

SkillUP Quick Reference Guide

ABAWD	Volunteer
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 18-64 years old • No minor children under 14 years old on SNAP case • Does not meet exemption/exclusion from work requirement • Must participate in 80 hours of work/training per month to remain on SNAP • Send FS-5 to report training and/or work hours 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 16 years or older • May or may not have children on SNAP case • Meets exemption/exclusion from work requirement • No monthly hour requirement to remain on SNAP • May enroll or withdraw from participation at any time • Send FS-5 to report employment

Family Support Division (FSD) makes the final determination of participation type (ABAWD/Volunteer)

ABAWD Guidelines	Possible Exemptions
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Only receive 3 of 36 months if not meeting work/training requirements • Uses a “non-work” month if benefit received but not meeting 80 hours • Loses benefits after 3 “non-work” months. • Regains eligibility by working and/or attending training for 80 hours in a 30-day period, however; cannot utilize SkillUP to regain eligibility. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Receives UC benefits in any state • Required in the home to care for an ill or incapacitated person • Pregnancy in any trimester • Attending drug or alcohol treatment program • Indian, Urban Indian, or California Indian • Unable to work due to illness, injury or disability

SkillUP staff should report potential exemptions or exclusions for individuals to FSD via the FS-5 form

FNS (S20) Funding	TANF (S10) Funding
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can be used for planning, marketing, implementation and operation of SkillUP. • Can be used for participant tuition. • 100% funds cannot be used for supportive services. • Can be used on any SNAP/SkillUP participant (no restrictions). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can be used for planning, marketing, implementation and operation of SkillUP. • Can be used for participant tuition and supportive services. • Restrictions on who can be served: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 16-24 years old ○ 25+ years old with a child under 18 years old, including non-custodial parents

