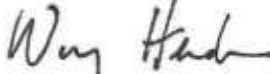


To: DCF/DMCPS Administrator
DCF Area Administrators
Child Placing Agency Directors
Child Welfare Agency Directors
County Departments of Community Programs Directors
County Departments of Human Services Directors
County Departments of Social Services Directors
Group Home Providers
Tribal Social Service/Indian Child Welfare Directors
Private Child Placing Agencies
Residential Care Center Providers
Shelter Care Providers
Tribal Chairpersons

From: Wendy Henderson
Division Administrator 

Re: **2021 Wisconsin Act 58 Youth Aids Increase for Calendar Year 2021**

PURPOSE

This memo provides notification of the increase to calendar year (CY) 2021 Youth Aids allocations authorized by 2021 Wisconsin Act 58, the 2021-23 Biennial Budget.

BACKGROUND

Youth Aids is the primary source of state funding for community-based juvenile justice services. Youth Aids includes several funding sources, including state GPR, federal Title IV-E revenue, and federal Title IV-B Subpart 1. Funds are awarded on a calendar year basis as part of the State-County Contract Child Welfare Contract. The amount of funding and formulas for allocating funds are established under s. 48.526, Wis. Stats.

2021 Wisconsin Act 58, the 2021-23 Biennial Budget, increased the statutory Youth Aids allocation by \$4,714,300 each fiscal year, including \$2,357,150 for the period of July through December 2021.

INFORMATION SUMMARY

The Youth Aids allocation formula, as established by s. 48.526, Wis. Stats., includes both a base component of the allocation and several variable components that are updated each year based on recent data. 2021 Wisconsin Act 58 increased the Youth Aids base funding. Therefore, the amount of each county's increase is proportionate to their share of the Youth Aids base allocation, meaning each county receives the same percentage increase to base component of their Youth Aids allocation. The attached table shows the amount of the July – December 2021 increase for each county.

The amount of the increase will be added to each county's Youth Aids funding in the CY 2021

State-County Child Welfare contract. Counties will receive and need to sign an amendment to the state-county contract to access these funds.

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ATTACHMENT: 2021 Wisconsin Act 58 Youth Aids Increase for 2021

ATTACHMENT 1**2021 Wisconsin Act 58 Youth Aids Increase for 2021**

COUNTY	July - Dec 21 Increase
Adams	\$ 6,057
Ashland	\$ 6,044
Barron	\$ 13,181
Bayfield	\$ 4,383
Brown	\$ 58,734
Buffalo	\$ 1,637
Burnett	\$ 6,018
Calumet	\$ 8,311
Chippewa	\$ 16,645
Clark	\$ 13,987
Columbia	\$ 10,129
Crawford	\$ 4,170
Dane	\$ 157,186
Dodge	\$ 19,101
Door	\$ 5,864
Douglas	\$ 31,325
Dunn	\$ 6,460
Eau Claire	\$ 30,686
Florence	\$ 1,626
Fond Du Lac	\$ 26,754
Forest	\$ 1,983
Grant	\$ 7,635
Green	\$ 6,696
Green Lake	\$ 3,708
Iowa	\$ 4,771
Iron	\$ 1,314
Jackson	\$ 5,296
Jefferson	\$ 18,072
Juneau	\$ 7,032
Kenosha	\$ 88,259
Kewaunee	\$ 3,375
Lacrosse	\$ 36,524
Lafayette	\$ 2,133
Langlade	\$ 10,980
Lincoln	\$ 10,682
Manitowoc	\$ 17,569
Marathon	\$ 42,466

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COUNTY	July - Dec 21 Increase
Marinette	\$ 14,908
Marquette	\$ 2,695
Menominee	\$ 14,653
Milwaukee	\$ 871,516
Monroe	\$ 20,074
Oconto	\$ 9,643
Oneida	\$ 15,059
Outagamie	\$ 49,143
Ozaukee	\$ 19,295
Pepin	\$ 1,789
Pierce	\$ 8,413
Polk	\$ 12,110
Portage	\$ 14,722
Price	\$ 3,994
Racine	\$ 117,507
Richland	\$ 2,598
Rock	\$ 93,551
Rusk	\$ 6,489
Saint Croix	\$ 17,036
Sauk	\$ 14,000
Sawyer	\$ 5,283
Shawano	\$ 15,218
Sheboygan	\$ 33,037
Taylor	\$ 5,796
Trempealeau	\$ 3,572
Vernon	\$ 5,879
Vilas	\$ 7,920
Walworth	\$ 25,198
Washburn	\$ 4,659
Washington	\$ 36,045
Waukesha	\$ 104,184
Waupaca	\$ 15,225
Waushara	\$ 7,651
Winnebago	\$ 44,587
Wood	\$ 36,908
County Total	\$ 2,357,150