES

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| LOCAL COMMISSIONERS MEMORANDUM |
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Division: Administration

TO: Local District Commissioners

SUBJECT: FISCAL: Allocation of TANF Transfer to
Title XX

ATTACHMENTS: SFY 1999-2000 TANF Transfer to
Title XX ALLOCATIONS (On-Line)

The purpose of this memorandum is to notify social services districts of their allocation from an Emergency Appropriation enacted by the Legislature and signed by the Governor for State Fiscal Year (SFY) 1999-2000. The Emergency Appropriation authorizes \$120,500,000 in Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) funds to be transferred to the Social Services Block Grant (Title XX).

The preliminary allocation of these transfer funds is based on the SFY 1998-1999 allocation percentage determined for the Family and Children's Services Block Grant. The \$120,500,000 is composed of \$70,100,000 that will be distributed to social services districts and \$50,400,000 million that will offset Family and Children's Services Block Grant payments. A chart depicting the allocation schedule of the \$70,100,000 and the impact of the \$50,400,000 are included with this memorandum as attachments. The preliminary allocation and the final TANF transfer to Title XX amount are subject to terms and conditions contained in the SFY 1999-2000 enacted budget.

Due to Federal TANF income eligibility requirements, the TANF funds transferred to Title XX must be expended for

services to families whose income is no greater than 200 percent of the Federal Poverty Income level for the family size. All Title XX rules apply to these funds, including the prohibition for use for foster care maintenance.

Local Social Services Districts should be aware that a \$95 million statewide claiming restriction for Child Protective Services (CPS) is expected to be reauthorized. The claiming restriction requires that districts claim a portion of their CPS expenditures for reimbursement from their Title XX funds and/or the TANF funds set aside for child welfare services under the Emergency Assistance to Families (EAF) program.

Information/Questions Contact

To request addition information or to ask questions regarding these allocations, contact:

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SFY 1999-2000 TANF Transfer to Title XX ALLOCATIONS

District	F&CS Block Grant Offset	Preliminary 1999/2000 LDSS Allocation
Albany	894,964	1,244,781
Allegany	117,131	162,915
Broome	463,162	644,199
Cattaraugus	156,596	217,805
Cayuga	153,178	213,051
Chautauqua	160,116	222,700
Chemung	206,956	287,849
Chenango	53,748	74,757
Clinton	125,522	174,585
Columbia	108,880	151,439
Cortland	108,332	150,676
Delaware	92,898	129,210
Dutchess	338,279	470,503
Erie	1,690,290	2,350,979
Essex	45,180	62,840
Franklin	43,193	60,076
Fulton	119,905	166,773
Genesee	55,051	76,569
Greene	74,883	104,153
Hamilton	8,333	11,589
Herkimer	66,065	91,888
Jefferson	191,352	266,147
Lewis	30,286	42,124
Livingston	65,291	90,812
Madison	124,227	172,783
Monroe	1,945,305	2,705,672
Montgomery	77,883	108,326
Nassau	1,063,779	1,479,582
Niagara	438,205	609,488
Oneida	669,978	931,854
Onondaga	1,307,745	1,818,907
Ontario	119,967	166,858
Orange	710,688	988,476
Orleans	42,410	58,987
Oswego	282,506	392,930
Otsego	106,399	147,988
Putnam	64,402	89,575
Rensselaer	272,690	379,278
Rockland	505,326	702,844
St. Lawrence	234,953	326,790
Saratoga	187,985	261,463
Schenectady	511,503	711,436
Schoharie	50,301	69,962

SFY 1999-2000 TANF Transfer to Title XX ALLOCATIONS

District	F&CS Block Grant Offset	Preliminary 1999/2000 LDSS Allocation
Schuyler	40,460	56,275
Seneca	70,744	98,396
Steuben	169,040	235,113
Suffolk	1,186,173	1,649,816
Sullivan	223,477	310,828
Tioga	87,000	121,006
Tompkins	137,687	191,505
Ulster	385,527	536,219
Warren	59,153	82,274
Washington	89,686	124,741
Wayne	100,037	139,139
Westchester	2,007,965	2,792,824
Wyoming	56,073	77,991
Yates	22,252	30,950
Upstate	18,721,117	26,038,696
NYC	31,678,883	44,061,304
Totals	50,400,000	70,100,000