**TREATMENT OF ECONOMIC STIMULUS PAYMENTS**

Authorized by COVID-relief legislation, eligible individuals and their dependents may get economic stimulus payments sent through the Internal Revenue Service (IRS). See below for details on treatment of this additional income for DSS-administered programs.

* Medicaid/CHIP/Medicare Savings Programs (HUSKY A/B/C/D, MSP)
  + Not countable income
  + If program has an asset test, excluded for 12 months after receipt
  + [*26 U.S.C. §6409*](https://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/text/26/6409)
* State-Funded Medical
  + No income test
  + Excluded from assets for the duration of the State Public Health Emergency
  + [*Executive Order No. 10*](https://portal.ct.gov/Office-of-the-Governor/Governors-Actions/Executive-Orders/Governor-Lamonts-Executive-Orders)
* Temporary Family Assistance (TFA)
  + Not countable income
  + Excluded from assets for 12 months after receipt
  + [*26 U.S.C. §6409*](https://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/text/26/6409)
* State Supplement / SAGA Cash
  + Not countable income
  + Excluded from assets for the duration of the State Public Health Emergency
  + [*Executive Order No. 10*](https://portal.ct.gov/Office-of-the-Governor/Governors-Actions/Executive-Orders/Governor-Lamonts-Executive-Orders)
* Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
  + Not countable income.
  + If household has an asset test, excluded for 12 months after receipt
  + [*7 CFR § 273.9(c)(8) and (13)*](https://www.law.cornell.edu/cfr/text/7/273.9)*,* [*7 CFR § 273.8(e)(9) and (12)(i) & (g)*](https://www.law.cornell.edu/cfr/text/7/273.8)*,* [*26 U.S.C. §6409*](https://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/text/26/6409)