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TO: REGIONAL CENTER EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: UPDATED CLAIMING DEADLINE FOR REGIONAL CENTER
OPERATIONS EXPENDITURES FUNDED BY THE AMERICAN
RESCUE PLAN ACT

This letter notifies regional centers of the extended timeline to spend funds on initiatives funded through the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) for Part C and included in the Department of Developmental Services (Department) guidance dated [June 30, 2022](#).

Regional centers are encouraged to submit claims to the Department on a monthly basis and must submit claims no later than November 15, 2024. Questions regarding this correspondence should be directed to Reyna Ambriz at Reyna.Ambriz@dds.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by:

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Enclosures

cc: Regional Center Directors of Consumer Services
Regional Center Community Services Directors
Regional Center Administrators
Association of Regional Center Agencies