D Determining the Nutrition Assistance Benefit Amount

AZTECS determines the benefit amount based on the information keyed. AZTECS subtracts 30% of the NA net income from the Thrifty Food Plan amount for the appropriate budgetary unit size. The resulting amount is the budgetary unit's eligible benefit amount before recoupment or NA proration.

All eligible one and two participant budgetary units may receive a benefit amount of at LEAST \$14.

EXCEPTION

All eligible one and two participant budgetary units are eligible no pay status in the first month when the benefit amount is less than \$14 due to proration.

All eligible budgetary units of three or more participants may receive a benefit amount LESS than \$14.

EXCEPTION

All eligible budgetary units of three or more participants are eligible no pay status for the first month when the benefit amount is less than \$14 due to proration.

ALL eligible budgetary units of three or more participants ARE NOT eligible for benefits when both of the following apply: (See <u>Calculate NA Allotments</u>)

The benefit amount is less than or equal to \$0.

The benefit amount calculation is not a result of proration.