

**OPTIONAL STATE SUPPLEMENTATION**

<b>STATUTORY BASIS FOR PAYMENT</b>	Wyoming Statute 42-2-103.
<b>EFFECTIVE DATE</b>	July 1, 1977.
<b>ADMINISTRATION <sup>1</sup></b>	Department of Family Services, Programs and Policy Division.
<b>PASSALONG</b>	In compliance by the method of maintaining all payment levels.
<b>SCOPE OF COVERAGE</b>	A State supplement is provided to aged, blind, and disabled persons who receive SSI as the sole source of their income, living independently or in household of another. Blind and disabled children may be eligible for supplementation.
<b>RECOVERIES, LIENS, AND ASSIGNMENTS</b>	None
<b>RELATIVE RESPONSIBILITY</b>	None.
<b>INCOME DISREGARDS</b>	No disregards in addition to Federal income disregards.
<b>RESOURCE LIMITATIONS</b>	Federal SSI resource limitations apply.
<b>PLACE OF APPLICATION</b>	No application required. State uses computerized information from the Social Security Administration to identify eligible recipients.
<b>FUNDING</b>	Assistance: State funds. Administration: State funds.
<b>INTERIM ASSISTANCE</b>	State does not participate.

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<sup>1</sup> Mandatory minimum supplementation is administered by the same agency as optional supplementation.

**PAYMENT LEVELS <sup>1</sup>**

<u>Code</u>	<u>Living arrangements</u>	<u>Combined Federal/State</u>		<u>State supplementation</u>	
		<u>Individual</u>	<u>Couple</u>	<u>Individual</u>	<u>Couple</u>
	Living independently	\$521.90	\$794.12	\$9.90	\$25.12
	Living in the household of another	354.75	543.03	13.41	30.36

**STATE ASSISTANCE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS**

State does not provide assistance for special needs.

**MEDICAID****ELIGIBILITY:**

<b>CRITERION</b>	SSI program guidelines (title XVI).
<b>DETERMINED BY</b>	Social Security Administration.
<b>MEDICALLY NEEDY PROGRAM</b>	No program for the aged, blind, or disabled medically needy.
<b>UNPAID MEDICAL EXPENSES</b>	The Social Security Administration obtains this information.

<sup>1</sup> Unless otherwise stated, payment levels apply equally to aged, blind, and disabled. Persons in Medicaid facilities who have other income are allowed to keep \$30 per month as a personal need allowance.