

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) - Virginia Initiative for Education and Work (VIEW) Program



The TANF VIEW program provides employment, education and training opportunities to assist individuals in developing economic independence. Unless otherwise exempt, both TANF and TANF-UP (a program for families with two able-bodied parents in the household) recipients must participate in the VIEW program as a condition of eligibility.

The TANF Full Employment Program (FEP)

The TANF Full Employment Program (FEP) is an additional subsidized employment program designed to provide VIEW participants with opportunities to increase self-sufficiency by earning a living wage and developing career-related work skills.

More information about FEP can be found at www.dss.virginia.gov/fep



VIEW offers Virginians receiving TANF benefits the opportunity to:



» Achieve economic independence by providing positive incentives to work.



» Learn work skills necessary for self-sufficiency.



» Obtain work experience through employment, education and training.



» Receive services such as job skills training, work experience, job readiness training, child care assistance, transportation and other work-related expenses.



» Receive five types of supportive services that help remove barriers and allow individuals to fully take advantage of the program. These supportive services may include childcare, transportation, medical/dental, program and/or work-related expenses, and emergency intervention.



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