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TO: PROJECT DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: PROGRAM LETTER 18-01: NUTRITION EDUCATION AND OBESITY  
PREVENTION BRANCH, FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR (FFY) 2019 SNAP-ED  
FUNDING REDUCTION

This Program Letter informs Nutrition Education and Obesity Prevention Branch (NEOPB) Contractors that the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) FFY 2019 Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Education (SNAP-Ed) budget is expected to decrease by \$5,154,191 annually, beginning next FFY 2019 through FFY 2021. CDPH's overall annual SNAP-Ed budget will decrease from \$77,664,191 to \$72,500,000.

Please refer to the enclosed funding chart which highlights the projected budget amounts for the Local Health Departments (LHDs) beginning in FFY 2019. Please work with your assigned Contract Manager directly to develop your FFY 2019 budgets.

Sincerely,

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Nutrition Education and Obesity Prevention Branch

Enclosure

