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ADP BULLETIN

Title Use of Substance Abuse and Treatment Trust Funds for Drug Medi-Cal Services

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PURPOSE

This bulletin is to inform counties that Substance Abuse and Treatment Trust Funds (SATTF) may be used for Drug Medi-Cal (DMC) costs that exceed the maximum allowance.

DISCUSSION

Counties may reimburse DMC providers with SATTF for DMC costs that exceed the DMC maximum allowance for services provided to Substance Abuse and Crime Prevention Act of 2000 clients. The County Substance Abuse and Crime Prevention Act of 2000 Lead Agency will decide if SATTF will be used to cover costs above the DMC maximum allowance. This policy is effective beginning with Fiscal Year (FY) 2001-02.

Instructions for using SATTF for DMC costs over the maximum allowance for FY 2001-02 is included in Exhibit 1 of this bulletin. These instructions are specific for FY 2001-02 as the cost report diskette was developed prior to approval of this policy.

REFERENCES

Section 9350, Allowable Costs and Activities for Substance Abuse Treatment Trust Funds, Chapter 2.5, Division 4, Title 9, California Code of Regulations.

HISTORY

ADP Letter 96-66, dated December 31, 1996.

QUESTIONS/MAINTENANCE

If you have questions concerning this issue, please contact the Fiscal Management and Accountability Branch analyst assigned to your county.

EXHIBITS

Exhibit 1: Addendum to FY 2001-02 Cost Report Instructions

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