

**CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT:  
THE REPUBLICAN BILL GIVES MORE SUPPORT TO CHILDREN AND  
PROVIDES MORE TOOLS FOR CHILD SUPPORT COLLECTION**

**To give more child support directly to families, States are given incentives to pass-through more support to TANF and former TANF families.**

- Families and children will benefit financially:
  - Over 5 years, HHS estimates \$280 million in child support will be passed through to families on TANF.
  - Over 5 years, HHS estimates \$810 million will be distributed to families no longer on the TANF rolls.
- Children will see that their parents support and care for them.

**To increase the amount of child support collected, additional enforcement tools will be provided.**

- Passport denial program will be expanded.
- Federal administrative offset program will be enhanced.
- Review and adjustment of child support orders every three years will be required for TANF families.
- Tax refund intercept program can be used to collect more past-due support.
- Funding for important technical support will be maintained.

**To help finance provisions increasing child support for families, States will be required to impose a \$25 annual processing fee for child support enforcement cases.**

- This fee will only apply to those cases in which a family has never used cash welfare and the State has made a successful collection.