## C Filing an Application - Multiple GA Participants

When a married couple (including legally recognized <u>common law</u> <u>marriages</u>) apply, they may both be eligible for GA provided they both meet the <u>GA Eligibility Factors Table</u>. The following apply to multiple GA participants:

- Only one application is required for both participants.
- Keep only one case file for the budgetary unit.
- Determine the countable resources for both participants together. (See <u>Resource Considerations</u>)
- AZTECS determines the following when the correct information is keyed on STAC and STAA:

The countable income for both participants together. (See Whose Income is Budgeted)

The correct payment standard for two. (See <u>State Assistance</u> Payment Standards)

## **EXCEPTION**

When more than one participant lives in the same residence, and they are not married, each participant must have a separate GA case.