

~~SCHEDULE-MORE-THAN-ONCE-A-WEEK-FOR-PART-OR-ALL-OF-A-DAY--OR--MORE
THAN--20--HOURS-A-MONTH,--GROUP-DAY-CARE-TO-7-OR-MORE-CHILDREN-WHO
DO-NOT-HAVE-THE-SAME-MOTHER-AND-FATHER.~~

(G) (H) "RECIPIENT" MEANS A RECIPIENT OF TUITION ASSISTANCE UNDER THIS SUBTITLE.

(H) (I) "SERVICE OBLIGATION" MEANS THE OBLIGATION OF A RECIPIENT TO PROVIDE DAY CHILD CARE SERVICES AS A SENIOR STAFF MEMBER OR DIRECTOR AT A GROUP-DAY CHILD CARE CENTER, OR AS A FAMILY DAY CARE PROVIDER, IN THE STATE.

(I) (J) "TUITION ASSISTANCE" MEANS ANY FUNDS PROVIDED FOR THE COST OF BASIC INSTRUCTIONAL CHARGES, FEES, ROOM, BOARD, OR OTHER RELATED EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES.

18-1802.

(A) THERE IS A PROGRAM OF TUITION ASSISTANCE TO TRAIN DAY CHILD CARE PROVIDERS.

(B) THE STATE SCHOLARSHIP ADMINISTRATION SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT INCLUDE:

(1) PROCEDURES FOR APPLICATIONS AND RENEWALS OF TUITION ASSISTANCE; AND

(2) REQUIREMENTS THAT A TUITION ASSISTANCE RECIPIENT PROVIDE TO THE STATE ADEQUATE FINANCIAL SECURITY TO ASSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THE SERVICE OBLIGATION.

(C) (1) THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS TO DETERMINE ACADEMIC CRITERIA FOR THE SELECTION OF TUITION ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS FROM ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS.

(2) THE STATE SCHOLARSHIP ADMINISTRATION MAY ADOPT ANY OTHER REGULATIONS NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THIS SUBTITLE.

18-1803.

(A) THE STATE SCHOLARSHIP ADMINISTRATION ANNUALLY SHALL AWARD TO ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS TUITION ASSISTANCE FOR THE EDUCATION OF PERSONS TRAINING TO BE DAY CHILD CARE PROVIDERS.

(B) A RECIPIENT OF A TUITION ASSISTANCE AWARD UNDER THIS SUBTITLE SHALL:

(1) BE A RESIDENT OF THIS STATE;

(2) BE SELECTED BY THE STATE SCHOLARSHIP ADMINISTRATION FROM QUALIFIED APPLICANTS BASED ON COMPETITIVE STANDARDS;