

D Hopi Caretaker Relative

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A dependent child may receive TANF benefits when placed in a caretaker relative's home by the Hopi Tribal Court or by the Kikmongwi (Village Leader). The assistance unit must meet all other eligibility requirements.

The caretaker relative must be related to the child in one of the following ways:

- The caretaker relative is a blood relative, full or half, or adoptive relative including any of the following:

Adult sibling

Aunt or Uncle

First cousin

Nephew or Niece

Grandparent

- Legal Permanent Guardian (LPG)

An LPG may receive benefits when a deprived dependent child is residing in the home. The dependent child must have been placed in the LPG's home by the Hopi Tribal Court or the Kikmongwi (Village Leader).

The LPG must be related to the child in one of the following ways:

- Stepfather or Stepmother
- Stepbrother or Stepsister
- Godparent
- Hopi Social Services Placement
- Village Jurisdiction Placement

(See [HP-TANF Special Keying Requirements](#))