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Policy Issuance (PI): 19-27, Change 2

Date: August 10, 2020

To: Michigan Works! Agency (MWA) Directors

From: Joe Billig, Division Administrator **SIGNED**
Targeted Services
Workforce Development

Subject: Fiscal Year 2020 Food Assistance Employment and Training (FAE&T)
Program Plan Instructions

Programs Affected: FAE&T

Rescissions: None

References: Food and Nutrition Act (the Act) of 2008, 7 United States Code (U.S.C.)
§ 2011 (2008) (originally enacted as Food Stamp Act of 1977, as amended,
Public Law [PL] 88-525 [1964])

Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (2008 Farm Bill), PL 110-246
(2008) (codified, as amended, at 7 U.S.C.) § 2015)

Food and Nutrition Act of 2008, as amended by the Agriculture Improvement
Act of 2018, PL 115-334, (2018)

7 Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Agriculture, Parts 273.75
and 277

PI 19-01, Michigan Works! System Plan Instructions for Calendar Year 2019,
issued February 5, 2019, and subsequent changes

PI 19-30, Procurement issued October 25, 2019

FAE&T Manual, issued January 9, 2020

Background: The Food and Nutrition Act of 2008 (the Act) provides that state agencies be
given maximum flexibility in designing Employment & Training programs for
individuals receiving food assistance. The FAE&T Program provides
participants opportunities to gain skills, training, or experience to improve
their ability to obtain regular employment and increase

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self-sufficiency. The Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity–Workforce Development (LEO-WD) operates a voluntary FAE&T Program, which is jointly administered by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services and WD.

Policy: Allocations

In response to the MWA request, a portion of the supportive service funding that was previously allocated in PI 19-27c1 was declined and is not being reallocated in this policy.

Action: A Budget Information Summary form is not applicable for this policy.

All other requirements of PI 19-27 and PI 19-27c1 remain in effect.

Inquiries: Questions regarding this policy should be directed to your Reemployment Services State Coordinator at 517-335-5858. The information contained in this policy will be made available in an alternative format (large type, audio tape, etc.) upon request to this office.

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**Expiration
Date:**

September 30, 2020

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Attachment

Food Assistance Employment and Training Program Fiscal Year 2020, PI 19-27, Change 2				
Michigan Works! Agency	Current Program Operations Allocation	Supportive Service Allocation from PI 19-27c1	Change in Funding from PI 19-27c1	Revised Total Supportive Services Funds
	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)
ACSET dba West MI Works!	161,564	13,852		13,852
Berrien/Cass/Van Buren	61,443	5,268		5,268
Capital Area	61,177	9,245		9,245
Detroit Employment Solutions Corporation	513,437	30,022		30,022
Great Lakes Bay	122,075	13,467		10,467
GST Michigan Works!	139,115	15,928		15,928
Macomb/St. Clair	203,723	15,467		15,467
Michigan Works! Southwest	104,485	8,959		8,959
Oakland County	150,000	12,861		12,861
SEMCA	234,856	21,136		21,136
SE Michigan Consortium	114,240	13,795		13,795
Total	\$ 1,866,115	160,000	-	157,000

Formula Run by WD on August 16, 2019:

Allocations based on number of Food Assistance Program (FAP) Cases by County as of June 2018.
 GST Michigan Works! allocation is based on operating the FAE&T Program in Genesee County only.
 Capital Area Michigan Works! allocation is based on operating the FAE&T Program in Ingham County only.
 West Michigan Works! allocation is based on operating the FAE&T Program in Kent and Muskegon Counties only.

Minimum Allocation = n/a

Source of FAP cases: Department of Health and Human Services

The supportive service funding was reduced based on de-obligation requests from the MWAs.