

Defined term: "Recipient" § 5-301

SUBTITLE 4. STATE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS.

PART I. PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TO ADULTS.

5-401. DEFINITIONS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

IN THIS PART THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is new language derived without substantive change from the introductory phrase of the first paragraph of former Art. 88A, § 64.

In this subsection and throughout this part, the reference to this "part" is substituted for the former reference to this "subtitle" to reflect the reorganization of provisions formerly contained in Article 88A.

(B) APPLICANT.

"APPLICANT" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO APPLIES FOR ASSISTANCE UNDER THIS PART.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is new language derived without substantive change from the fourth paragraph of former Art. 88A, § 64.

The reference to an "individual" who applies for assistance is substituted for the former reference to a "person" because only an individual, and not the other entities included in the defined term "person", may apply for assistance.

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(C) ASSISTANCE.

"ASSISTANCE" MEANS:

(1) CASH PAYMENTS TO A RECIPIENT; AND

(2) PAYMENTS NECESSARY FOR SUPPLEMENTARY SERVICES FOR A RECIPIENT, INCLUDING:

(I) THE RECIPIENT'S FUNERAL EXPENSES AS PROVIDED IN § 5-415 OF THIS SUBTITLE; AND

(II) PLACEMENT OF THE RECIPIENT IN A SUITABLE HOME OR INSTITUTION IF:

1. THE RECIPIENT LACKS A LEGAL GUARDIAN OR OTHER PERSON LEGALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE RECIPIENT'S SUPPORT; AND

2. THE RECIPIENT CONSENTS.