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## Financial Security For All



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### UPCOMING WEBINAR: Strengthening Family Resiliency



June 26, 2014

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Pacific / 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Eastern

Join PolicyLink and the Institute for Assets and Social Policy (IASP) for a [conversation](#) on Strengthening Family Resiliency. Hannah Thomas, senior research associate at IASP, will review the key findings of *Keeping Dreams Alive: The Lane-Changer Costs of Financial Disruptions* – the latest report in IASP's [Leveraging Mobility Series](#). Other featured webinar speakers include David Pate, associate professor in the school of Social Work at the University of Wisconsin; Marissa Guananja, director of Chelsea CONNECT; and Mattias Kraemer, deputy director of asset building at Mission Economic Development Agency.

[Click here to learn more about this webinar and to register.](#)

### Making Student Loans More Affordable



This past Monday, President Obama announced new executive actions to "further lift the burden of crushing student loan debt," and signed a presidential memorandum that will allow an additional five million borrowers with federal student loans to cap their monthly payments at just 10 percent of their income. The president also reiterated his call for the Senate to pass legislation that could help an estimated 25 million Americans refinance outstanding student loans at lower interest rates.

[Take a look at the fact sheet released by the White House detailing these new steps.](#)

### Update: Californians for Shared Prosperity



[Californians for Shared Prosperity](#), a coalition dedicated to increasing opportunities for financial security and prosperity for all Californians, is busy working to mobilize low-wage workers and low-to-moderate families in California. The coalition's efforts include the development of a [policy and action agenda](#) focused on encouraging saving and promoting self-sufficiency, expanding access to quality financial products and services, increasing access to higher education, and community college access and completion. The agenda has been

informed by input from more than a thousand constituents through in-person meetings and online surveys.

Take a look for yourself and check out the latest from [Californians for Shared Prosperity](#).

## 2014 Assets Learning Conference & Platforms for Prosperity Contest



If you haven't registered for CFED's September 17-19 Assets Learning Conference in Washington, D.C., [click here to register today](#). Also, this year's conference will explore "Platforms for Prosperity" – which will celebrate organizations' outstanding achievement in asset-building practice, policy, or research. Click here to learn more about the [contest](#) and [submit your entry](#) by June 27.

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