

The Erie County Department of Social Services will assist you to develop a plan leading to self-sufficiency.

## I agree to:

- participate in developing a self-sufficiency plan;
- look for a job and accept one if offered;
- keep scheduled appointments;
- call to reschedule if unable to keep an appointment;
- attend treatment or rehabilitation program, if required;
- participate in an approved work activity, including work experience, if required; and
- report employment and provide verification.

I understand that if I do not participate in mandated assigned work activities, my application may be denied or my benefits may be reduced or discontinued.

## The agency agrees to:

- develop a plan to assist you with achieving self- sufficiency;
- offer services to help you obtain employment;
- provide child care information;
- provide supportive services while you participate in approved work activities;
- answer any questions regarding eligibility; and
- provide an opportunity to discuss any barriers to employment.

The Erie County Department of Social Services will assist you in the agreed plan of activities which will lead you to self-sufficiency.

Temporary Assistance is subject to the following time limits:

- 5 years (60 months) for families with children
- 2 years (24 months) for single individuals and childless couples

When these time limits have been reached and you are applying for Temporary Assistance, you will be assessed or reassessed for eligibility for the Safety Net Non-Cash program.

Client Signature	Date