.03   Firstborn Child

The firstborn child of a participant under 18 is exempt from the Family Benefit Cap Period (FBCP) as the mother has not been assigned an FBCP. The FBCP is assigned to a minor parent starting with the first month they receive CA as a parent.

NOTE   In the case of a multiple birth, all the children from the first pregnancy are considered firstborn.

When the child is determined eligible for CA, complete the following:

- Key F in the WERE EXPT RSN AF field.

- Key IN in the PT field on SEPA.

- Document CADO with the following:

   The name of the minor parent

   The name and date of birth of the child

   The F WERE Exempt Reason Code was used

- Place the Benefit Cap Grid: Determining the BC Child (FAA-1302A) form in the permanent section of the case file. (See tab five)