## On Temporary Assistance? Working has its own benefits

### Family of Three - Not Working†

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$1,259 per month

$15,108 per year
(Not eligible for Earned Income Tax Credits)

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$1,895 per month

$22,740 + $7,486 Earned Income Tax Credits = $30,226 total per year

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* Based on a 30-hour workweek at $11.80 an hour
† Based on households outside of New York City, Long Island and Westchester County

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### Additional Benefits of Working

- **Work history combined with skills can lead to a better job**
- **Pay into Social Security to qualify for retirement benefits**
- **Qualify for Federal and State tax credits to boost income**

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### Did you know?

**Over 50,000** Temporary Assistance recipients in New York State become employed annually.

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**When recipients earn enough to no longer receive Temporary Assistance, they still may qualify for at least:**

- **12 months of Medicaid**
- **12 months of child care assistance**
- **5 months of SNAP**