

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES

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To: All County Welfare Directors

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THREE MONTH RETROACTIVE CARDS FOR MEDICALLY INDIGENT ADULTS (MIA) AID CODES  
84, 85, 88 AND 89

The following information is submitted to you per your request at the CWDA meeting of December 15, 1982.

A prepost indicator of "1" in the CID system automatically produces three months worth of Medi-Cal cards (three month retro, or one month current and two months retro -- but no future cards). However, as of September 1, 1982 a county cannot request three month retroactive eligibility for aid codes 84, 85, 88, and 89 (MIA aid codes) with a prepost indicator of "1". If a prepost indicator of "1" appears with any card request for those aid codes the entire record rejects. Therefore, to request cards with MIA codes, a county must send CID a separate record for each month with a prepost indicator of "0", or it can be left blank.

If you have any questions please contact your Medi-Cal Program Consultant.

Sincerely,

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cc: Medi-Cal Liaisons  
Medi-Cal Program Consultants