

TANF, the national welfare program for families, has to be reauthorized by Congress by September 30, 2010. Legal Momentum has formed the **EndPovertyNow Coalition and Listserve** to promote and support TANF reauthorization advocacy from the perspective of the children and parents the program is supposed to serve, the majority of whom are women. The Coalition will advocate for program improvements such as fair program administration, increased access to all forms of education, a ban on time limits, real sensitivity to domestic violence and disability, immigrant eligibility, expanded child care and employment opportunities, and higher benefit levels.

To join the new EndPovertyNow Coalition Listserve:

- 1) send an email with "join" in the subject line to
tcasey@legalmomentum.org ; or
- 2) a. Go to <http://groups.google.co.uk/group/endpovertynow?hl=en-GB>
 - b. Select "sign in and apply for membership"
 - c. Sign into your Google account (or create a Google account if you don't already have one)

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