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Section 50559@ Income Deemed Available from the Stepparent

## **50559 Income Deemed Available from the Stepparent**

### **(a)**

If there is a stepparent living in the home and only the parent and the parent's separate children are included in the MFBU, the income deemed available from the stepparent shall be determined as follows: (1) Combine the stepparent's nonexempt unearned income with the stepparent's gross earned income minus the deduction for work expenses specified in Section 50553.1. (2) Deduct, from the amount determined in (1), the following amounts: (A) Amounts actually paid by the stepparent to persons not living in the home but who are claimed as dependents for purposes of determining the stepparent's Federal personal income tax liability. (B) Voluntary or court-ordered child support and alimony payments made by the stepparent to persons not living in the home. (C) The maintenance need for the stepparent unit which includes the: 1. Stepparent. 2. Mutual children. 3. Stepparent's children. (3) The remainder, if any, is income available to the MFBU.

### **(1)**

Combine the stepparent's nonexempt unearned income with the stepparent's gross earned income minus the deduction for work expenses specified in Section 50553.1.

### **(2)**

Deduct, from the amount determined in (1), the following amounts: (A) Amounts actually paid by the stepparent to persons not living in the home but who are claimed as dependents for purposes of determining the stepparent's Federal personal income

tax liability. (B) Voluntary or court-ordered child support and alimony payments made by the stepparent to persons not living in the home. (C) The maintenance need for the stepparent unit which includes the:1. Stepparent. 2. Mutual children. 3. Stepparent's children.

**(A)**

Amounts actually paid by the stepparent to persons not living in the home but who are claimed as dependents for purposes of determining the stepparent's Federal personal income tax liability.

**(B)**

Voluntary or court-ordered child support and alimony payments made by the stepparent to persons not living in the home.

**(C)**

The maintenance need for the stepparent unit which includes the:1. Stepparent. 2. Mutual children. 3. Stepparent's children.

**1.**

Stepparent.

**2.**

Mutual children.

**3.**

Stepparent's children.

**(3)**

The remainder, if any, is income available to the MFBU.