

FY23 KY 24 Transitional Benefits

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Kentucky will offer a transitional SNAP benefit beginning in 2023. Households containing at least one member who is receiving TANF and becomes financially ineligible will receive up to 5 months of a locked in SNAP transitional benefit.

Eligibility is based on receipt of TANF and reason for discontinuance of cash assistance. Households discontinued for failure to meet TANF technical criteria will not be eligible to receive transitional benefits.

The amount will be calculated by removing the cash assistance amount and freezing the SNAP amount for 5 months, unless the household loses eligibility to transitional benefits during the 5-month period.

The certification period will be adjusted to end in the fifth month.

Households will be notified of the changes, reporting requirements, and transitional program.

The household is eligible to apply for regular SNAP at any time during the transitional period.

The household will be required to complete a recertification renewal in the fifth month.