

JOB S Exemption Coding

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Coding		Exemption	Verification Needed	Removed from participation rates?	
JS	Exmp			State report	Federal Report
D	N	<p>Exempt: Caring for a disabled family member in the household</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cannot be used to exempt for clients own disability 	<p>Yes. Should be verified annually. Recommended to use the DHS 7785.</p>	Yes	Yes
D	P	<p>Exempt: Pregnant and in month of due date or prior month or caring for a child under 6 months of age. Teen parents are only exempt for the first 16 weeks after giving birth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In a 2 parent household, only one parent can be exempt for this reason. For both the state and federal reports, if the individual meets participation, they are included in the report 	<p>For pregnant women, proof of due date is required.</p>	<p>Yes but they are removed based off the age of the child on the case or the DUE N/R. The JOBS exemption coding does not prompt removal.</p>	<p>Yes but only for a max of 12 months in a lifetime. Removal is based off the age of the child & # of months total in lifetime.</p>
D	U	<p>Exempt: Undue Hardship Should be used only for individuals where there is absolutely no actionable step to improve the situation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Example: Individual living in a rural area diagnosed with rare condition preventing them from getting around and there is no specialized doctor in the area to provide medical care 	None	No	No
D	V	Exempt: Vista Volunteer	Yes	No	No
D	M	<p>Exempt: Medical complications due to pregnancy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> It would still be appropriate for the individual to have a plan to reflect activities they are doing. If the individual requires mental health or drug & alcohol activities while pregnant, they can be mandated. When the individual reaches the month prior to their due date, coding should be changed to exempt due to pregnancy (D/P) 	Yes	No	No

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S		Participating in a state funded program: 82 cases, State funded pre SSI/SSDI program (SFPSS), JOBS Plus. <i>(Note: S not currently working on program 82, must use W for JOBS mandatory adults)</i>	N/A	Only one parent JOBS plus cases count. All others are excluded.	Only one parent JOBS plus cases count. All others are excluded.
C	P	Exempt but Volunteers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Currently, the only volunteers allowed are individuals caring for a child under the age of six months. Due to this, the 'Exmp' coding must be 'P' 	N/A	Only if they meet participation	Only if they meet participation
M	Varies	Exempt but required to participate in Mental Health or Drug and Alcohol activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> When using this JOBS Status code, you must code the reason they are exempt in the 'Exmp' field. 	No See OAR 461-135-0085 for more information on this exemption	Depends on their exemption reason	Depends on their exemption reason
W		JOBS mandatory	No	No	No

HOW DOES DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IMPACT THE JOBS PARTICIPATION RATE?

State Report sent to the field: Domestic Violence has no impact on this report

Federal Participation Report: The federal report looks at markers that the State of Oregon have determined meet federal domestic violence requirements.

Markers include:

- DV waiver code in TRACS
- Current DVS coding on UCMS
- Recent payment marked with '22' payment code
- DV activity code with current hours of attendance.

This data is transmitted and kept in the federal report. The federal government may factor this data into Oregon's rate when determining whether to proceed with a penalty or not. It is important to continue to code the above markers accurately as they may help Oregon meet participation requirements federally.