## B NA Voluntary Withdrawal - Verbal Request

REVISION 48 (01/01/20 - 12/31/20)

When a budgetary unit verbally requests to withdraw their application for benefits, the reason for the request must be explored and documented in the case file(q).

When the reason for the request is due to the budgetary unit moving out of Arizona, complete the following:

- Ask for, and document the date the budgetary unit moved or is moving out of AZ
- See Change of Address Moved Out of State

When the reason for the request is due to a change of household size, or income, complete the following:

- Advise the participant that a change in household or income may not result in ineligibility for benefits
- Offer to report the information as a change to redetermine eligibility
- When the participant agrees, process Report a Change (RAC) in Health-e-Arizona Plus (HEAplus)
- Inform the participant they will receive a determination notice

When the budgetary unit continues to request a withdrawal of benefits, complete the following:

- Key the Voluntary Withdrawal (VW) Denial Closure Reason Code when unable to determine the reason for the request, or the budgetary unit wants to withdraw
- Send the notice that corresponds with the Denial Closure Reason Code. When benefits are stopped using the VW Denial Closure Reason Code, send the Voluntary Withdrawal (C201) notice to confirm a closure request for voluntary withdrawal.
- Stop benefits the first month possible allowing for NOAA.

The budgetary unit retains their right to request an <u>appeal</u>; however, do not continue benefits pending the outcome of the hearing when benefits are stopped using the VW Denial Closure Reason Code.