

19.1 DEFINITIONS

AVAILABLE RESOURCES - Cash-in-hand, checking or savings account balances or other readily accessible funds not already obligated for food, shelter, or home heating.

BULK FUEL - Home heating or cooking fuel such as coal, fuel oil, liquefied petroleum gas or kerosene which must be purchased in certain quantities and stored on site.

BURIAL RATE - The maximum allowable payment that the Department will make toward the cost of a funeral.

CSHCN - Children with Special Health Care Needs

EMERGENCY - Being without or in immediate danger of being without a basic necessity, such as food, shelter, heat, etc., and having no available resources with which to obtain it.

EPSDT - Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment Program

FAMILY - A group of two or more persons related by birth, marriage, or adoption who live together.

TIME LIMITATION - The federally-mandated requirement that Emergency Assistance can be authorized just once to an eligible recipient for emergency situations during one 30-consecutive day period in any 12 consecutive months.