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**Summary**

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| Removing column for Classic Medical and referring to the Health Care Authority- Washington Apple Health Manual Treatment of Income Chart.

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#  **Treatment of Income Chart**

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**Note: For Treatment of Income for Classic Medical Programs please reference the Classic (Non-MAGI-based) Apple Health Manual-** [Treatment of Income Chart](https://www.hca.wa.gov/free-or-low-cost-health-care/i-help-others-apply-and-access-apple-health/treatment-income-chart)

## **American Rescue Plan Act signed into law March 11, 2021**

| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** | **Classic Medical** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Coronavirus Federal Stimulus Payment | **Excluded** (any portion remaining after 12 months is considered a resource) | **Excluded** (any portion remaining after 12 months is considered a resource) | **Excluded** (any portion remaining after 12 months is considered a resource) |
|  Additional $300 Unemployment | **Unearned** | **Excluded** | **Excluded** |
|  Expanded or Extended Unemployment | **Unearned** | **Unearned** | **Excluded** |

**NOTE:** A blank box means that no information is available at this time.

| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Additional Requirements for Emergent Needs (AREN) | N/A | **Excluded** - When paid to a Third Party**Unearned** - When paid directly to the client |  |
| Adoption Support | **Excluded** | **Unearned** |  |
| Adult family home | See [Self Employment](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/self-employment-income) |
| Advance on wages (draws) | **Earned** |
| Agent Orange Act of 1991  | **Excluded** | **Unearned** - Monthly paymentsLump sum - See [LUMP SUM PAYMENTS](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/lump-sum-cash-assistance-and-tanfsfa-related-medical-assistance) |  |
| Agent Orange disability payments, PL 101-201 | **Excluded** |
| Alaska Permanent Fund distributions | **Unearned** |
| Alimony or spousal maintenance | **Excluded** - When client receives TANF/SFA and payment is included with child support order**Unearned** - All other payments |  |
| AmeriCorps income and all payments under the National and Community Service Trust Act of 1993 | **Excluded** See [WAC 388-450-0045](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0045)                                                                                 |  |
| AmeriCorps VISTA or Vista income(NOTE: This is not the same as AmeriCorps only - See above) | **Excluded** | **Excluded:** If the VISTA volunteer received Basic Food or cash benefits when they joined the VISTA program,Earned: If the person was a VISTA volunteer when they applied for benefits.See [WAC 388-450-0045](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0045) |  |
| Annuity | **Unearned** |
| Assistance from other agencies and organizations | See [WAC 388-450-0055](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0055) |  |
| Austrian General Social Insurance Act payments under section 500 through 506 | **Excluded** |  |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Blood or plasma sales | **Earned**- See [Self Employment](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/self-employment-income) |
| [Bona fide loans](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/treatment)  | **Excluded** |
| Bonus | **Earned** - When received as an employee**Unearned** - When received on an ongoing basis after employment has terminatedSee [LUMP SUM PAYMENTS](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/lump-sum-cash-assistance-and-tanfsfa-related-medical-assistance) - When received as one-time-payment after employment has terminated  |  |
| [Bureau of Indian Affairs General Assistance](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/income-special-types)  | Unearned |  |
| Burial fund increase | **Excluded** - See [RESOURCES](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/resources) |  |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Cash benefits reduced as a result of sanction or non-cooperation | N/A | **Unearned** |
| Cash payments from government, public, or private medical or social service agency | See specific income type |  |
| Cash prizes, awards. lottery winnings | See [LUMP SUM PAYMENTS](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/lump-sum-cash-assistance-and-tanfsfa-related-medical-assistance) | **Unearned** |
| CEAP | N/A | **Excluded** |  |
| CEAP - For TANF/SFA households terminated while in WorkFirst sanction (See [WorkFirst Sanctions - Participation](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/workfirst-sanctions-participation)) | Unearned - TANF/SFA | **Excluded** |  |
| Census Bureau wages |  **Excluded**- Earnings from temporary work for the recent census**Earned**- Earnings from permanent census employment |
| Charitable cash donations  | See [WAC 388-450-0055](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0055) | See [WAC 388-450-0055](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0055) |   |
