

Information Memorandum Transmittal Aging and People with Disabilities



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Topic: Cash Payments

Due date:

Subject: Updates to General Assistance Application Process

Applies to (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All DHS employees | <input type="checkbox"/> County Mental Health Directors |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Area Agencies on Aging: Type B | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Services |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aging and People with Disabilities | <input type="checkbox"/> Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Self Sufficiency Programs | <input type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children's Intensive In Home Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> County DD program managers | <input type="checkbox"/> Stabilization and Crisis Unit (SACU) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Support Service Brokerage Directors | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (<i>please specify</i>): |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children's Residential Services | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Welfare Programs | |

Message:

The Collaborative Disability Determination Unit (CDDU) is now completing the OSIPM-Presumptive eligibility determination for all General Assistance (GA) applicants.

The [GA Worker Guide](#) has been updated to reflect this change, as well as the following information:

- Updated GA referral, screening and application processes
- Responsibilities of the CDDU
- Responsibilities of the individual's local APD/AAA office
- Information about coordination between CDDU, APD/AAA and Branch 5503
- Case coding information

You can find the updated GA Worker Guide by clicking the link above or by copying and pasting the following URL:

<http://www.dhs.state.or.us/spd/tools/program/ga/wg1.htm>

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