

## What's Changed on 12/02/2019

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This page relays to staff and the public of changes to the Cash and Nutrition Assistance Policy (CNAP) Manual regarding policy, procedures, and forms. Reminders and general information may also be displayed on this page. Prior What's Changed pages are listed in [FAA6.R01](#) of the CNAP Manual.

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### ***Changes to Glossary – Pawn Income Added***

EFFECTIVE DATE: Effective for all applications received on or after 12/02/2019

The glossary term for pawn income has been added to assist staff to identify which policy to use when participants are pawning personal items. The need for this glossary was brought to the attention of FAA Policy Support while reviewing questions to SEAN that could not be answered.

Money obtained from a pawnbroker for personal items is considered a loan or a sale. When the personal items are used as collateral for a loan, the money received is considered unearned income. When the items are sold, the money is considered self-employment income.

When participants are pawning personal items, investigate the frequency and whether the money received is from a sale or a loan.

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Policy reference(s) revised due to this change:

FAA6.Q01P.07 – [Pawn Income Definition](#)

New

Added definition for pawn income to help determine whether the money received is unearned or self-employment income. (Effective for all applications received on or after 12/02/2019)

### ***General Information – 2020 Arizona Minimum Wage Increase***

Effective January 1, 2020, Arizona Minimum Wage increases to \$12.00 per hour. For more information, see [FAA6.Q01M.19](#) in the CNAP Manual.