

25.2 AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY

To operate the SNAP E&T Program, the DHHR Worker and the SNAP E&T Worker are responsible for duties as outlined in this section. Referrals are made to the FSE&T Worker through RAPIDS. The focus of the SNAP E&T Worker is on providing non-exempt E&T Participants with opportunities to meet the work requirement. They may work with other volunteer SNAP recipients who request to participate and who are referred to them by a DHHR Worker.

A. DHHR WORKER RESPONSIBILITIES

The Income Maintenance Worker is responsible for:

- Processing SNAP applications and determining eligibility;
- Management of the SNAP case;
- Determining work registration exemptions;
- Making decisions on determination of exemption from participation based on recommendations from the SNAP E&T Worker;
- Informing those exempt from registration that it is possible to volunteer for SNAP E&T;
- Referring the case to the SNAP E&T Worker through RAPIDS;
- Referring exempt E&T Participants and other individuals subject to the SNAP work requirements to **WorkForce West Virginia**.
- Representing the Department in hearings, pre-hearing conferences and providing testimony and documentation.

B. SNAP E&T WORKER RESPONSIBILITIES

The SNAP E&T Worker is responsible for:

- Accept referrals for non-exempt E&T Participant volunteers who request SNAP E&T services;
- Notification of appointments for orientation/enrollment, initial assessment, and development of the **Self-Sufficiency Plan**;
- Screening and scheduling clients for SNAP E&T activities;