

**Subject** MFIP citizenship requirements

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## Overview

This bill modifies citizenship requirements for the Minnesota family investment program (MFIP) by allowing noncitizens who are victims of a severe form of trafficking or who have suffered substantial physical or mental abuse as a result of having been a victim of criminal activity to be eligible for MFIP.

MFIP is a jointly funded, federal-state program that provides income assistance to eligible low-income families. MFIP is partly funded by temporary assistance for needy families (TANF), a federal block grant program to states.

## Summary

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1	<b>General citizenship requirements.</b>
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	Amends § 256J.11, subd. 1. Modifies citizenship requirements for MFIP by allowing noncitizens who are victims of a severe form of trafficking or who have suffered substantial physical or mental abuse as a result of having been a victim of criminal activity to be eligible for MFIP.
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