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**To:** Department of Transitional Assistance Staff  
**From:** *AOS* Anne O’Sullivan, Assistant Commissioner for Policy, Program and External Relations  
**Re:** TAFDC – Young Parents Program – Increasing the Maximum Enrollment Age to 23

**Overview**

Effective February 5, 2015, clients may **enroll** in the Young Parents Program (YPP) through age 23. Clients may complete **participation** in YPP through age 24. By increasing the age for enrollment and participation, more young parents will be able to receive supportive YPP services while working to obtain a high school diploma or equivalency, and become economically self-sufficient.

**BEACON Online Guide Page Updates**

The following Online Guide pages have been updated:

**Topic:** TAFDC  
**Book:** Program Nonfinancial Requirements  
**Chapter:** Teen Parents  
**Page:** School Attendance Requirements

**Topic:** TAFDC  
**Book:** ESP  
**Chapter:** ESP – Non Competitive Employment Services  
**Page:** Young Parents Program (YPP)

**Questions**

If you have any questions, please email the DTA Mailbox. Systems questions should be directed to the Systems Support Help Desk.