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173-35-01 Residential state supplement program.

The Ohio department of aging is authorized under section 173.35 of the Revised Code to administer the residential state supplement (RSS) program. The RSS program is a state-funded cash assistance program for certain medicaid-eligible aged, blind, or disabled adults who have been determined to be at risk of needing institutional care. Individuals enrolled in this program receive monthly income supplements that must be used to purchase accommodations, supervision and personal care services in approved settings. Individuals enrolled in the RSS program also receive medicaid benefits.

The rules in Chapter 173-35 of the Administrative Code govern administration of the RSS program by the Ohio department of aging. The Ohio department of human job and family services has adopted additional rules governing this program. Those rules are located primarily in Chapter 5101:1-17 of the Administrative Code.

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