

Email the Governor Today and Ask Him to Sign AB 191 into Law Strengthening the Connection between CalFresh and Medi-Cal

| 3 Simple Steps |

Step 1: Use this link to access a form that is emailed to the Governor's office. [link](#)

Fill out the form with your name and email address. Under the "Please Choose Your Subject" tab, scroll down and select "AB00191\CalFresh: categorical eligibility." Click continue.

Step 2: Select your position ("Pro") and add your short message. Use the template below or write up your own using your personal narrative about why AB 191 is important to you.

Dear Governor Brown,

My name is (name) and I live in (city), California. I'm calling to urge you to sign AB 191, which would improve alignment between CalFresh and Medi-Cal and help ensure that low-income households with a Medi-Cal recipient also receive CalFresh nutrition benefits"

Choose one of the following or add your own:

- ▶ AB 191 strengthens the state's safety net and helps to ensure that California families have enough nutritious food to ward off hunger and food insecurity.
- ▶ With the implementation of the Affordable Care Act underway there is no better time to connect low-income Californians with a comprehensive package of benefits that includes CalFresh.
- ▶ Improved alignment between CalFresh and Medi-Cal has the potential to increase CalFresh participation, boost administrative efficiency and increase the likelihood that low-income households have access to both CalFresh and Medi-Cal.
- ▶ AB 191 increases the impact of nutrition benefits for families and the state and local economies. A small state investment will result in hundreds of millions of dollars in federal nutrition benefits provided directly to low-income Californians.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Name, Organization

Step 3: Ask 5 friends to send emails too and tweet about your action ([@CAFoodPolicy](#))

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