Policy Clarifications - Food Stamp - Work Support Component PFS14285568 PWS14285137

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According to OPS060703, Implementation of the Work Support Component (WSC) Program, a WSC budget must be changed to TANF prior to the case closing to allow for eligibility for Extended Food Stamp (EFS) benefits. Is this still correct?

Response By: DWRI

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No, a WSC budget does not have to be changed to TANF to ensure that eligibility for EFS is processed correctly. A household is eligible for EFS if TANF benefits, including WSC, close due to reason codes: 001 through 013, 015 through 026, 029, 031 through 034, or 068. Refer to FSHB 568.8, Extended Food Stamp Benefits (EFS).