

**Policy Clarifications
SNAP
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Subject: Allowable Shelter expense for SNAP household

Question: We have a SNAP household who sold their residence and are now living full time in their RV. Can any of the RV expenses be considered as shelter expenses? For example, could a motor vehicle loan payment for the RV or their RV insurance, or any part of it, be considered as shelter expenses in their SNAP determination?

Response By: Division of Family Assistance

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Yes. FNS has advised that a vehicle payment may be allowed as a shelter cost if the household is living in the vehicle. If the vehicle is used for transportation as well as a home, the insurance would not be an allowed shelter cost. (SNAPH 560.812 & 560.813)