This document is intended to serve as a quick reference to guide users through the required gap funding process steps. It is not intended to be a replacement for the Provider Guidance or Portal Guidance, which provide details about program requirements and process steps.

## Submit a Gap Funding Reimbursement Request

- Navigate to the Participant's Application Case File
- Scroll down to the Gap Funding Approvals/ Invoices section
- Review the Available Amount for the applicable category to verify funding availability as well as Gap Funding Invoices to verify the charge has not already been submitted
- Ensure applicable supporting documentation (receipts) are saved as an electronic file (e.g. word, pdf, png, etc.)
  - To expedite processing turnaround, save the documents with a name that includes the category and amount of the Gap Funding reimbursement amount
- Click on New Invoice
  - Provide an explanation of the request and indicated whether other community resources were utilized
  - Click Next
  - Click on Add Request to insert a new Gap Funding reimbursement request (by category)
    - Select the applicable category
    - Enter a description of purchase
    - Enter the total amount being requested
    - Enter the Service Date as the date of purchase
    - Click Submit
  - Attach Supporting Documentation
  - Agency Approval
    - For agencies that do not require second-level review prior to submission to the program, enter 'Yes' into the Agency Reviewed field
    - For agencies that do require second-level review prior to submission to the program, bypass this field
  - o Click Submit

## Submit a Gap Funding Exception Request

- Navigate to the Participant's Application Case File
- Scroll down to the Participant Updates section
- Click New Participant Update
  - Select Type of Request 'Gap Funding Exception Request'
  - Provide an explanation
  - o Enter a total amount of request
  - Attach supporting documentation
  - o Click Submit
- Monitor your email and/or the Participant's Application Case File for a request determination