

(2) HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED IN ENTRY-LEVEL EMPLOYMENT FOR AT LEAST 6 MONTHS FROM THE DATE THE INDIVIDUAL PROPOSES TO BEGIN PARTICIPATION IN THE JOB SKILLS ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM;

(3) PROVIDE EMPLOYER VALIDATION OR OTHER DOCUMENTATION OF EMPLOYMENT STATUS;

(4) POSSESS LIMITED JOB SKILLS; AND

(5) HAVE LIMITED OPPORTUNITY FOR ADVANCEMENT IN CURRENT EMPLOYMENT.

(E) THE LOCAL DEPARTMENT SHALL CONTRACT FOR TRAINING SERVICES THAT ARE TO BE PROVIDED UNDER THE JOB SKILLS ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM, AS PROVIDED IN § 47(A) OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(F) (1) AT THE DISCRETION OF THE SECRETARY, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE LOCAL DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR, THE JOB SKILLS ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM SHALL BE ADMINISTERED BY THE LOCAL DEPARTMENT OR THROUGH THE STATE SERVICE DELIVERY AREA SYSTEM UNDER THE JOB TRAINING PARTNERSHIP ACT (JTPA).

(2) AS PART OF THEIR ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION, A LOCAL DEPARTMENT OR PERSONS AT A SERVICE DELIVERY AREA LOCATION SHALL:

(I) MANAGE EACH PARTICIPANT'S TRAINING PLAN;

(II) MAINTAIN A DATABASE OF APPROPRIATE TRAINING VENDORS;

AND

(III) COMPILE NECESSARY FISCAL REPORTS ON THE JOB SKILLS ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM.

Article - Health - General

15-103.

[(d) The Secretary shall apply for a waiver from the Health Care Financing Administration of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services or take any other steps necessary to obtain federal reimbursement for providing program services to any minor who had qualified, and subsequently lost eligibility, as disabled under the federal Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Program before August 22, 1996, the effective date of the federal Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act.]

Article - State Finance and Procurement

13-224.

(A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(2) "DEPARTMENT" MEANS THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES.