

County of San Diego, Health and Human Services Agency (HHS)
Program Guide Special Notice

Increase to General Relief (GR) Grant and In-Kind Values

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Effective Date:

October 1, 2021

Background:

As part of the implementation of the General Relief (GR) Program changes effective February 1, 2014, GR grant amounts change whenever the CalWORKs Maximum Aid Payment (MAP) grant amounts change.

Purpose:

To provide the increased grant and in-kind values based on the CalWORKs increase.

Policy:

Due to the CalWORKs MAP increase effective October 1, 2021, GR will have a 5.3% grant increase.

Procedure:

Use the increased grant and in-kind values to determine eligibility and ongoing grant amounts effective October 1, 2021.

Impacts:

Automation

The GR Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) will run a COLA the weekend of September 5, 2021. Instructions on any reports resulting from this run will be issued separately.

Other Programs Affected

CalFresh Recipients who receive both GR and CalFresh will need their CalFresh benefits to be recalculated because of the increase in the cash grant. This action is considered Known-to-County information. Refer to the CalFresh Program Guide.

References:

Board of Supervisors Minute Orders 11/5/13 (3) and 12/3/13 (14)
ACL 21-87

Sunset Date:

This policy will be reviewed for continuance by October 31, 2022.

Approval for Release:

 for:

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GENERAL RELIEF (GR) WORK PROJECT DAYS

Work Project Days Assigned	GR Grant Amount
0 Days	\$0 - \$111
1 Day	\$112 - \$223
2 Days	\$224 - \$335
3 Days	\$336 - \$447
4 Days	\$448 - \$472

ATTACHMENT A