

## 90-700.22. MODIFIED AID PAYMENT CYCLE (MAPC)

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- A. General** This section provides general information regarding MAPC in the GR Program.
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- B. Policy** Employable applicants who have willfully failed to comply with Employable Program requirements may be eligible to receive GR under MAPC.
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- C. Mandatory Participants** Individuals who apply for Employable GR in San Diego County while currently under an Employable Program sanction applied by another county in California shall be certified under the MAPC as described in [E](#) through [G](#), below. MAPC shall remain in effect for the entire certification period.
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- D. Voluntary Participants** Applicants previously sanctioned by San Diego County for a period of three months may receive cash aid after a minimum 30-day period of ineligibility when the following conditions exist:
- It is the first sanction in a six-month period; and
  - The applicant reapplies under MAPC requirements.
- MAPC shall remain in effect for the remainder of the certification period.
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- E. MAPC Requirements** All MAPC applicants/recipients shall be required to complete the Work Test prior to receiving initial aid. Refer to [GRPG 90-700.9.E and F](#) for specific MAPC Work Test requirements and procedures. JS and Status Report requirements shall apply to MAPC recipients.
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- F. Intake Month** Under MAPC requirements, the applicant shall complete the Work Test prior to issuance of initial aid, and the remainder of the WP shall be completed immediately following the issuance of initial aid. The Work Test for the second cycle of aid shall be completed during the intake month, prior to the next month (the last three days of the previous WP).
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**Intake Month**  
(continued)      If the MAPC applicant is substituting JSs for the WP, the Work Test will consist of four JSs prior to issuance of initial aid. 16 additional JSs shall be completed in the intake month. Four of the 16 JSs are part of the Work Test for the second month.

Bus passes may be given for the initial Work Test.

The initial WP assignments shall be made from the Mass Assignment Board. Subsequent WP shall be assigned by the Social Worker at assessment.

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**G. Granted Months**      Recipients shall complete the remainder of the WP beginning with the first day of the month (up to six days). The Work Test for the subsequent month shall be completed immediately following.

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**H. Non-cooperation**      Non-cooperation with MAPC requirements is subject to a good cause evaluation.

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**I. Good Cause is Found**      If good cause is found for failure of the initial MAPC Work Test (during MAPC application process), aid will be issued upon completion of Work Test requirements. The applicant shall be issued a second 11-49M HSA with a revised WP schedule.

Ongoing MAPC requirements are subject to a good cause evaluation.

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**J. Good Cause Not Found**      If good cause is not found for failure of the initial MAPC Work Test, the application will be denied and the sanction reinstated. The applicant will have no additional opportunities to shorten the duration of subsequent sanctions for a period of six months, beginning with the effective date of the current sanction. The table below shows a couple of examples.

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**Good Cause  
Not Found**  
(continued)

<b>Ex.</b>	<b>Situation</b>
1	Applicant sanctioned effective 11/1/07. Applicant reapplies under MAPC on 12/1/07. Applicant willfully fails to cooperate with the MAPC Work Test. Aid is denied. Applicant remains sanctioned until 2/1/08. The MAPC option will be available to the applicant for sanctions applied after 5/31/08.
2	Applicant sanctioned effective 11/1/07. Applicant reapplies under MAPC on 2/1/08. Applicant willfully fails to cooperate with requirements. Applicant may not reapply before the three-month period of ineligibility expires, as this is the second sanction in a six-month period. The MAPC option will be available to the applicant for sanctions applied after 5/31/08.

The MAPC denial is subject to all GR Hearing rights and responsibilities.

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