

## 8.5 LIMITATIONS ON RECEIPT OF OTHER BENEFITS

The following general rules apply to the receipt of other Income Maintenance benefits:

### A. FOOD STAMPS

Food Stamp benefits may be received concurrently with TANF, WV WORKS and/or Medicaid.

The same client may not receive Food Stamps in more than one case for the same month. **EXCEPTION:** Residents of shelters for battered women and children.

### B. TANF

An SSI recipient must not be a TANF recipient, but may be the payee of a TANF case.

A TANF recipient receives TANF and Medicaid under the TANF case number. He must not be included in a separate Medicaid case. He must not be included in more than one TANF case for the same month.

Food Stamp benefits may be received concurrently with TANF and/or Medicaid.

### C. MEDICAID

Medicaid is provided automatically for TANF clients. See item B above.

Food Stamp benefits may be received concurrently with Medicaid.

No person can receive Medicaid coverage under more than one case number concurrently, unless he receives coverage under one case number and is payee only for another.

An individual must not have separate Medicaid and TANF cases.

D. WV WORKS

WV WORKS benefits may be received concurrently with Food Stamps and Medicaid, but not with TANF.

If the WV WORKS benefit group meets all AFDC/U requirements, Medicaid is received under the same case number with WV WORKS benefits. Since Medicaid is not automatic with receipt of WV WORKS, a separate Medicaid case must be opened to provide Medicaid under the appropriate coverage group. A WV WORKS recipient may not be included in more than one WV WORKS case for the same month.

An SSI recipient, who is included in a WV WORKS case, must receive Medicaid in a separate A, B or D case in the C-219 system.