

WAC 51-26-2300 Chapter 23--Rainwater systems.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.074, 19.27.031 and chapter 19.27 RCW. 92-01-066, § 51-26-2300, filed 12/13/91, effective 7/1/92.]

WAC 51-26-2301 D1 materials. (a) Rainwater piping placed within the interior of a building or run within a vent or shaft shall be of cast iron, galvanized steel, wrought iron, brass, copper, lead, Schedule 40 ABS DWV, Schedule 40 PVC DWV or other approved materials.

(b) Rainwater piping located on the exterior of a building shall be not less than 26 ga. galvanized sheet metal. When the conductor is connected to a building storm drain or storm sewer, a drain connection shall be extended above the finished grade and jointed at a point protected from injury.

(c) Rainwater piping located underground within a building shall be of service weight cast iron soil pipe, Type DWV copper tube, Schedule 40 ABS DWV, Schedule 40 PVC DWV, extra strength vitrified clay pipe, or other approved materials.

(d) Rainwater piping commencing two feet (.6 m) from the exterior of a building may be of any approved material permitted in the installation requirements of this code.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.074, 19.27.031 and chapter 19.27 RCW. 92-01-066, § 51-26-2301, filed 12/13/91, effective 7/1/92.]

Chapter 51-27 WAC

STATE BUILDING CODE ADOPTION OF THE 1991 EDITION OF THE UNIFORM PLUMBING CODE STANDARDS

WAC

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WAC 51-27-001 Authority. These rules are adopted under the authority of chapter 19.27 RCW.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.074, 19.27.031 and chapter 19.27 RCW. 92-01-067, § 51-27-001, filed 12/13/91, effective 7/1/92.]

WAC 51-27-002 Purpose. The purpose of these rules is to implement the provisions of chapter 19.27 RCW, which provides that the state building code council shall maintain the State Building Code in a status which is consistent with the purpose as set forth in RCW 19.27.020. In maintaining the codes, the council shall regularly review updated versions of the codes adopted under the act, and other pertinent information, shall amend the codes as deemed appropriate by the council.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.074, 19.27.031 and chapter 19.27 RCW. 92-01-067, § 51-27-002, filed 12/13/91, effective 7/1/92.]

WAC 51-27-003 Uniform Plumbing Code standards. The 1991 edition of the Uniform Plumbing Code Standards, published by the International Association of

Plumbing and Mechanical Officials is hereby adopted by reference.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.074, 19.27.031 and chapter 19.27 RCW. 92-01-067, § 51-27-003, filed 12/13/91, effective 7/1/92.]

WAC 51-27-004 Exceptions. The exceptions and amendments to the uniform codes contained in the provisions of chapter 19.27 RCW shall apply in cases of conflict with any of the provisions of these rules.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.074, 19.27.031 and chapter 19.27 RCW. 92-01-067, § 51-27-004, filed 12/13/91, effective 7/1/92.]

WAC 51-27-008 Implementation. The Uniform Plumbing Code standards adopted by chapter 51-27 WAC shall become effective in all counties and cities of this state on July 1, 1992, unless local amendments have been approved by the state building code council.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.074, 19.27.031 and chapter 19.27 RCW. 92-01-067, § 51-27-008, filed 12/13/91, effective 7/1/92.]

Title 67 WAC

BLIND, DEPARTMENT OF SERVICES FOR THE

Chapter

67-25

Vocational rehabilitation and services for blind persons.

Chapter 67-25 WAC

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AND SERVICES FOR BLIND PERSONS

WAC

67-25-005	Definitions.
67-25-030	Eligibility for services—Criteria.

WAC 67-25-005 Definitions. (1) "Accepted for services" shall mean that the department has determined that the applicant has been certified as eligible to receive vocational rehabilitation services.

(2) "Act" means the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. chapter 16).

(3) "Adaptive skills assessment and training" includes assessment and training in the skills which are necessary for blind persons to function independently in all settings as distinguished from the vocational skills necessary to perform a specific occupation. The adaptive skills assessment and training provided by the department include communications, personal management, orientation and mobility, personal adjustment, home management, activities of daily living, and client's use of residual vision.

(4) "Applicant" shall mean an individual who has submitted to the department a letter or application requesting vocational rehabilitation services which:

(a) Has been signed by the individual, his/her parents or guardian or other representative; and

(b) Sets forth the name, address, age, sex, and nature

of disability of the requesting individual and source of referral.

(5) "Client" shall mean any handicapped individual:

(a) Who has applied for services from the department; and

(b) For whom services have not been denied or terminated by the department.

(6) "Comparable services and benefits" is a financial resource for which a client is legally qualified, or entitled, or meets the criteria for obtaining without undue contingencies. The financial resource must be an organized, ongoing form of service or financial assistance, whether public or private. It must be free or may require a deductible, coinsurance feature, token payment or personal claim.

(7) "Department of services for the blind" shall mean the legal authority in its entirety:

(a) "Advisory council" shall mean the members appointed by the governor as the advisory body.

(b) "Department" shall mean the agency which carries out the operations of the Washington department of services for the blind.

(8) "Director," except when the context indicates otherwise, means the director of the department of services for the blind.

