



Income Support

Subject: Assignment of Benefits (AoB) General Policy Update- Service Canada

Requirements

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## **BACKGROUND:**

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, in 2020 Service Canada and Alberta entered into a temporary agreement to allow for verbal attestation/authorization instead of a wet signature on the **INS 3113 Assignment of Benefit** form.

Effective July 1, 2022, the temporary agreement with Service Canada expired. The **INS 3113 Assignment of Benefit** form going forward must contain a wet signature, per Service Canada's requirements.

## **INTENT:**

To remove the 2020 temporary agreement information and update policy to the requirement for a wet signature. Staff must ensure the client signs the forms before submitting to Service Canada.

## **POLICY:**

The following policies have been updated:

Assignment of Benefits: General Policy

Classification: Protected A