| Child support received by the client[Child support matrix](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/sites/default/files/ESA/eaz-manual/childsupportmatrix.pdf) | **Excluded** - TANF/SFA recipients**Unearned** - Non-TANF/SFA | **Unearned**- of the child for whom it is intended |  |
| Child Support pass-through payments – Effective 2/1/2020 | **Excluded -**TANF/SFA recipients | **Unearned** |  |
| Child support arrears | **Unearned** - of the parent |  |
| Civil liberties payments, PL 100-383. Restitution payments made under the Wartime Relocation of Civilian's Act | **Excluded** |
| COLA increases in Title II SSA benefits | **Unearned** |  |
| Combat Veteran Program Funds | **Excluded** |
| Combat Pay - Special Pay while serving in a combat zone. | **Excluded**Increased amount paid to assistance unit while service member is deployed to a combat zone. |
| Court Ordered Payments other than Child Support | **Lump-Sum Payment**Amount paid as a one-time payment**Unearned**Amount paid in multiple (more than one) payments |  |
| Crime Victims Compensation Funds funded under PL 103-322 (Whether ran by state or federal program.) | **Excluded** |
| Crime Victims Compensation (State-funded benefit through L&I) | **Unearned** - Amount paid to replace lost wagesReimbursement - See [Reimbursements](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/treatment-income-chart#Reimbursements)in this table |
| Crowd Funding Income (GoFund Me, Kickstarter, Indiegogo) | **Unearned** | **Excluded**- Counts as a liquid resource |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Deemed income from an alien's sponsor | **Unearned** - See WAC [388-450-0155](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0155), WAC [388-450-0156](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0156) and WAC [388-450-0160](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0160) |  |
| Disaster assistance to farmers when authorized under the Secretary of Agriculture under PL 100-387 | **Excluded** |
| Disaster relief & emergency assistance under PL 93-288, amended by PL 100-707  | **Excluded** |
| Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) | **Excluded** |
| Diversion Cash Assistance (DCA) | N/A | **Excluded** - See[LUMP SUM PAYMENTS](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/lump-sum-cash-assistance-and-tanfsfa-related-medical-assistance) |  |
| Dividends or Interest | **Unearned** |
| Drug (illicit) sales | **Earned** -  [WAC 388-450-0080](https://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0080) [Self Employment](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/self-employment-income) |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Earned income of a child | **Excluded** when meets the conditions in [WAC 388-450-0070](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0070); otherwise **Earned**. |
| Earned Income In-Kind  (working in exchange for rent, vehicle, TV) | **Earned** | **Excluded****Earned** - If available income was diverted to in-kind income |  |
| Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) | **Excluded** - See [RESOURCES](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/resources) |  |
| Economic Opportunity Act | **Earned** |
| Educational benefits  | Title IV (grants/loans/ work-study) and Opportunity Grants | **Excluded** |
| WorkFirst or state-funded college work study | **Excluded** | **Earned**See **[WAC 388-450-0035](http://apps.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0035)**to allocate expenses. |  |
| Other educational assistance including Veteran's Administration and Carl D. Perkins Vocational & Applied Tech Act | **Unearned**See[**WAC 388-450-0035**](http://apps.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0035)to allocate expenses. |  |
| Egg or sperm donation | **Earned**  See [WAC 388-450-0080](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0080)  [Self Employment](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/self-employment-income) |
| Energy assistance payments (LIHEAP) | **Excluded** |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Fellowships with work requirements | **Earned** |
| Flexible benefits | **Earned** - When client has option to cash out.  (Count the amount client can receive as cash whether or not they choose to receive the benefit in cash.)  See [INCOME - Ownership and Availability](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/income-ownership-and-availability) |
| Food benefits under the Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 (includes tribal commodities) | **Excluded** | N/APersons **cannot** receive Basic Food and commodities through the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) at the same time. |  |
| Food Service Program for Children under the National School Lunch Act of 1966, PL 92-433 and 93-150 | **Excluded** |
| Foster Care Maintenance Payments See WACs [388-450-0015](http://app.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0015)and [388-454-0015](http://app.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-454-0015). | **Excluded**- When child receiving Foster Care payments isn’t included in the cash AU.A child can’t receive foster care payments and TANF/SFA cash assistance at the same time.    | **Unearned** - When child is in AU**Excluded** - When child isn't in AU |
