

Operations Bulletin 2016-1: Streamlining the Gross Income Limit for SNAP

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In an effort to streamline the administration of SNAP, all households that fall under Broad Based Categorical Eligibility are subject to 200% of the federal poverty level income standards at 106 CMR 364.976, effective January 4, 2016.

State regulations, notices and DTA publications including the Online Guide and brochures will be updated to reflect this change.

Remember: Households with an elderly and/or disabled member **are not subject** to a gross income test.

If you have questions, please email the DTA Procedural Mailbox. Systems questions should be directed to the Systems Support Help Desk.

Gross Monthly Categorical Eligibility Income Standards	
Household Size	Gross Income Limit
1	\$1,962
2	\$2,655
3	\$3,348
4	\$4,042
5	\$4,735
6	\$5,428
7	\$6,122
8	\$6,815
For each extra person	+\$693