

Paying-Parent Fact Sheet

New Child Support Rules Mean **More for KID\$!**

More of the past-due support you pay will go to your children

Parents who get child support **no longer** have to sign over existing support debts when signing up for W-2 or Caretaker Supplement (CTS) payments. Past-due support owed to your children before the parent who gets child support signed up for W-2 or CTS payments is still owed to your children. Any payments you make on past-due child support will go to your children.

Past-due child support debts that build up while the children are receiving W-2 or CTS will be signed over to the State while the parent is receiving benefits. But when the other parent stops receiving W-2 or CTS payments, 100% of your payments made on past-due child support will **now** go to your children. That means that once your family stops receiving W-2 or CTS payments, all the money paid on your child support case goes to your children.

Example

Past-Due Child Support You Paid	With Old Rules, 40% of your past-due payment went to your children	With New Rules, Now 100% of your past-due payment goes to your children
\$20	\$8	\$20
\$40	\$16	\$40
\$60	\$24	\$60

Your children receiving W-2 or CTS will get more of the current support you pay

Starting October 2010, if your family receives W-2 or CTS payments, 75% of the current child support that you pay will be passed through to your children.

Example

Current Child Support You Paid	With Old Rules, 40% of your payment went to your children	Starting Oct. 2010, 75% of your payment goes to your children
\$50	\$20 + W-2/CTS payments	\$37.50 + W-2/CTS payments
\$100	\$40 + W-2/CTS payments	\$75.00 + W-2/CTS payments
\$150	\$60 + W-2/CTS payments	\$112.50 + W-2/CTS payments

Please note this exception: These new rules do not apply to State-owed AFDC debts (pre-1997)

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