| Foster care retainer fees(If the retainer fee is to reserve a bed for a foster child, then this income is considered self employment. See [WAC 388-450-0080](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fapp.leg.wa.gov%2Fwac%2Fdefault.aspx%3Fcite%3D388-450-0080&data=05%7C01%7Calexis.a.miller%40dshs.wa.gov%7C2c9f39d64bea4a217a3808daa340c7c1%7C11d0e217264e400a8ba057dcc127d72d%7C0%7C0%7C638001795865299072%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=HfVVdUpfDGgN2t02swDVSGsGdLggl4vD%2FWnwEkdAmYs%3D&reserved=0) | **Earned** | **Unearned** |  |
| Foster Grandparents Program under Title II of P.L. 93-113 | **Excluded** |
| Funds for shared household costs | **Excluded** |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Gambling winnings | **Unearned** |
| Gate money from adult corrections | **Unearned** | **Excluded** - See [LUMP SUM PAYMENTS](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/lump-sum-cash-assistance-and-tanfsfa-related-medical-assistance) |
| Gift Cards | **Excluded** | See [Income Special Types](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/income-special-types) |  |
| GiftsSee [WAC 388-450-0065](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0065) | Cash | **Excluded** ≤ $30/quarter**Unearned** ≥ $30/quarter |
| Non-cash | See [Resources](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/resources)  |
| Gifts to Children with life-threatening conditions, PL 105-306 | N/A |  |
| Homeless Service Providers COLA Stipend | **Unearned**– The application month the one-time payment is received or anticipated.**Excluded –**The months the stipend is not anticipated or received. | **Unearned**– When received or anticipated in the month of application or following month. The household would follow food change reporting rules for ongoing months. |
| Health Profession Opportunity Grant (HPOG) funds | See [Educational Benefits](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/treatment-income-chart#Educational_Benefits) |
| HUD Community Development block grant funds | **Excluded** |
| HUD rental and/or utility subsidies under Section 8 of the housing act | **Excluded** |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Income a client's ineligible or non-applying spouse receives from a government agency (such as CHORE services) | See specific income type |  |
| Income specifically excluded from being counted as income under federal law  | **Excluded** |
| Income Tax refund | **Excluded** |
| Income which causes a client to lose SSI eligibility due solely to the reduction in the state supplement (SSP) | See specific income type |  |
| Individual & Family Services (IFS) payments | N/A | **Excluded** |
| Infrequent or irregular income  |  **Excluded** - If not reasonably anticipated. **Unearned** - If reasonably anticipated and greater than $30/quarter. |  |
| Insurance settlements  | **Excluded** - See [LUMP SUM PAYMENTS](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/lump-sum-cash-assistance-and-tanfsfa-related-medical-assistance) |  |
| Interest received on repayments made to the client | **Unearned** |
| Investment income | **Unearned** |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Job Corps income under WIA (WIOA)See [WAC 388-450-0045](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0045) | **Excluded** | **Excluded** – children ≤ 18 under parental control.**Earned** – children ≤ 18 not under parental control or ≥19. |  |
| [Joint bank accounts](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0005) \* | **Unearned** - If client withdraws more than their share of the money |
| Jury duty income | **Excluded** | **Excluded** - Reimbursement**Earned** - Daily pay over a period of timeOne-Time-Payment - See[Infrequent or irregular income](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/treatment-income-chart#Infrequent/Irregular) |  |
| Life estate income | **Unearned** |
| Lived Experience Compensation | **Excluded** | **Earned** - [WAC 388-450-0080](http://app.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0080) Self Employment |
| Loan repayments made to clients (principal only) | **Excluded** |
| Lost Wages Assistance Program (LWAP) | **Excluded** |
| Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Act (LIHEAA) under P.L. 99-425 | **Excluded** |
| Lump Sum Payments | **Excluded** if awarded for wrongful death, personal injury, damage or loss of property.**Unearned** – all other lump sums.See [WAC 388-455-0015](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-455-0015) | **Excluded****Unearned** - If a cash gift, See WAC [388-450-0065](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0065)   Gifts - Cash and noncash |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Maternity leave pay (client still employed) | **Earned** |
| Meals | **Disregarded** - When provided by employer at no charge**Earned** - When deducted from paycheck by employer |  |
| Military pay | **Earned -** Include total entitlements as the gross monthly income.See [Combat Pay](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/treatment-income-chart#Combat)for specific Combat Pay information. |
| Money excluded by the Social Security Administration (SSA) in a Plan for Achieving Self-Support (PASS) Under PL 102-237 | **Excluded** |
