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Online Guide Transmittal 2017-91
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To: Department of Transitional Assistance Staff
From:  Paul Sutliff, Assistant Commissioner for Field Operations
Re: SNAP – Student Eligibility Clarifications

Overview

Clients between the ages of 18 and 49 who attend an institution of higher education at least half time and do not meet an exemption are considered students and must meet certain criteria to be eligible for SNAP.

Purpose

This Transmittal obsoletes OLG 2017-52 and informs staff of updated Online Guide content related to student eligibility, including:

- how students verify, gain, and retain eligibility through work-study;
- when it is appropriate to send a *CCE-1* form;
- how to review the *EDUC-1* form;
- eligible Perkins IV programs in Massachusetts; and
- common student eligibility scenarios.

Revised Online Guide Page

Topic: SNAP
Book: Eligibility Requirements
Chapter: Students
Page: Students

Questions

If you have any policy or procedural questions, after conferring with the appropriate TAO personnel, please have your Systems Information Specialists or TAO management email the DTA Mailbox.

Systems issues should be directed to the Systems Support Help Desk.