

INFORMATION NOTICE

WORKFORCE SERVICES

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TO: WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY

SUBJECT: UI FEDERAL EXTENSIONS TO EXPIRE DECEMBER 28, 2013

This Information Notice serves to inform the Workforce Development Community about the expiration of federal extensions of Unemployment Insurance (UI) benefits.

Please be advised that unless congressional action is taken, the federal extensions of UI benefits that provide financial assistance to more than 214,000 Californians are scheduled to expire at the end of the calendar year. The federal government has authorized up to 37 weeks of additional benefits when claimants exhaust their regular State UI benefits. The last week payable on these federal UI extensions is December 28, 2013. Please note that it does not matter if a claimant has funds remaining on his or her federal claim – no federal extension benefits will be paid after December 28, 2013.

The Employment Development Department (EDD) has notified individuals who are receiving federal extension benefits that these benefits will no longer be available after December 28, 2013, so they can plan their personal finances accordingly. The notification letters also refer these individuals to agencies that provide a wide variety of assistance, such as the America's Job Centers of CaliforniaSM (AJCC), formerly known as One-Stop Career Centers, where job search assistance can be obtained.

More than 617,000 individuals are currently certifying for UI benefits and about one-third of them will be impacted when the federal extension benefits expire. Local Workforce Investment Areas and AJCCs may experience an increased demand for services in early 2014 from Californians that no longer receive critical federal extension benefits after December 28, 2013. See the attached document for the county breakdown of claimants affected by the expiration of federal extension benefits. It is recommended that you meet jointly with your EDD, human services and workforce counterparts in your communities to coordinate outreach and services that maximize limited staffing and resources.

For more information and updates about the UI program and federal extensions, visit www.edd.ca.gov/unemployment/.

/S/ JOSÉ LUIS MÁRQUEZ, Chief
Workforce Services Division

Attachment

The EDD is an equal opportunity employer/program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

**California Employment Development Department
 Federal Extension Shutdown Notices Mailed to Claimants By California Counties
 (Includes claimants certifying for federal EUC extension benefits as of November 15, 2013)**

California County	Claimants
Alameda	8064
Alpine	1
Amador	200
Butte	1242
Calaveras	259
Colusa	244
Contra Costa	5533
Del Norte	170
El Dorado	949
Fresno	7108
Glenn	184
Humboldt	575
Imperial	3515
Inyo	73
Kern	5279
Kings	952
Lake	454
Lassen	104
Los Angeles	53865
Madera	922
Marin	860
Mariposa	118
Mendocino	396
Merced	1939
Modoc	83
Mono	90
Monterey	2442
Napa	598
Nevada	510
Orange	14171
Placer	1731
Plumas	151
Riverside	13925
Sacramento	8599
San Benito	414
San Bernardino	13218
San Diego	18720
San Francisco	4204
San Joaquin	4924
San Luis Obispo	1078
San Mateo	2887
Santa Barbara	1759

Santa Clara	8828
Santa Cruz	1450
Shasta	1297
Sierra	25
Siskiyou	250
Solano	2640
Sonoma	2236
Stanislaus	3749
Sutter	687
Tehama	400
Trinity	69
Tulare	3256
Tuolumne	313
Ventura	4674
Yolo	864
Yuba	545
Total	213,793

Data Notes:

Total Records	222,461	
Total Records in California	214,980	
Matched Addresses for California	213,793	99%
Unmatched Addresses for California*	1,187	1%
Out of State Addresses**	7,481	

*Unmatched addresses are incomplete addresses and cannot be geocoded;
 These addresses are not included in the county summary.

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Data Source:

Unemployment Insurance Program
 EUC08 Claimants

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