



TITLE IV-E 18+ CONTINUED CARE ELIGIBILITY
 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
 CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES-FOSTER CARE
 SFN 870 (5-2024)

Name of Child	Date of Birth	Client ID
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I. Did the child age out of ND foster care on their 18th birthday or later?

YES Discharge Date of Last Placement Custodial Agency at Time Child Turned 18 go to a.

No - STOP! Child is not eligible for 18+ Continued Care.

a. Did the child age out of Tribal Nation custody?

NO - go to II.
 YES - go to b.

b. Is the child entering or returning to the 18+ Continued Care Program with the same Tribal Nation?

YES - go to II.
 No – STOP! Child is not eligible for 18+ Continued Care, go to V, Tribal Funded.

II. What was the eligibility determination at the time the child aged out of foster care and was no longer under the custody of a public agency?

Not Title IV-E, new eligibility determination required.
 Title IV-E.

a. Did the child return to 18+ Continued Care within 6 months?

YES
 NO, new eligibility determination required.

b. Is the child currently a full-time student in high school (secondary education) or in an equivalent level of vocational/technical training?

YES Date the Child is Expected to Graduate

NO Date the Child Graduated

c. Did the child graduate or is the child expected to graduate prior to turning age 19?

YES, child meets the AFDC definition of a dependent child.
 NO, child does not meet the AFDC definition of a dependent child. Child is not eligible for Title IV-E.

III. Is there a signed SFN 60 18+ Continued Care Agreement?

YES Effective Date 18+ Continued Care Agreement

No - STOP! Child is not eligible for 18+ Continued Care.

IV. NEED

18+ Continued Care child is an AFDC unit of one dependent.

Does the child have assets?

YES - Complete IV A.
 NO - go to IV B.

IV A. Assets - Count assets for all members of the AFDC budget unit (cannot exceed \$10,000 per household)

DO NOT INCLUDE ANY ASSETS OF AN SSI RECIPIENT.

LIQUID ASSETS

Checking	Savings	CD/MM	
Trusts	Stocks	IRA's/KEOGHS	
Other	Stocks		

IV A. Assets (continued)- Count assets for all members of the AFDC budget unit (cannot exceed \$10,000 per household)

NON-LIQUID ASSETS

Vehicles (deduct \$1500 from the equity value - applies to one vehicle only)

Description	Equity Value

Real Property

Description	Value

Life Insurance

Face Value	Cash Value

- ASSETS EXCEEDED \$10,000.00 - NOT IV-E ELIGIBLE OR CASE IS IV-E ELIGIBLE, BUT NOT REIMBURSABLE, go to IV B.
 ASSET ELIGIBLE, go to IV B.

IV B. Income

Disregard earned income of a child that meets the definition of a dependent child.

Does household have earned or unearned income?

- NO - SFN 873 Income Calculation Worksheet is not required.
 YES - Complete the SFN 873 Income Calculation Worksheet.

Is case within AFDC income maximums?

- YES
 NO - Case is not eligible for Title IV-E or case is IV-E eligible, but not reimbursable.

V. DETERMINATION/REIMBURSEMENT

- Title IV-E - child meets the AFDC definition of a dependent child and is within the AFDC limits for income and assets.
 Title IV-E and is reimbursable (FM).
 Title IV-E and is not reimbursable. Please explain in comments section (ex. youth employed, received unearned income).
 Tribal child determined Title IV- E eligible and reimbursable (NA).
 State Funded - Child is not Title IV-E (RM).
 Child's income and/or assets exceeds the allowable AFDC maximums.
 Child is not expected to graduate secondary education prior to age 19.
 Tribal Funded (Child does not meet Title IV-E eligibility)
 Child is not Title IV-E. Child is not expected to graduate secondary education prior to age 19.
 Income/assets exceed allowable AFDC maximums, child is not reimbursable.
 Child aged out of Tribal Nation custody; case is not eligible through Human Service Zone.

Comments

Match Symbol

- Title IV-E - FM - Reimbursable
 Title IV-E - FN - Non-reimbursable
 Title IV-E - NA - Reimbursable
 State Funded - RM
 Tribal Funded

Name of Staff Determining Eligibility

Date