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CDFI Credit Union Impact

Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs) must meet stringent criteria to become certified. CDFI credit unions must:

- Direct at least 60% of their lending toward economically distressed people and communities, and
- Build members' capacity to manage credit, increase savings, and increase their financial well-being.

California's 36 CDFI Credit Unions:

- Have combined assets of \$45.9 billion
- Serve 2,496,150 members through 321 branch locations

California's CDFI Credit Unions achieve impact through \$34.7 billion in active loans to members, including:

- \$17.0 billion in commnity mortage lending
- \$11.6 billion in local consumer financing
- \$3.8 billion in lending to local businesses
- \$2.3 billion in affordable alternatives to predatory payday loans



In California's CDFI Investments Areas:

- 14.0% of residents have incomes below the federal poverty line
- The median family has an annual income of \$69,054