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What notice code is used when a Categorically Eligible (CE) household is over the net income limit?

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There is no net income test for CE households. However, net income determines the household's benefit allotment amount.

CE households with one or two persons always qualify for the minimum SNAP benefit regardless of their net income.

CE households with three or more persons are not eligible if their net income results in a zero allotment. CIS will generate the appropriate Notice with reason code 322 to households with three or more persons whose net income results in a zero allotment.