## Chapter 388-420 WAC CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY FOOD ASSISTANCE

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388-420-010 Alcohol and drug treatment centers.

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- (a) Licensed by the department of health (DOH) as a behavioral health agency (see chapter 246-341 WAC); and
- (b) Certified by DOH to provide residential substance use disorder treatment services (see WAC 246-341-1108).
- (2) A resident is considered a one person assistance unit. However if the resident's spouse or child is also living in the treatment center, the spouse or child is included in the resident's assistance unit.
- (3) The resident must have a designated employee of the treatment center act as an authorized representative as specified in chapter 388-460 WAC.
- (4) The authorized representative receives and uses the food assistance benefits for meals the resident is served in the treatment center.
- (5) The authorized representative also has responsibilities as specified in chapter 388-460 WAC.

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