

# NO MORE JUVENILE FEES

Under a new California law (SB 190), counties cannot charge fees to parents and guardians with youth in the juvenile delinquency system beginning January 1, 2018.

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## *What cannot be charged?*

Under the new law, families with youth in juvenile court **cannot** be charged:

- **Detention fees**  
Food, clothing, personal supplies, or medical care in juvenile hall or any other detention facility
- **Lawyer fees**  
Public defender or court-appointed lawyer
- **Electronic monitoring fees**  
Ankle monitors or any other GPS tracking device
- **Probation and home supervision fees**  
For the period of probation monitoring
- **Drug testing fees**  
Court-ordered drug testing and results

If you are charged any of these fees starting January 1, 2018, or have questions about a bill you got from the county after your child was arrested, contact the county department that sent the bill and your child's court-appointed lawyer immediately.

## *What can still be charged?*

- **Restitution**  
Payment to crime victims
- **Restitution fines**  
Fixed amount to a state restitution fund

