## MANUAL MATERIAL TRANSMISSION WV INCOME MAINTENANCE MANUAL

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**TO:** ALL INCOME MAINTENANCE MANUAL HOLDERS

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This change was made to update the Food Stamp institutional policy for students, work requirement exemptions and good cause provisions for voluntary quit based on recent clarification from FNS.

**Section 4.3:** A correction was made to the abbreviation for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (TTPI).

**Sections 8.2 & 9.1:** References to students who reside in dormitories were updated to exempt those who do not receive the majority of their meals from the institution.

**Section 9.1:** A reference to AG members who are absent or expected to be absent for a full calendar month was added. This was mistakenly left out of change # 416.

**Section 13.2:** An exemption was added for individuals age 16 or 17 who are not the RAPIDS primary person or Food Stamp payee. Information regarding suspended UCI benefits was moved from Section 2.2.

A note was added regarding ABAWDs and text regarding failure to comply with UCI requirements was moved to this Section from Section 2.2.

The FS work requirements for WV WORKS recipients was clarified to address the impact of the WV WORKS changes due to the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 (DRA). WV chose to align work requirements, but not the exemptions.

**Section 13.3:** Additional good cause reasons were added to address those who are forced to leave employment in order to enroll in school or due to the lack of adequate child care for a child under age 12.

Questions should be directed to the DFA Economic Services Policy Unit.

RAPIDS questions should be directed to the RAPIDS Help Desk.