

**ICES PROGRAM POLICY
MANUAL TRANSMITTAL #84
05/07/2014**

SECTION	SECTION TITLE	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGES
1435.05.00	Non-Discrimination Information	Updated the required non-discrimination statement.
1440.20.00	Complaints of Discrimination	Updated information concerning where complaints can be directed at the federal level.
1440.20.05	The Local Office and Discrimination Complaints	Updated references that were outdated.
1440.20.10	The Family Independence Section and Discrimination Complaints	Updated reference that were outdated.
2438.15.10.10	Exemptions From Employment And Training Participation (C)	Adds High School Equivalency (HSE) diploma as an exemption criteria if parent is a caretaker of a child under six (6).
2540.10.15	Job Search (F,C,I)	Specifies how to report travel time to and from employer contacts.
2540.10.60	Educational (Academic) Activities (F, C, I)	Replaces GED with High School Equivalency Diploma (HSE).
2540.10.60.05	High School Equivalency Diploma - HSE (F, C, I)	Replaces GED activity with HSE diploma; clarifies HSE policy.
2540.10.60.15	Adult Basic Education - ABE (F, C, I)	Adds HSE as an additional alternative.
2550.05.00	ESTABLISHING VENDORS FOR IMPACT SUPPORTIVE SERVICES (F, C, I)	Replaces GED test with HSE test and code HE as a supportive service.
2550.20.05	Food Stamp Only Recipients (F, I)	Replaces GED test with HSE test as a supportive service; minor edits.

2550.20.10	TANF IMPACT Mandatory Participants (C, I)	Includes proof of auto insurance as a requirement for Vehicle Repair(s); replaces GED test with HSE test as a supportive service; minor edits.
3020.00.00	UTILITY STANDARDS (F)	Updates for the SUAs effective 5/1/14.
3440.15.00	Standard Utility Options Available (F)	Federal revisions to qualifying changes for SUA1 and the requirement for the AG to receive a LIHEAP payment and no longer anticipate the receipt of a payment.
3440.15.10	Verification of Shelter Expenses (F)	Federal revisions to qualifying changes for SUA1 and the requirement for the AG to receive a LIHEAP payment and no longer anticipate the receipt of a payment.