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SUBJECT: Draft State Plan for the Work First New Jersey Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (WFNJ/TANF) Program for Federal Fiscal Year 2018-2020

Dear Colleague:

The New Jersey Department of Human Services' Draft State Plan for the Work First New Jersey Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (WFNJ/TANF) program for Federal Fiscal Years (FFYs) 2018-2020 is now available for your information, review and comments at: <http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/providers/grants/public/index.html>.

The TANF program is the primary means by which the State of New Jersey provides public assistance benefits to parents and children. In order to receive certification eligibility for Federal TANF funding, the State is required to seek public comment on the plan and submit the plan to the United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) on a biennial basis.

A 45-day public comment period will begin on November 8, 2017 and will end on December 22, 2017. Your comments are welcomed and should be submitted no later than December 7, 2017 to: Division of Family Development, Office of Policy and Standards Development, P.O. Box 716, Trenton, NJ 08625-0716 or DFD.OPSD@dhs.state.nj.us.

We hope you find this information useful and look forward to receiving your comments.

Sincerely,


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