

IS THERE A CALFRESH ABAWD TIME LIMIT?

Do any of the following apply?

- Children (under 18yrs) in the CalFresh household
- Under age 18 or age 50 and over
- Pregnant
- Disabled including getting or applied for disability benefits or veterans disability
- Getting OR applied for unemployment insurance
- Working 80hrs/month (including self-employment and in-kind work)
- Earning at least \$217.50/week in wages (including self-employment and in-kind work)
- Working as a migrant or seasonal farmworker and will be returning to work in the next 30 days
- Going to school at least half-time
- In an Office of Refugee Resettlement training program
- Taking care of someone who needs help taking care of themselves or is sick OR taking care of a child under the age of 6 (they do not need to live in the same household)



Combined participation in any of the following activities for 80hrs/month?

- Working (including self-employment and in-kind work)
- Community service or volunteer work
 - In-kind work in exchange for goods or services
 - CalFresh E&T program component: educational, vocational training, 9 hours of job search
 - Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Program, including up to 20 hours a week of job search
 - Participating in a Trade Adjustment Act program or EDD training program

NO

YES

YES

NO

Is the client experiencing any of the following?

- Physically, mentally or emotionally unable to work 80 hours a month, can be temporary
- Unable to work due to alcohol or drug use OR in a drug or alcohol treatment program
- Unable to work due to being without a home or a regular place to sleep
- Unable to work due to experiencing or escaping violence or abuse from a current or previous partner or relative

YES*

NO

⊗ NO CalFresh time limit

Client should be informed if the ABAWD rules apply to them. CalFresh can be received for as long as the client's situation stays the same. Submit any required verifications with the application to show meeting the work requirement or the applicable exemption.

⌚ YES, CalFresh time limit

Client should be informed that the ABAWD rules apply to them and that there might be a time limit for how long they can receive CalFresh. Inform the client of options for meeting the work requirement including participating in workfare and community service.

*These circumstances are indicators that an individual may be unable to work 80 hours a month but are not exemptions by themselves. Further discussion about the person's ability to work is necessary.