SNAP Employment and Training Coding on FCAS

Type in the appropriate code for: 1) adults at least 18 but not yet 60; and 2) head of household children who are 16 or 17 years old. Do not type in a code for anyone else. Non-waivered areas are counties where ABAWDs are subject to time limits.

MANDATORY WORK REGISTRANT'S E&T REQUIREMENTS:

- A Mandatory who volunteered to go to the contractor (not for ABAWDs in non-waivered areas)
- B Mandatory and chooses not to participate (not for ABAWDs in non-waivered areas)
- C Mandatory ABAWD referred to the contractor
- G No program available (for non-ABAWDs served APD/AAA in entire state or non-ABAWDs in non-waivered areas)
- R ABAWD referred to or participating in Workfare
- S Discretionary exemption for Mandatory ABAWDs-Only with Central Office Authorization
- T Other ABAWD Working 20 hours a week, Trade Act or JOBS plus.
- V ABAWD attending vocational or educational training.

VOLUNTEERS FOR OFSET- FOR EXEMPT ONLY

- X Exempt and volunteers for employment and training activities.
- Y Reserved for future use -DO NOT USE.
- Z Reserved for future use -DO NOT USE.

EXEMPT FROM WORK REGISTRATION

- 1 Caring for dependent child under age 6 or can't pay for child care.
- 2 Student at least half time (includes higher ed, trade school, high school, IRCO, etc.).
- 3 Physically or mentally unfit for work (Includes incapacitated, pregnant and chronically homeless)
- Working for pay 30 hours or more a week or earning the equivalent wages (30 hours x federal minimum wage per week).
- 5 Self-employed earning at least the equivalent of 30 hours per week at federal minimum wage (after costs). Also a migrant or seasonal farm worker with work contract to begin work within 30 days.
- 6 In drug or alcoholic treatment and rehab program (includes AA and NA).
- 7 TANF recipient in JOBS program.
- 8 Caring for an incapacitated or disabled household group member.
- 9 Receiving UC benefits. Also applied for UC and not denied.
- J Reserved for future use –DO NOT USE.
- K Reserved for future use –DO NOT USE.
- L Reserved for future use –DO NOT USE.
- M ABAWD pending medical verification up to three months.

End of List.

Description

This code records two kinds of information: work registration requirements and participation status. If someone is exempt they do not need to maintain/accept employment. Mandatory people must maintain/accept employment or be disqualified unless they have good cause. Both mandatory and exempt people can volunteer except for mandatory ABAWDs living in a non-waivered area. Work registration information must be updated at cert, recert or any time a change occurs, e.g., when the client changes from exempt to mandatory or vice-a-versa or when the client starts or stops volunteering.