

**INTERPRETIVE MEMO**

**Food Stamps Rule Interpretation**

**Procedural Instruction**

This memo remains effective statewide until it is specifically superseded – either by a subsequent memo or by a contradictory rule with a later date.

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**UPDATE:** ABAWD exemption from work requirements

An ABAWD (able-bodied adult without dependents) is exempt from the ABAWD work requirement if there is a member of the ABAWD's 3SquaresVT household under the age of 18. The individual under 18 does not have to be a dependent of the ABAWD.

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