

A Programs Administered by FAA - Cash Assistance (CA) - Overview

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The purpose of the CA program is to provide temporary cash assistance and [supportive services](#) to eligible participants in the following groups:

- Parents or specified relatives with dependent children under age 19 who are in their care
- Parents of a child who receives SSI
- [CA Foster Care \(FC\)](#)
- [Refugee Resettlement Program](#)
- [Two-Parent Employment Program](#)

FAA is responsible for determining CA eligibility and eligibility for some [Tribal TANF programs](#).

When CA participants have the potential to become self-supporting with a onetime payment, [Grant Diversion](#) must be offered as an option. All CA applications are screened for potential Grant Diversion eligibility.

The Grant Diversion Script and Applicant Agreement (FAA-1410A) form or the GD Applicant Agreement and Script (A029) notice must be completed, even when the participant declines the Grant Diversion option.