

## October – December 2020 Summary of Changes

<b>Chapter</b>	<b>Passage</b>	<b>Summary</b>
<b>0800</b>	0810.0400	Added language: A four-month certification period for simplified reporting SFUs where all members are Able-bodied adults without dependents (ABAWDs) or potential ABAWDs
<b>3600</b>	3610.0306, 3620.0306, 3630.0306, 3640.0306, 3650.0306, 3660.0306	Updated minimum amount for an inadvertent or agency error claim to \$400

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Technical changes and changes in non-substantive information may be excluded from this summary.

# Listing of Amended Passages

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## **0810.0400      CERTIFICATION PERIODS (FS)**

Assign the following certification periods:

1. A six-month certification period for simplified reporting SFUs that contain members who are not elderly or disabled.
2. A 24-month certification period with an interim contact due by the end of 12 months for simplified reporting SFUs that contain only elderly or disabled members with no earned income. The longest certification period FLORIDA allows is 12 months. Assign the first 12-month period and another 12 months after the interim contact for a total of 24 months.
3. A four-month certification period for simplified reporting SFUs where all members are Able-bodied adults without dependents (ABAWDs) or potential ABAWDs.

Regardless of the date of application or the amount of the prorated food stamps, count the first month of eligibility as the first month of the certification period.

If the SFU's criteria changes during the certification period do not:

1. shorten the current certification period if fewer than six months remain. The conversion to a six-month certification becomes effective the first month after the participant receives an adverse action notice.
2. extend the current certification period longer than six or 24 months established from the most recent certification or recertification.

## **3610.0306      Inadvertent ~~AG~~ or Agency Errors Not Requiring Referral (FS)**

A Benefit Recovery referral will not be made or a claim established on ~~closed~~ cases when client error results in overpayment of less than ~~\$250~~ \$400 in food stamps.

## **3620.0306      Inadvertent or Agency ~~AG~~ Errors Not Requiring Referral (TCA)**

A Benefit Recovery referral will not be made or a claim established on ~~closed~~ cases when client error results in overpayment of less than \$400 in cash assistance.

## **3630.0306      Inadvertent ~~AG~~ or Agency Errors Not Requiring Referral (MFAM)**

A Benefit Recovery referral will not be made or a claim established on ~~closed~~ cases when client error results in overpayment of less than \$400.

## **3640.0306      Inadvertent or Agency ~~AG~~ Errors Not Requiring Referral (MSSI)**

A Benefit Recovery referral will not be made or a claim established on ~~closed~~ cases when client error results in overpayment of less than \$400.

## **3650.0306      Inadvertent ~~AG~~ or Agency Errors Not Requiring Referral (CIC)**

A Benefit Recovery referral will not be made or a claim established on ~~closed~~ cases when client error results in overpayment of less than \$400.

## **3660.0306      Inadvertent ~~AG~~ or Agency Errors Not Requiring Referral (RAP)**

A Benefit Recovery referral will not be made or a claim established on ~~closed~~ cases when client error results in overpayment of less than \$400.

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New language in passages appear blue in color and ~~strikethrough~~ is used for deleted language.  
The Introduction and Appendices are excluded.