

**POLICY #: 3018**

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<u>Family size</u>	70% of Lower Living Standard Income Levels (LLSIL) – to determine <b>WIOA</b> eligibility <sup>†</sup>	ADULT Program Priority of Service <b>175% of HHS Poverty Level**</b>	100% of Lower Living Standard Income Levels (LLSIL) – to determine <b>self-sufficiency</b> <sup>^</sup>
	<u>Annual</u>	<u>Annual</u>	<u>Annual</u>
1	\$ 12,652*	\$ 22,330	\$ 18,075
2	\$ 20,725	\$ 30,170	\$ 29,607
3	\$ 28,454	\$ 38,010	\$ 40,649
4	\$ 35,123	\$ 45,850	\$ 50,176
5	\$ 41,450	\$ 53,690	\$ 59,214
6	\$ 48,473	\$ 61,530	\$ 69,247
7	\$ 55,496	\$ 69,370	\$ 79,280
8	\$ 62,519	\$ 77,210	\$ 89,313

\* The HHS poverty level for a family of one is **\$12,760**. Staff must use this standard for families of one as it is a higher standard than LLSIL.

NOTE: LLSIL guidelines apply to existing and future local policies and definitions around low-income and self-sufficiency. These guidelines are in accordance with the WIOA Eligibility [Policy](#) and [Handbook](#).

100% of LLSIL is the minimum figure for determining whether employment leads to self-sufficiency and defining low-income in accordance with WIOA eligibility.

**References:**

- [WIN 0056 Change 7](#)
- [Department of Health and Human Services – Annual update of the HHS Poverty Guidelines](#)
- [US Department of Labor Lower Living Standard Income Level Guidelines](#)
- [Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014, Section 3 \(36\)](#)

<sup>†</sup> For families larger than 8 persons, add \$7,023 for each additional person in the family.

<sup>\*\*</sup> For families larger than 8 persons, add \$7,840 for each additional person in the family.

<sup>^</sup> For families larger than 8 persons, add \$9,038 for each additional person in the family.