

# Quality Check Screen (Pre-Certification Review Screen)

The Quality Check Screen, also known as the pre-certification review screen, automatically alerts staff to discrepancies in client-reported data prior to certification to strengthen program integrity and fair client outcomes.

## Aids in addressing SNAP PER Error Drivers



Client Reporting Errors



Processing Errors

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## SOLUTION

The **Quality Check (QC) Screen** automatically reviews case data during data collection, flagging common reporting errors for the caseworker to address. Examples of flagged discrepancies include:

- Expenses reported that are greater than the total earned income*
- Household is unsheltered, but utility/shelter expense reported*
- Elderly or disability status is reported without medical expense details*
- Disability status is reported without unearned income (e.g., RSDI)*

When a discrepancy is flagged, the caseworker must resolve it by entering additional details in the data collection screen or providing an explanation in the case notes.

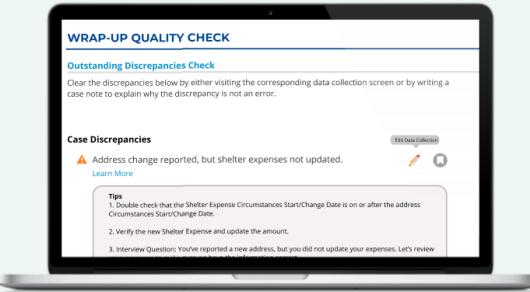


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## KEY FEATURES



### Automated QC Checks

The system automatically scans each case for common data entry errors and proactively alerts caseworkers to identified issues prior to certification.



### Caseworker Review Prompts

Integrated prompts require caseworkers to review and address flagged discrepancies prior to eligibility processing, with built-in case note tracking to support comprehensive documentation and resolution workflows.



### Tips & Tricks

Contextual guidance and recommended interview questions are displayed for each identified discrepancy, empowering users with actionable insights to efficiently resolve issues within the workflow.

## IMPACT

- Improves payment accuracy** by identifying data discrepancies and prompting caseworkers to resolve them, minimizing underpayments and overpayments. This helps SNAP participants receive the correct benefit amounts.
- Streamlines caseworker workflows** by automating error detection and resolution, reducing both manual effort and processing time for SNAP benefit administration.

## METRICS

Of all SNAP discrepancies flagged on the QC Screen,

**25%** of cases were resolved through a Data Collection update before authorization.



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