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§ 426.5 What activities does the Secretary fund under the Program for Model Consumer and Homemaking Education Projects?

The Secretary supports model projects that develop programs and improve instruction and curricula related to—

- (a) Managing individual and family resources;
- (b) Making consumer choices;
- (c) Balancing work and family;
- (d) Improving responses to individual and family crises, including family violence and child abuse;
- (e) Strengthening parenting skills, especially among teenage parents;
- (f) Preventing teenage pregnancy;
- (g) Assisting aged individuals with disabilities, and members of at-risk populations, including the homeless;
- (h) Conserving limited resources;
- (i) Improving individual, child, and family nutrition and wellness;
- (j) Understanding the impact of new technology on life and work;
- (k) Applying consumer and homemaking education skills to jobs and careers;
- (l) Other needs to be determined by the State board of vocational education; and
- (m) Developing child growth and development centers.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 2420a(4))

§ 426.6 What activities does the Secretary fund under the Community-Based Organization Projects?

(a) The Secretary supports projects that assist disadvantaged youths in preparing for technical and professional health careers.

(b) The Secretary may require partnerships described in § 426.2(b)(1) to provide in-kind contributions from participating schools, institutions, and businesses and to involve health professionals serving as instructors and counselors.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 2420a(5))

§ 426.7 What activities does the Secretary fund under the Agriculture Action Centers?

The Secretary supports model Agriculture Action Centers that provide improved access to vocational education programs and that—

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- (a) Assist individuals—
 - (1) Who are adversely affected by farm and rural economic downturns;
 - (2) Who are dislocated from farming; and
 - (3) Who are dislocated from agriculturally related businesses and industries that are adversely affected by farm and rural economic downturns;
- (b) Provide services, including—
 - (1) Crisis management counseling and outreach counseling that would include members of the family of the affected individual;
 - (2) Evaluation of vocational skills and counseling on enhancement of these skills;
 - (3) Assistance in obtaining training in basic, remedial, and literacy skills;
 - (4) Assistance in seeking employment and training in employment-seeking skills; and
 - (5) Assistance in obtaining training related to operating a business or enterprise;
- (c) Provide for formal and on-the-job training to the extent practicable; and
- (d) Are coordinated with activities and discretionary programs under title III of the Job Training Partnership Act (29 U.S.C. 1651 *et seq.*).

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 2420a(6))

§ 426.8 What regulations apply?

The following regulations apply to the Cooperative Demonstration Program:

- (a) The regulations in this part 426.
- (b) The regulations in 34 CFR part 400.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 2420a)

§ 426.9 What definitions apply?

The definitions in 34 CFR 400.4 apply to this part.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 2420a)

Subpart B [Reserved]

Subpart C—How Does the Secretary Make an Award?

§ 426.20 How does the Secretary evaluate an application?

- (a) The Secretary evaluates an application on the basis of the criteria in § 426.21, § 426.22, § 426.23, or § 426.24.