

## Utah

### **State Supplementation**

#### **Mandatory Minimum Supplementation**

No recipients.

#### **Optional State Supplementation**

**Administration:** Social Security Administration.

**Effective date:** July 1, 1978.

**Statutory basis for payment:** Appropriation Act for the Department of Workforce Services, 1978/1979.

#### **Funding**

*Administration:* State funds.

*Assistance:* State funds.

**Passalong method:** Maintaining payment levels.

**Place of application:** Social Security Administration field offices.

**Scope of coverage:** Optional state supplement provided to all SSI recipients, including children, who are living alone or with others.

**Resource limitations:** Federal SSI regulations apply.

**Income exclusions:** Federal SSI regulations apply.

**Recoveries, liens, and assignments:** None.

**Financial responsibility of relatives:** None.

**Interim assistance:** State participates.

**Payment calculation method:** A standard applies that is established by the state for the total SSI payment.

**Payment levels:** See Table 1.

**Number of recipients:** See Table 2.

**Total expenditures:** The Social Security Administration reported expenditures of \$79,000 for calendar year 2007 in federally administered payments to SSI recipients.

**Table 1.**  
**Optional state supplementation payment levels, January 2008 (in dollars)**

Living arrangement	State code	Combined federal and state		State supplementation	
		Individual	Couple	Individual	Couple
Living alone or with others	A	637.00	960.60	...	4.60
Living in the household of another	B	427.80	647.07	3.13	9.73

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Office of Income Security Programs.

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

#### DEFINITIONS:

**A: Living alone or with others.** Includes recipients residing in a federal Code A living arrangement.

**B: Living in the household of another.** Includes recipients residing in a federal Code B living arrangement.

**Table 2.**  
**Number of persons receiving optional state supplementation, January 2008**

Living arrangement	State code	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	
					Adults	Children
All recipients		2,042	435	15	1,295	297
Living alone or with others	A	789	287	6	494	2
Living in the household of another	B	1,251	148	9	801	293
Other		2	--	--	--	2

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record, 100 percent data.

NOTE: -- = not available.

### ***State Assistance for Special Needs***

State does not provide assistance for special needs.

### ***Medicaid***

#### ***Eligibility***

**Criteria:** SSI program guidelines (Title XVI).

**Determined by:** State.

### ***Medically Needy Program***

State provides a program for the aged, blind, and disabled medically needy.

### ***Unpaid Medical Expenses***

The Social Security Administration does not obtain this information.