

### 03 **Specified Relative**

A specified relative is one of the following:

- [Parents\(g\)](#)
- Nonparents

Nonparents must be related to the dependent child as defined in [Nonparent Caretaker Relatives\(g\)](#) (NPCR).

When more than one NPSR lives in the home, only one NPSR can be included in the CA budgetary unit. The PI must decide which relative is to receive CA benefits.

Indicate on SPRD which NPSR is the CA specified relative by keying Y in the SPECIFY REL field next to the participant.

- [DCS or Tribal Placement Providers\(g\)](#)

#### **WARNING**

When the child is in the custody of [DCS](#), a Tribal Court or a [Tribal Child Welfare Agency](#) in Arizona and placed in the home of an unrelated foster care provider by DCS, a Tribal Court or a Tribal Child Welfare Agency in Arizona the specified relative requirement is met.

A specified relative must be living with and caring for a [dependent child](#) to be eligible for CA. (See [Case Participation](#))

When either the specified relative or the dependent child is temporarily out of the home, see [TEOA](#).

Policy and procedures regarding specified relatives are outlined as follows:

- [Two Nonparent Specified Relative Cases](#)
- [Adult Only Cases](#)
- [Kinship Child Only Overview](#)
- [Legal Permanent Guardian](#)
- [CA Legal Guardian and Legal Custody](#)
- [Adoption](#)
- [Single Parent](#)
- [Verification of Specified Relationship](#)

#### **NA EXCEPTION**

Specified relative policy does not apply.