5101:9-1-03 **Direct costs.**

- (A) "Direct income maintenance (IM) costs" are contracts and purchased services that benefit only one IM program. Direct IM costs are costs of equipment that have received prior federal approval to be direct charged to a particular IM program and contracts that can be identified with a specific IM program.
- (B) "Direct social services (SS) costs" are contracts and purchased services that benefit and can be identified with only one adult or children SS program, or one specific component/activity of the Title XX program. Direct SS costs are costs of equipment that have received prior federal approval to be direct charged to a particular SS program or Title XX activity and contracts that can be identified with a specific SS program or Title XX activity.
- (C) "Direct child support costs' are contract or purchased services costs for a single purpose and/or that can be identified with and directly charged to a specific activity within a specific program area of the child support program. These program areas for the purpose of cost allocation are IV-A temporary assistance for needy families (TANF) IV-D, IV-E foster care IV-D, non-IV-A TANF IV-D, and non-IV-D.
- (D) "Direct ODJFS acknowledged county department of job and family services (CDJFS) function/program cost" are administrative or operating costs related to a specific ODJFS acknowledged CDJFS function/program administered by other state or local agencies. These direct ODJFS acknowledged function/program costs are considered non-reimbursable for ODJFS cost purposes. A direct ODJFS acknowledged CDJFS function/program cost is the cost of salaries of direct service employees that are dedicated to a specific ODJFS acknowledged CDJFS function/program administered by another agency.

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