

Amend Section 44-211.6 to read:

44-211 SPECIAL NEEDS IN CALWORKS

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.1 through .6 (Continued)

.6 Pregnancy Special Needs

.61 For the purposes of this section, the term "~~third~~ second trimester" is defined as the 12th week of the pregnancy which is the beginning of the ~~third~~ fourth month immediately prior to the month of anticipated birth and continuing through the month of birth.

.62 (Continued)

.63 Eligible Applicants

(SAR) .631 A pregnant woman age 19 or older, with no eligible children who has applied for CalWORKs, is in her ~~third~~ second trimester, and is eligible to receive CalWORKs shall be entitled to receive the pregnancy special need payment from the date of application through the end of the semi-annual period in which the child is expected to be born once required verification has been provided. If the birth of the child is voluntarily reported mid-period, the pregnancy special need payment shall be discontinued at the end of the month prior to the month in which the newborn is added into the AU (see Sections 44-316.312(d)(SAR) and 44-318.15(SAR)).

(SAR) .632 (Continued)

(SAR) .633 A pregnant teen age 18 or younger, with no other eligible children in the AU, who has received a high school diploma or its equivalent, and is otherwise eligible, shall receive CalWORKs, and the pregnancy special need payment once required verification has been provided, from the date of application through the end of the semi-annual period in which the child is expected to be born, even if the pregnant teen reaches her 18 birthday prior to the third trimester.

~~.6334~~ (Continued)

.64 through .65 (Continued)

Authority cited: Sections 10553, 10554, 10604, 11209, and 11450(f) and (g), Welfare and Institutions Code.

Reference: Sections 11056, 11155.2(a), 11265.1, 11265.2, 11265.3, 11266(a)(2), 11271, 11272, 11273, and 11273(b), 11450(a)(1), (b), (c), and (f), 11450(f)(2)(A)(i), 11450(f)(2)(B), 11450(f)(2)(C), 11450(f)(2)(E)(i), (ii), (iii), (v), and (vi), 11450.5, 11452.018(a), and 11453.2, Welfare and Institutions Code; 45 CFR 206.10(a)(1)(ii), 45 CFR 206.10(a)(8), 45 CFR 233.10(a)(1)(iv), 45 CFR 233.20(a)(2)(v)(A), 45 CFR 234.11, 45 CFR 234.60; and 42 U.S.C.A., Section 606(b).