| Money received for an absent or non-household member | **Excluded****Unearned** - Any portion retained by the AU |
| Money withheld for repayment | **Excluded** | **Unearned** - For intentional non-compliance with federal or state means-tested program overpayments**Excluded** - All other overpayments |
| Montgomery GI Bill | See  [Educational Benefits](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/treatment-income-chart#Educational_Benefits) – Veteran’s Administration |
| Monthly allowances paid to children of Vietnam Veterans who are born with birth defects, PL 106-419,  PL 104-204 | **Excluded** |
| Native American benefits & payments | See [WAC 388-450-0040](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0040) |
| Nutrition Assistance Program (NAP) benefits from Puerto Rico, American Samoa, or Northern Mariana Islands | **Excluded** | **Excluded** |  |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| [Ongoing Additional Requirements](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/ongoing-additional-requirements-oar)  | **Excluded** | **Excluded** - Amount for service animal food**Unearned** - All other ongoing additional requirements |
| On-the-job training (OJT) wagesSee [WAC 388-450-0045](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0045) | **Excluded** if payments issued under WIA (WIOA) or support services from WorkFirst**Earned** if training payments from vocational and rehabilitative programs are recognized by federal, state or local governments and if payment isn’t reimbursement | **Excluded** if for children ≤18 and under parental control for payments issued under WIA (WIOA) **Earned** if client is ≥19 years old or ≤18 and not under parental control for payments under WIA (WIOA) |
| Opportunity Grants | See [Educational Benefits](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/treatment-income-chart#Educational_Benefits) |
| Paid Time Off (PTO) (i.e. Vacation/Sick leave pay) | **Earned** | **Earned**- if still employed**Excluded** - Lump sum and if employment terminated**Unearned** - More than one payment and if employment terminated |
| Panhandling | **Unearned** |
| Paid Family Medical Leave(PFML) | **Unearned** |  |
| PASS income is money excluded by the Social Security Administration (SSA) in a Plan for Achieving Self-Support (PASS) Under PL 102-237 | **Excluded** |
| Payments under the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 P.L. 89-642 | **Excluded** |
| Payments form the Dutch Government, under the Netherlands ' Act on Benefits for Victims of Persecution (WUV) | **Excluded** |  |
| Payments under the Federal Republic of Germany 's Law for Compensation of National Socialist Persecution or German Restitution Act | **Excluded** |  |
| Payments Under the Filipino Veterans Equity Compensation Fund(Division A, Title X, Section1002 of American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 ARRA) | **Excluded** |
| Payments to persons age 55 and older under the Senior Community Services Employment Program (SCSEP) under Title V of the Older Americans Act of 1987. | **Excluded** | . |
| Pensions | **Unearned** |
| Prostitution | **Earned** - [WAC 388-450-0080](https://app.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0080)  [Self Employment](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/self-employment-income) |
| Public assistance (including tribal TANF) | **Unearned** |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Radiation exposure compensation, under PL 101-426 and PL 106-398 Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Act (EEOICA) 2000. | **Excluded** |
| Railroad Retirement Benefits (RRB) | **Unearned** |
| Real estate / mortgage sales and contracts | Contract - See [RESOURCES](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/resources)**Unearned** - Payments from contract | **Unearned** |
| Re-Employ Washington Workers (RWW) cash incentive | N/A | **Unearned** |  |
| Refund by any public agency of taxes paid on real property or on food |  N/A |  |
| Reimbursements | **Excluded****Unearned** - Amounts in Excess of expenses**Earned** - Amounts in Excess of expenses when paid by employer | **Excluded****Unearned** - Amounts that cover normal living expenses |
| [Relative Guardianship Assistance Program (R-GAP) or Guardianship Income](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/assistance-units/cash-assistance-programs) | **Excluded** | **Unearned** |  |
| Rental or lease property income  | **Earned** – [WAC 388-450-0080](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fapp.leg.wa.gov%2Fwac%2Fdefault.aspx%3Fcite%3D388-450-0080&data=05%7C01%7Calexis.a.miller%40dshs.wa.gov%7C94f3d8922f4647edd72208daa3198187%7C11d0e217264e400a8ba057dcc127d72d%7C0%7C0%7C638001627187144390%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=3%2BdOsW0Z%2FEFQEJDQ82L%2BltEzaJtyVXTHvT820FPYS4o%3D&reserved=0)  [Self Employment](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/self-employment-income)  – if spending 20 hours/week or more managing the property**Unearned** – if spending less than 20 hours/week managing the property.  |
| Representative payee fees | N/A | **Excluded** - When set up by SSA for SSI / SSDI recipients* Must not exceed the lesser of 10% of the monthly payment or $42.
