


DATE: March 3, 2021

TO: Public and Private Resource Parents

FROM: Michelle L. Farr, LCSW-C, LICSW 
Executive Director, Social Services Administration

RE: Update: Second Request- Children's Cabinet Funds

SSA issued correspondence to the Local Departments of Social Services (LDSS) Directors and Assistant Directors, and to Public and Private Resource Parents in late December to share exciting news about the second round of funds that we were able to secure to support youth, families, vulnerable adults and providers during this public health emergency. The memorandums dated December 18, 2021 (LDSS Directors and Assistant Directors) and December 23, 2020 (Private and Public Resource Parents) indicated that checks would be issued by March 1, 2021.

Recently, the SSA team received information that will require additional research and exploration to ensure accuracy of the data so that checks can be distributed to the appropriate individuals. The new timeline for issuance of the checks is April 15, 2021.

If you have any questions, please contact Doris S. Mason, Director of Permanency at Doris.mason1@maryland.gov.

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