

State	Contact Phone # Contact Name	Contact Fax # Contact Name	Special Instructions	Date that TANF months would begin to count	State-only programs
Alabama	(334) 242-1950	(334) 242-0513	Provide name, ssn, city or county where client formerly lived.	10/97	No
Alaska	(907) 465-1754	(907) 415-5154		10/97	No
Arizona	(602) 542-0798	(602) 542-5799 Mel Goldstein	Leave message.	10/02 ¹	No
Arkansas	(501) 682-8970	(501) 682-8978	No voice mail.	10/97	No
California	(916) 657-3667	None		10/97	Yes ²
Colorado	(303) 866-5378 (303) 866-5444 (303) 866-5476 (303) 866-3868	(303) 866-5476		10/97	No
Connecticut	(860) 424-5970	(860) 424-4960 Elaine Davis	Leave message.	10/97 ³	Yes ³
Delaware	(302) 577-4900	(302) 577-4899		10/97	Yes ⁴
District of Columbia	(202) 724-5532	(202) 724-2041 James Anderson	Provide name, ssn and information on the client that you need.	10/97	No
Florida	(850) 921-6038	(850) 922-9356		10/97	No
Georgia	(404) 657-3780	(404) 463-7501		10/97	No
Hawaii	(808) 692-7770	(808) 692-7773		10/97 ⁵	Yes ⁵

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- 1 Arizona's approved waiver allows them to delay counting TANF months until 10/02.
 - 2 California provides state-only funds to some two-parent assistance groups (effective 10/99).
 - 3 Connecticut's approved waiver allowed them to conduct a pilot project that ended 9/01 - these assistance groups were exempt from time limits. The state can readily identify these assistance groups when you contact them. Connecticut provides state-only funds to two-parent assistance groups.
 - 4 Delaware provides state-only funds to two-parent and employed (at least 20 hours per week) assistance groups.
 - 5 Hawaii's approved waiver allows them to exempt assistance groups where the adult or minor head of household is: (a) not in the case and it is a child-only case; (b) incapacitated for at least 30 days; (c) caring for a child under 6 months of age; (d) providing in-home care for an ill or incapacitated assistance group member; (e) over age 60; (f) an Americorp/VISTA volunteer. Hawaii provides state-only funds to two-parent and non-citizen assistance groups.

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Idaho	(208) 334-5818	(208) 334-4916 Benefit Policy Unit		10/97	No
Illinois	1-800-843-6154	(217) 557-1327	Recommend sending a fax.	10/97	No
Indiana	None	None	e-mail: jmcgarvey@fssa.state.in.us	4/02 ⁶	Yes ⁶
Iowa	(515) 281-3959	(515) 281-4597		10/97 ⁷	No
Kansas	(785) 368-8129 Erma Cain	None		10/97	No
Kentucky	(502) 564-7050	(502) 564-4021 K-Cap Program		10/97	No
Louisiana	(225) 342-4055 James Sanders	(225) 342-9482 James Sanders		10/97	No
Maine	None	(207) 287-3773		10/97	Yes ⁸
Maryland	1-800-332-6347 Constituent Services	(410) 333-3331		10/97	No
Massachusetts	(617) 348-5507	None		10/97	Yes ⁹
Michigan	(517) 373-3908	(517) 335-6236		10/97	No
Minnesota	(651) 215-1357	None		10/97 ¹⁰	Yes ¹⁰

⁶ Indiana's approved waiver allowed them to delay counting TANF months until 4/02. Indiana provides state-only funds to two-parent assistance groups.

⁷ Iowa counts adults and minor heads of household who are excluded from the TANF grant as receiving months toward their time limit. It is important to ask Iowa for the federal TANF count. These 'child only' cases would not be counted toward the 36 or 60 month time limit in Ohio.

⁸ Maine provides state-only funds to assistance groups where the adult or minor head of household is attending a post-secondary degree program.

⁹ Massachusetts provides state-only funds to non-citizen and homeless assistance groups.

¹⁰ Minnesota's approved waiver allowed them to conduct a pilot project that ended 6/98 - these families were exempt from time limits. The state can readily identify these families when you contact them. Minnesota provides state-only funds to two-parent assistance groups (effective 10/01).