* Alcohol or drug payee fees must not exceed the lesser of 10% or $80.

[SSA periodically adjusts the fees that a payee may charge for persons who receive SSI or SSD](https://www.ssa.gov/payee/fee_fact_sheet.htm)**Unearned** - For all others |  |
| Residuals | **Earned** |
| Retirement | **Unearned** |
| Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) under Title II of P.L. 93-113 | **Excluded** |
| Retroactive benefits (SSA, SSI, PA, UC, and VA) | **Excluded** - See [LUMP SUM PAYMENTS](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/lump-sum-cash-assistance-and-tanfsfa-related-medical-assistance)   |  |
| Retroactive WCCC payments  | **Excluded** | **Excluded -** See [RESOURCES](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/resources) |
| Reverse mortgage | **Excluded** |
| Ricky Ray Hemophilia Relief Fund Act of 1998 | **Unearned** | **Excluded** |
| Room and board income | See [WAC 388-450-0080](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0080) [Self Employment](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/self-employment-income) |
| Royalties | **Unearned** |  |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Savings bond interest | **Unearned** |
| Securities income | **Unearned** |
| Security deposit refunds | **Excluded**See [RESOURCES](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/resources) |  |
| Self-employment income  | **Earned** – [WAC 388-450-0080](https://app.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0080)  [388-450-0085](https://app.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0085)[Self Employment](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/self-employment-income) |
| Self-employment income normally allowed as an income deductions by the IRS | **Excluded** |   |
| Senior Companion Program under Title II of P.L. 93-113 |   **Excluded** |
| Settlements | See [LUMP SUM PAYMENTS](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/lump-sum-cash-assistance-and-tanfsfa-related-medical-assistance) |
| Shared leave | **Earned** |
| SSDI | **Unearned** |
| SSI | **Excluded**See [WAC 388-408-0020](http://apps.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-408-0020) – client receiving SSI can’t receive TANF/SFA. | **Unearned** |
| SSI Income or State Supplement Payment (SSP)  | **Excluded** | **Unearned** |  |
| Strike benefits | **Unearned** |
| Strike benefits for picket duty | **Earned** | **Unearned** |
| Student loans | See [Educational Benefits](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/treatment-income-chart#Educational_Benefits) |
| Summer youth employment or training programs | **Earned****Excluded –**for children who meet age, school/attendance per WACs [388-450-0070](http://app.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0070)and [388-404-0005](http://app.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-404-0005). | **Excluded** |
| Support payment on behalf of a household member (paid directly to a third party) | See [Vendor Payment](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/treatment) in Worker Responsibilities | **Excluded** |
| Surrogate mother services | **Earned** - [WAC 388-450-0080](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fapp.leg.wa.gov%2Fwac%2Fdefault.aspx%3Fcite%3D388-450-0080&data=05%7C01%7Calexis.a.miller%40dshs.wa.gov%7C94f3d8922f4647edd72208daa3198187%7C11d0e217264e400a8ba057dcc127d72d%7C0%7C0%7C638001627187144390%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=3%2BdOsW0Z%2FEFQEJDQ82L%2BltEzaJtyVXTHvT820FPYS4o%3D&reserved=0)  [Self Employment](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/self-employment-income) | **Earned** - [WAC 388-450-0080](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fapp.leg.wa.gov%2Fwac%2Fdefault.aspx%3Fcite%3D388-450-0080&data=05%7C01%7Calexis.a.miller%40dshs.wa.gov%7C94f3d8922f4647edd72208daa3198187%7C11d0e217264e400a8ba057dcc127d72d%7C0%7C0%7C638001627187144390%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=3%2BdOsW0Z%2FEFQEJDQ82L%2BltEzaJtyVXTHvT820FPYS4o%3D&reserved=0) [Self Employment](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/self-employment-income) |
