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Workforce Investment Act of 1998 Title I Chapter V Adult Eligibility Requirements

Part 663.110 Core Services

To be eligible to receive core services as an adult in the adult, an individual must be 18 years of age or older. Eligibility criteria for intensive and training services are found at §663.220 and 663.310.

WIA Sec. 132(b)(1)(B)(v)(I) Adult.--The term ``adult" means an individual who is not less than age 22 and not more than age 72.

WIA Sec. 132(b)(1)(B)(v)(IV) Disadvantaged adult.--Subject to subclause (V), the term `disadvantaged adult" means an adult who received an income, or is a member of a family that received a total family income, that, in relation to family size, does not exceed the higher of 70 percent of the lower living standard income level.

Part 663.220 Intensive Services:

There are two categories of adults who may receive intensive services:

- (a) Adults who are unemployed, have received at least one core service and are unable to obtain employment through core services, and are determined by a One-Stop operator to be in need of more intensive services to obtain employment; and
- (b) Adults who are employed, have received at least one core service, and are determined by a One-Stop operator to be in need of intensive services to obtain or retain employment that leads to self-sufficiency, as described in §663.230.

Part 663.230 Leading to Self-Sufficiency:

State Boards or Local Boards must set the criteria for determining whether employment leads to self-sufficiency. At a minimum, such criteria must provide that self-sufficiency means employment that pays at least the lower living standard income level, as defined in WIA section 101(24). The special needs of individuals with disabilities or other barriers to employment should be taken into account when setting criteria to determine self-sufficiency.

* These provisions also apply to eligible dislocated workers when accessing programs.

