

Chapter 3: Assessment of Income

(i) Exempt Income

(b) Earnings of Dependents

Intent:	To outline the impact of earnings of dependents on Income Support eligibility.
Act: (if applicable)	N/A
Regulations:	<p>Definitions</p> <p>8. In this Part</p> <p>(a) "exempt income" means income received by an applicant or recipient which is not considered in determining eligibility for income support, provided that the income is obtained by means of</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(H) earnings of dependents,</p>
Overview: (if applicable)	N/A
Policy:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dependents (under 18 years of age) who work, are not to be removed from the family case, and their earnings are not to be considered as a resource for the family. As dependents turn 18 years of age, they are considered adults and should be removed from the family case. If the 18 year old that has been removed from the family case requires Income Support benefits, they can apply and be assisted in their own right.
Procedure:	N/A
Authority Level:	Client Services Officer
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