| Susan Walker v. Bayer Corporation, settlement funds | N/A | **Unearned** - Monthly PaymentLump Sum - See [LUMP SUM PAYMENTS](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/eligibility-z-manual-ea-z/lump-sum-cash-assistance-and-tanfsfa-related-medical-assistance) |  |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Tax rebates or special payments excluded under other laws | **Excluded** |
| Time loss compensation | **Unearned** See WAC [388-450-0010](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0010) |
| Tips | **Earned** |  |
| Title I, II, III of the Domestic Volunteer Act of 1973, PL 93-113 - Including VISTA | **Excluded** | **Unearned (**See [WAC 388-450-0045](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0045) for exceptions) |
| Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act | **Earned** |
| Title I of the National & Community Service Trust Act of 1993 (NCSA) (includes AmeriCorps Programs & Higher Education Service - Learning Program) | **Excluded**- See [WAC 388-450-0045](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0045) |
| Training allowances for ABD/HEN clients | See [WAC 388-450-0045](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0045) |
| Training allowances from vocational and rehabilitation programs | **Earned** when federal, state, or local government recognizes program and allowance isn’t a reimbursement.See [WAC 388-450-0045](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0065) |
| Travel advances | **Earned** - If a contract exists**Earned** - Minus expenses if no contract exists |
| Unearned income in-kind (supplied) | **Excluded** |  |
| Unemployment Compensation (UC) - before deductions | **Unearned** |
| Uniform Relocation Assistance & Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, PL 94-646, section 218 | **Excluded** |
| **Income Type** | **Cash Assistance** | **Basic Food** |  |
| Vendor payments | **Excluded** |
| Veteran Administration benefits (service connected compensation or improved pension) | **Unearned** |  |
| Veteran's benefits designated for the veteran's dependent | **Unearned** |  |
| Veteran's benefits designated as aid and attendance or housebound allowance | **Unearned** |  |
| Veteran's benefits designated as Unusual Medical Expenses (UME) | **Unearned** |  |
| Victims of Nazi Persecution payments under P.L. 103-286 | **Excluded** |
| VOLAG - One time payments | **Excluded** |
| VOLAG - Ongoing payments including Matching Grant Program | **Unearned** Counted as assistance from another agency or organization under [WAC 388-450-0055](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0055). |
| Wages, salaries, commissions, profits | **Earned** |
| Witness pay | **Excluded** - See [WAC 388-450-0055](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0055) | **Excluded**  - Reimbursement**Earned**  - Daily pay over a period of timeIf a **One-time-payment** - See Infrequent or irregular income |
| Women, Infants & Children benefits (WIC) | **Excluded** |
| Work-Based Learning income for RISE participants | **Excluded** |
| Work experience wages from Employment Security Department | See [OJT](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/treatment-income-chart#OJT) |
| WorkFirst Supportive Service payments | **Excluded**See [WAC 388-450-0045](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0045) |
| WorkForce Training Funds - Training Completion (TECA) | See [WAC 388-450-0055](http://app.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=388-450-0055) | **Unearned**  - May be reduced by educational expenses |
| Work related expenses | N/A |  |
| Work study | See [Educational Benefits](https://www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/income-table-contents/treatment-income-chart#Educational_Benefits) |