

INTERPRETIVE MEMO

3SVT 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This memo remains effective statewide until it is specifically superseded – either by a subsequent memo or by a contradictory rule with a later date.

Please file in your manual facing the page indicated below.

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This memo: is new **Replaces one dated** 4/3/2012 and 4/5/2013

Exception to the Institution Rule: Drug and Alcohol Treatment and Rehabilitation Programs

Residents of the following facilities who are participating in drug and alcohol treatment programs may be eligible for 3SVT benefits even though they are living in an institution. These facilities are exempt under 273.1e1ii because they operate drug and alcohol treatment and rehabilitation programs.

- Magee House
- Maple Leaf
- Phoenix House
- Serenity House
- Rise
- Teen Challenge **
- Valley Vista

If you have a 3SVT applicant living in a drug and alcohol treatment and rehabilitation facility not listed here please send an email to AHS - DCF ESD AOPS. AOPS will determine whether that facility qualifies for the exemption.

** It is not unusual for Teen Challenge participants to move back and forth between VT, NH and MA. Before granting 3SVT be sure they are not receiving SNAP benefits in New Hampshire and Massachusetts.