

For: State and County Offices

Issuing the Remaining 10 Percent of 2019 and 2020 WHIP+ Payments

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1 Overview

A Background

Because of budget constraints, 2019 and 2020 WHIP+ payments were initially subject to a 50 percent factor. In June 2021, FSA authorized a second payment equal to 40 percent of the calculated payment. At that time, it was also announced that a third round of payments may be issued if sufficient funds become available.

Sufficient funds are available to issue final 2019 and 2020 WHIP+ payments. FSA has authorized a final payment equal to the remaining 10 percent of 2019 and 2020 calculated payments.

B Purpose

This notice advises State and County Offices that:

- on or around **November 8, 2021**, the 2019 and 2020 WHIP+ payments for the remaining 10 percent will be available for WHIP+ and the software will be reopened for approvals
- County Offices are authorized to certify and sign 2019 and 2020 WHIP+ payments in the National Payment System (NPS)
- Information Bulletin 10279 was posted November 8, 2021, indicating the payments will be available.

Disposal Date	Distribution
April 1, 2022	State Offices; State Offices relay to County Offices

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2 Action

A State Office Action

State Offices must:

- ensure that County Offices are aware of the contents of this notice
- assist County Offices with questions about this notice
- contact National Office staff with any questions about this notice.

B County Office Action

County Offices must:

- review the contents of this notice
- certify and sign WHIP+ payments in NPS
- contact DD or State Office, as applicable, with questions about this notice.