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**Summary**

Amended several sections of the E A-Z manual as well as related rules to reflect the elimination of the state-funded Food Assistance Program for legal immigrants (FAP). FAP is eliminated effective 2-01-2011 through changes to the following rules under [WSR 11-02-035](#).

WAC	TITLE	CHANGE
388-400-0040	Am I eligible for benefits through the Washington Basic Food program?	Amended to show that persons must meet citizenship / alien status for Federal SNAP benefits and remove references to eligibility for state-funded FAP.
388-400-0045	If I am not eligible for federal benefits through Washington Basic Food program because of my alien status, can I receive state-funded Basic Food?	Repealed
388-424-0020	How does my alien status impact eligibility for the federally-funded Washington Basic Food program?	Amended to show that persons must meet citizenship / alien status for Federal SNAP benefits and remove references to eligibility for state-funded FAP.
388-424-0025	How does my alien status impact my eligibility for state-funded benefits under the Washington Basic Food program?	Repealed
388-489-0025	Can my transitional food assistance benefits end before the end of my five-month transition period?	Removed reference to repealed WAC 388-424-0025.

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