

FoodShare Employment and Training (FSET)

WHAT IS FOODSHARE EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING (FSET)?

FSET is a voluntary, no-cost program that helps FoodShare members build their job skills and find jobs. If you are an adult who gets FoodShare benefits, and you work less than 30 hours a week, FSET may be able to help you.

GETTING STARTED

First, you will meet with a staff person to talk about your job needs and goals. Then you will work together to build an employment plan. Our staff can also show you how to use helpful job search tools.

FSET CAN HELP WITH:

- Job searches and job referrals
- Transportation, child care and other work-related costs
- Job skills assessment
- Career planning
- Basic job training
- Work experience
- Referrals to other community services

You can take part in FSET activities for up to 27 hours a week.

WHAT ABOUT CHILD CARE AND TRANSPORTATION?

If you need child care, transportation or other support services in order to take part in FSET, we may be able to help. FSET gives these services on a case-by-case basis. To learn more, talk with your FoodShare or FSET worker.

Will I Lose FoodShare Benefits If I Do Not Complete My FSET Activities?

FSET is a voluntary program, so you can keep your FoodShare benefits even if you don't complete your FSET activities. Keep in mind that if you don't complete your activities, you will not be able to get child care, help with transportation or other support services.

How Can I Learn More?

- Call Member Services at 1-800-362-3002 (TTY and translation services are available);
- Go to dhs.wisconsin.gov/foodshare or
- Contact your local county or tribal agency.

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