

## **Exceptions to the 18-Month Rule**

A review of the support amount may be done early if the support order was entered more than 12 months ago and:

There is a zero-dollar (\$0) support order in the case.

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) or other disability

- After the support order was entered, the parent who owes support started getting SSI or other disability payments.
- The support order was based on the parent who owes support getting SSI or other disability payments and those payments have now stopped because the parent is no longer considered disabled.

Incarceration

- The parent who owes support is in prison and there is at least one year remaining on the sentence.
- The support order was based on the parent who owes support being in prison and it has been at least six months since the parent was released.

The support order covered more than one child and the parent who owes support no longer has a duty to support at least one of those children.