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## ***GOOD CAUSE* REASONS FOR NOT RETURNING YOUR TRANSITIONAL BENEFITS REPORT TIMELY**

You may continue to receive Medicaid if you have a *good cause* reason for not returning your Transitional Benefit Report timely. You have a *good cause* if one of the following happened:

1. Someone died in your household; or
2. You, your spouse or a child for whom you provide care was in the hospital; or
3. Circumstances beyond your control, limited to:
  - a. a natural disaster
  - b. a fire
  - c. a computer breakdown at the state
  - d. a postal strike or postal delay, provided the return envelope is postmarked the day prior to the deadline; or
4. Any other reason if you tell the county and the county hearing officer determines it is a *good cause*.

Call your worker immediately if you think you have *good cause*.

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