

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
Economic Services Administration



To be eligible for TANF, a child must live with a relative of a specified degree who has responsibility for the day-to-day care of the child. Relatives of a specified degree are defined in the District as any relative, including one of half-blood, who is within the sixth degree of relationship:

• Parent	• Aunt
• Grandparent	• First cousin or first cousin once removed
• Sister or brother	• Second cousin
• Half-sister or half-brother	• Niece or nephew
• Stepsister or stepbrother	• Stepfather or stepmother
• Uncle	• Spouse of any person named

By completing and signing this form, you are certifying that you are one of the applicable relationship types listed above and that you are responsible for the day-to-day care of the child that TANF assistance is being applied for.

I, _____ hereby attest that I am the
Name of Person Completing the Form

_____ of _____
Relationship **Name of Child**

I, _____ certify that I am the primary caretaker for the
Name of Person Completing the Form

abovenamed child and that this child lives in the same residence as me for at least 51% of the calendar year. I understand that this is a legal document, and any false statements may result in adverse action being taken on my application and/or receipt of benefits.

Printed Name: _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____