

CHANGE NOTICE FOR MANUAL

DATE: December 1, 2020
MANUAL: Food and Nutrition Services Certification Manual
TO: County Directors of Social Services
CHANGE NO.: 4-2020
SUBJECT: SNAP Allotment Mass Change
EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2021

I. BACKGROUND

The purpose of this change notice is to make updates regarding the Simplified Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP) allotment mass change and update the Food and Nutrition Services Certification Manual.

The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) mandated a change of the SNAP low shelter expense benefit amount to decrease from \$65 to \$60 in order to bring the demonstration project back into cost neutral. The high shelter expense benefit amount will remain the same at \$105. These adjustments will be effective January 1, 2021.

II. SPECIFIC CHANGES

Section 600, Simplified Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP)

1. 600.02, B:2
Updated allotment amounts to include new amount.
2. 600.08, G:7
Added section to include, lottery winnings.

III. IMPLEMENTATION INSTRUCTIONS

A mass change will be performed by NC FAST to make changes to the January 2021 benefit allotment for each SNAP household. These changes are effective January 1, 2021.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact Operational Support Team via email at DSS.Policy.Questions@dhhs.nc.gov.

Sincerely,



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