

10A NCAC 97C .0105 ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

Activities funded under this Subchapter may include only those projects which:

- (1) provide a range of services and activities having a measurable and potentially major impact on the causes of poverty in the state's communities, or those areas of the state's communities, where poverty is a particularly acute problem;
- (2) provide activities designed to assist low-income participants, including the elderly poor:
 - (a) to secure and retain meaningful employment;
 - (b) to attain an adequate education;
 - (c) to obtain and maintain adequate housing and a suitable living environment;
 - (d) to make better use of available income;
 - (e) to obtain emergency assistance through loans or grants to meet immediate and urgent individual and family needs, including the need for health services, nutritious food, housing, and employment-related assistance;
 - (f) to remove obstacles and solve problems which block the achievement of self-sufficiency;
 - (g) to achieve greater participation in the affairs of the community; and
 - (h) to make more effective use of other programs related to the purposes of the CSBG;
- (3) provide, on an emergency basis for the provision of such supplies and services, nutritious foodstuffs, and related services, as may be necessary to counteract conditions of starvation and malnutrition among the poor;
- (4) to coordinate and establish linkages between governmental and other social services programs to assure the effective delivery of such services to low-income individuals; and
- (5) to encourage the use of entities in the private sector of the community if efforts to eliminate poverty.
- (6) to assist unemployed and disadvantaged individuals through Community Food and Nutrition initiatives:
 - (a) to coordinate existing private and public food assistance resources, whenever such coordination is determined to be inadequate, to better serve low-income populations;
 - (b) to assist low-income communities to identify potential sponsors of child nutrition programs and to initiate new programs in underserved or unserved areas; and
 - (c) to develop innovative approaches at the state and local level to meet the nutrition needs of low-income people.

History Note: Authority 143-323(d); 143B-10; 143B-276; 143B-277; 42 U.S.C. 9901-12; Eff. December 1, 1983; Temporary Amendment Eff. May 5, 1987 for a Period of 120 Days to Expire on September 1, 1987; Temporary Amendment Eff. August 24, 1987 for a Period of 68 Days to Expire on November 1, 1987; Amended Eff. November 1, 1987; Pursuant to G.S. 150B-21.3A, rule is necessary without substantive public interest Eff. April 25, 2015.