

## SECTION .0200 - CLIENT ELIGIBILITY

### 10A NCAC 06A .0201 ELIGIBILITY FOR IN-HOME AIDE SERVICES

- (a) Persons eligible for services must be 60 years of age or older, live at home, and have home management or personal care needs, or both.
- (b) Persons served must be in need of the service for all of the following reasons:
- (1) the person is unable to carry out one or more tasks essential to the activities of daily living (ADL's) or instrumental activities of daily living (IADL's);
  - (2) the person needs help with these tasks in order to remain in his own home; and
  - (3) a responsible person is not available to perform these tasks or the primary caregiver needs relief.
- (c) Persons must be served in the following order of priority:
- (1) older adults for whom the need for Adult Protective Services has been substantiated and the service is needed as part of the adult protective services plan;
  - (2) older adults who are at risk of abuse, neglect, or exploitation;
  - (3) older adults with extensive ADL or IADL impairments who are at risk of placement in substitute care;
  - (4) older adults with three or more ADL or IADL impairments; and
  - (5) older adults with one or two ADL or IADL impairments.

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