

15.5 SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS FOR PARENTS UNDER AGE 18 (WV WORKS)

There are 2 special requirements for parents under the age of 18, as follows. The parent must:

- Remain in an education activity to complete high school, obtain a GED or vocational training. See Chapter 9 for more details.
- Live with parent(s) or in other adult-supervised living arrangement. See Chapter 9 for more details.

Failure to meet the educational requirement results in ineligibility for the parent under age 18.

Failure to live with parent(s) or in another adult-supervised setting results in ineligibility for the parent under age 18 and the child(ren) of such parent.

NOTE: When another parent of the child who is age 18 or over resides in the home, the child may be eligible.

EXAMPLE: A 16-year-old mother lives with the 19-year-old legal father of her baby. The father and the baby may be eligible, although the mother is ineligible.