

Appendix J

Example List of Services and Benefits

Note: This is an example. Counties have great flexibility in designing a PRC plan that meets the needs of their community.

Service or Benefit	TANF Purpose	Cap	Assistance Group	Economic Need Standard	Targeted Group
<p>Diversion Benefits: Up to 4 months of cash payment to assist with basic needs such as rent, utilities, and incidentals (Must also apply for Food Stamps, Medicaid, and Child Care and attend money management class, and be involved in a Job Preparation Service)</p>	Purposes 1 and 2	Up to 4 times the OWF payment standard for appropriate household size	<p>Parents with minor children</p> <p>Specified relatives with minor children</p>	50% of FPL	<p>Job ready individuals</p> <p>Displaced workers</p>
<p>Transportation Services and Benefits: Bus Passes, Van Shuttle Services, Reimbursement for work-related mileage, Driver's Education classes, Payment of drivers license fees and license plate fees</p> <p>Car repairs</p> <p>Down payment on automobile</p> <p>Auto insurance reimbursement</p>	Purposes 1 and 2	<p>No cap on services (as needed)</p> <p>For car repairs, lowest of 2 estimates not to exceed \$1,000 per episode of need</p> <p>For down payments, 3 to 1 match up to \$1,500 (once every 5 years)</p> <p>For auto insurance, actual cost for 12 month period</p>	<p>Parents with minor children</p> <p>Specified relatives</p> <p>Non-custodial parents</p>	175% of FPL	<p>Employed individuals for up to one year</p> <p>Unemployed individuals in education or training for up to 4 months</p>
<p>Child Welfare Services: Family counseling, Vocational and educational counseling,</p>	Purposes 1 and 2	No cap on services (as needed)	Parents with minor children	200% of FPL	Families with children at

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Respite care, Screen families who have been sanctioned from OWF for risk of child, Abuse or neglect to provide case management services designed to eliminate barriers to compliance, Family preservation and reunification services, Domestic violence services			Specified relatives with minor children		risk of abuse or neglect
Developmental Services: Help Me Grow, Youth development initiatives, Parenting classes, Prevention services for at-risk students, After-school programs for at-risk children.	Purposes 1, 2 and 3	No cap on services (as needed)	Families with minor children and specified relatives with minor children	200% of FPL	Children
Relocation Assistance: Moving expenses to relocate out of county or state	Purpose 2	Actual cost up to \$1,500 (once in lifetime)	Parents with minor children and specified relatives with minor children	150% of FPL	Individuals with secured employment Victims of domestic violence
Family Disaster Assistance: Benefits to assist with damage or loss sustained as a result of natural disaster upon declaration by County Commissioners, identified by the local Red Cross, or otherwise identified. Benefits to assist with damage or loss sustained as a result of natural disaster upon declaration by Governor	Purpose 1	Actual cost up to \$500 per household. Actual cost up to \$1500 per household.	Specified relatives with minor children and individuals living in their households. Parents with minor children and individuals living in their households.	200% of FPL 200% of FPL	Families sustaining disaster related damage or loss upon disaster declaration by County Commissioners or Red Cross. Families sustaining disaster related damage or loss upon disaster

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Pregnancy Prevention Services: Teen peer support group, Pregnancy prevention counseling, Contraceptive drugs and devices	Purpose 3	No cap on services (as needed)	Individuals	Available without regard to need	Pre-teens Teens Young adults
Kinship Care Services: Respite care, Training related to caring for special needs children, Legal Services	Purpose 1	No cap on services (as needed)	Specified relatives with minor children	200% of FPL	Relatives caring for minor children
Contingency Services (An emergent need that <u>threatens the health, safety, or living arrangement to the extent that it prohibits children from being cared for in their own home or inhibits job preparation, work and marriage</u>). Utility shut-offs, Purchase of bulk fuel for heating, Installation or repair of telephone, Security deposits, Eviction notices, Emergency shelter or temporary housing, Personal expenses (school clothing, winter coats, child restraint seats), Repair or purchase of furnace or water tank, Home repairs affecting basic structure (roof, plumbing, walls), Repair or purchase of appliances (stoves, fans, refrigerators, washer/dryer or air conditioners.), Furniture (beds, mattress and box springs, kitchen table, chairs).	Purposes 1 and 2	Any number of individual payments to meet a non-recurrent crisis or episode of need up to \$2000 per assistance group per 12 month period (Note: purchase of air conditioning units must be accompanied by medical statement)	Parents with minor children and all other household members Specified relatives with minor children and all other household members	150% of FPL	Unemployed individuals Under-employed individuals Families with children at risk of abuse or neglect Victims of domestic violence