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Mississippi	(601) 359-4578	(601) 359-4435		10/97	No
Missouri	Call Social Services in the county where the person lived.	(573) 526-4837 Information Department		10/97	Yes ¹¹
Montana	(406) 444-6751 Marshall	(406) 444-2547		10/97	No
Nebraska	(402) 471-9325	(402) 471-9597		10/97 ¹²	Yes ¹²
Nevada	(775) 684-0615 Debi Marzoline	(775) 684-0617		10/97	Yes ¹³
New Hampshire	(603) 271-4238	(603) 271-4637	You will need a signed release from the client before they will give information on months.	10/97	No
New Jersey	(609) 588-2454 Paul Spinneli	(609) 588-7240 Joyce Ottaunizk		10/97	No
New Mexico	1-800-283-4465	(505) 841-6573	If you want information in writing, recommend calling first.	10/97	No
New York	None	(518) 474-8090	Fax must be on county letterhead and include client name, date of birth, ssn, household composition and reason for request.	10/97	Yes ¹⁴

11 Missouri provides state-only funds for some assistance groups.

12 Nebraska's approved waiver allows them to exempt assistance groups where the adult or minor head of household is: (a) not able to work due to mental, emotional, or physical conditions; (b) not in the assistance group and it is a child-only case; (c) a minor parent under the age of 18 who is actively working on a GED or in high school; (d) age 60 or older; (e) needed in the home on a continuous basis due to the incapacity or illness of another household member and no other appropriate member is available to provide the needed care; (f) a victim of domestic violence and would be placed at risk of further domestic violence. Nebraska provides state-only funds for two-parent assistance groups.

13 Nevada provides state-only funds to two-parent assistance groups (effective 10/01).

14 New York provides state-only funds to some assistance groups who have exhausted their 60 months of TANF.

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North Carolina	(919) 733-7831	(919) 715-5457		10/97	No
North Dakota	(701) 328-2332	(701) 328-1060	May refer you to the county.	10/97	No
Oklahoma	(405) 521-3444	(405) 521-4158 TANF Program Manager		10/97	No
Oregon	(503) 945-5600	None	You will be referred to correct branch office for information on TANF months. Provide name, date of birth and ssn.	10/97 ¹⁵	No
Pennsylvania	1-800-692-7462 or (717) 787-3119	None	Ask for total number of days for which TANF was issued as they count TANF time in days. Divide the number of days by 30 and round to the nearest whole number.	10/97	Yes ¹⁶
Rhode Island	None	None		10/97	No
South Carolina	(803) 737-9223	None		10/97 ¹⁷	No
South Dakota	(605) 773-3493	(605) 773-7183		10/97	No
Tennessee	(615) 313-5652 Family Assistance Help Line Supervisor	None	Workers are required to do a case review to verify countable TANF months - they will call you back.	10/97 ¹⁸	Yes ¹⁸

15 Oregon's approved waiver allows them to exempt assistance groups each month that they participate in a work activity and each month that the assistance group is not provided an opportunity to participate in a work activity.

16 Pennsylvania provides state-only funds for assistance groups with adults in post secondary 2- or 4-year degree programs.

17 South Carolina's approved waiver allows them to exempt assistance groups where the adult or minor head of household is: (a) mentally or physically disabled; (b) providing full-time care for physically disabled individuals in the home; (c) a teen parent under the age of 18 who has not finished high school; (d) a specified relative providing a home for children who would otherwise be in the foster care system; (e) not able to access child care or transportation.

18 Tennessee's approved waiver allows them to exempt assistance groups where an adult or minor head of household is: (a) age 60 or older; (b) incapacitated; (c) reading below a 9th grade level; (d) caring for a disabled relative in the home. Tennessee provides state-only funds for two-parent, non-citizen assistance groups and couples who marry while in receipt of TANF.

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Texas	(512) 438-3280	(512) 438-5538 Information and Referral Unit		10/97	Yes ¹⁹
Utah	(801) 468-0172	None		10/97	Yes ²⁰
Vermont	(802) 241-2814 Lena Hemenway (802) 241-3936 Kim LaFrance	(802) 241-2830		7/01 ²¹	Yes ²¹
Virginia	(804) 692-1703 Tom Steinhauser	(804) 692-1704		10/97 ²²	Yes ²²
Washington	(360) 413-3339	None		10/97	No
West Virginia	(304) 558-8290	(304) 558-4059		10/97	No
Wisconsin	(608) 261-6378	(608) 266-8358	Call or e-mail: carpolcc@dwd.state.wi.us	10/97	Yes ²³
Wyoming	(307) 777-6079	(307) 777-3693		10/97	Yes ²⁴

19 Texas provides state-only funds to some assistance groups.

20 Utah provides state-only funds for two-parent assistance groups.

21 Vermont's approved waiver allowed them to delay counting TANF months until 7/01. Vermont provides state-only funds to assistance groups with adults who are: (a) in postsecondary education; (b) not participating in work activities the required number of hours; (c) single parents with children under the age of two.

22 Virginia's approved waiver allows them to exempt assistance groups where the adult or minor head of household is: (a) disabled; (b) a woman with children under the age of 18 months. Virginia provides state-only funds to two-parent assistance groups.

23 Wisconsin provides state-only funds to non-citizen assistance groups.

24 Wyoming provides state-only funds to assistance groups with adult students who are satisfactorily attending post secondary schools.