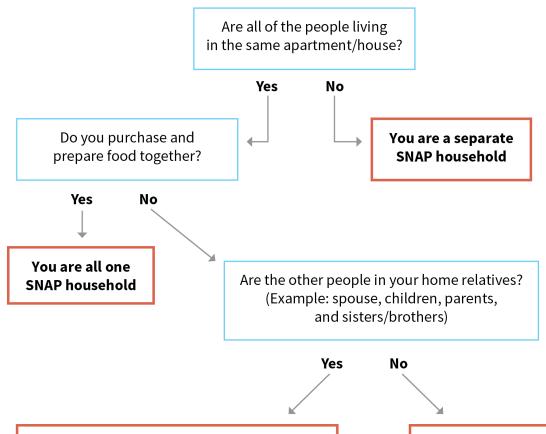
## **Household Composition Guide**

To determine who is included in a SNAP household, ask the following questions:



## Relatives have to be part of your household for SNAP purposes if they are:

- Spouses living together
- Parents and children under age 22 who live together even if the child has their own minor child(ren) and/or spouse living with them.
- Children under age 18 living with and under the "parental control" of an adult other than their parent/stepparent. (For information on how "parental control" is determined, see 07-INF-14 Child-Only Questions and Answers pg 11, question 41, and SNAPSB Section 5: pp. 50 c. + note)

## They are not part of your SNAP household.

(They may apply for SNAP separately.)

## OTHER RELATIVES WHO MAY BE SEPARATE SNAP HOUSEHOLDS

If they purchase/prepare food separately:

- Adult brothers & sisters living together
- Adult children, 22 or older, living with parents
- Cousins, uncles/aunts, and other distant relatives

