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Subpart A—General Provisions

§ 130.1 Purpose.

This part establishes criteria and procedures for implementation of the Ricky Ray Hemophilia Relief Fund Act of 1998 (the Act). This statute provides for compassionate payments to certain individuals with blood-clotting disorders, such as hemophilia, who contracted human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) due to contaminated antihemophilic factor within a specified time period, as well as to certain persons who contracted HIV from these individuals. In the event the individual eligible for payment is deceased, the Act also provides for payments to certain survivors of this individual.

§ 130.2 Definitions.

As used in this part:

(a) *Act* means the Ricky Ray Hemophilia Relief Fund Act of 1998, 42 U.S.C. 300c–22 note, as amended.

(b) *Antihemophilic factor* means any blood product (including, but not limited to, fresh frozen plasma, cryoprecipitate, factor VIII concentrate, and factor IX concentrate) used to treat a blood-clotting disorder.

(c) *Blood-clotting disorder* means a disorder (including, but not limited to, hemophilia and von Willebrand's disease) in which the blood does not clot normally, usually resulting in prolonged bleeding.

(d) *Child with HIV* means the individual described in § 130.10(c).

(e) *Former lawful spouse* means a person to whom an individual described in § 130.10(a):

(1) Was married according to the laws of the place where the person resided at