

B Eligibility Requirements - WMAT

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White Mountain Apache Tribe (WMAT) TANF eligibility is limited to otherwise eligible [CA budgetary units](#) that meet both of the following:

- The budgetary unit lives on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation. This includes budgetary units that moved from another state or Tribal area onto the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

EXCEPTION

Participants who relocate for purposes of education, training, or on-the-job training remain eligible to receive WMAT-TANF benefits when they are actively participating in the education, training, or on-the-job training program. They do not have to be residing on the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.

- At least one [WMAT child\(g\)](#) in the WMAT-TANF budgetary unit is an enrolled WMAT Tribal member.

No minimum time period is required to establish residency.

WMAT-TANF participants may not receive duplicate assistance from the state or other [Tribal CA Programs](#).

For emergency assistance paid from the White Mountain Apache Tribal funds to White Mountain Apache Tribal members, see [Emergency Assistance Payments](#).

WARNING

When the CA participant does not meet the WMAT-TANF eligibility requirements, determine CA eligibility following state CA policy.