(9) "Eligible" or "eligibility," when used in relation to an individual's qualification for vocational rehabilitation services, refers to a certification that:

(a) The individual is blind or visually impaired;

(b) Has a physical or mental disability which for such individual constitutes or results in a substantial handicap to employment; and

(c) Vocational rehabilitation services may reasonably be expected to benefit the individual in terms of employability.

(10) "Employability" means a determination that with the provision of vocational rehabilitation services, the individual is likely to enter or retain as a primary objective, full time employment or, if appropriate, part time employment, consistent with the capacities or abilities of the individual in the competitive labor market; the practice of a profession; self-employment; homemaking; farm or family work (including work for which payment is in kind rather than in cash); sheltered employment; home based employment; supported employment; or other gainful work.

(11) "Evaluation of rehabilitation potential" means, as appropriate, in each case:

(a) A preliminary diagnostic study to determine:

(i) That an individual has blindness or visual impairment and a physical or mental disability which for such individual constitutes or results in a substantial handicap to employment; and

(ii) That vocational rehabilitation services may reasonably be expected to benefit the individual in terms of employability, and that the individual is eligible therefore for vocational rehabilitation services;

(b) A thorough diagnostic study consisting of a comprehensive evaluation of pertinent factors, which bear on the individual's handicap to employment and rehabilitation potential, and an appraisal of the individual's work

behavior and ability to develop work patterns suitable for successful job performance in order to determine which vocational rehabilitation services may be of benefit to the individual in terms of employability;

(c) Any other goods or services provided for the purposes of ascertaining the nature of the handicap and whether it may reasonably be expected that the individual can benefit from vocational rehabilitation services in terms of employability;

(d) The provision of vocational rehabilitation services to an individual for a total period of extended evaluation not in excess of eighteen months for the purpose of determining whether such individual is a handicapped individual for whom a vocational goal is feasible, including the initiation and continuing development of an individual written rehabilitation program, and a periodic assessment of the results of the provision of such services to ascertain whether an individual is an eligible individual for whom a vocational goal is feasible.

(12) "Family member" or "member of the family" means:

(a) Any relative by blood or marriage of a handicapped individual; and

(b) Other individuals living in the same household with whom the handicapped individual has a close interpersonal relationship.

(13) "Handicapped individual" means an individual:

(a) Who has a physical or mental disability which for such individual constitutes or results in a substantial handicap to employment; and

(b) Who is expected to benefit in terms of employability from the provision of vocational rehabilitation services, or for whom an extended evaluation of rehabilitation potential is necessary for the purpose of determining whether he might benefit in terms of employability from the provision of vocational rehabilitation services.

(14) Legal blindness for purposes of this chapter is a physical disability defined as follows:

Central visual acuity of 20/200 or less in the better eye with correcting lenses or a field defect in which the peripheral field has contracted to such an extent that the widest diameter of visual field subtends an angular distance of no greater than 20°.

(15) "Medical consultant" shall mean a physician licensed pursuant to chapters 18.57 and 18.71 RCW employed by the department to provide consultation to rehabilitation counselors and rehabilitation teachers concerning the medical aspects of rehabilitation, usually reviewing and discussing medical problems of individual clients.

(16) "Ophthalmological consultant" shall mean a physician licensed pursuant to chapters 18.57 and 18.71 RCW specializing in diseases of the eye employed by the department to provide consultation to rehabilitation counselors and rehabilitation teachers regarding procedures and prognosis relating to eye conditions.

(17) "Physical and mental restoration services" means those services which are necessary to correct or substantially modify within a reasonable period of time a physical or mental condition which is stable or slowly

progressive.

(18) "Physical or mental disability" means a physical or mental condition which materially limits, contributes to limiting or, if not corrected, will probably result in limiting an individual's activities or functioning. The term "physical disability" includes blindness and/or visual impairment.

(19) "Public safety officer" means a person serving the United States or a state or unit of general local government, with or without compensation, in any activity pertaining to:

(a) The enforcement of the criminal laws, including highway patrol, or the maintenance of civil peace by the national guard or the armed forces;

(b) A correctional program, facility, or institution where the activity is potentially dangerous because of contact with criminal suspects, defendants, prisoners, probationers, or parolees;

(c) A court having criminal or juvenile delinquent jurisdiction where the activity is potentially dangerous because of contact with criminal suspects, defendants, prisoners, probationers, or parolees;

(d) Firefighting, fire prevention, or emergency rescue missions.

(20) "Referral" is defined as any individual who applied or has been referred to a department office by letter, telephone, direct contact or by any other means for whom the minimum information has been furnished:

(a) Name and address;

(b) Disability;

(c) Age and sex;

(d) Date of referral; and

(e) Source of referral.

(21) "Rehabilitation facility" means a facility which is operated for the primary purpose of providing vocational rehabilitation services to handicapped individuals and which provides one or more of the following services for handicapped individuals:

(a) Vocational rehabilitation services which shall include under one management, medical, psychological, social, and vocational services;

(b) Testing, fitting, or training in the use of prosthetic and orthoptic devices;

(c) Prevocational conditioning or recreational therapy;

(d) Physical and occupational therapy;

(e) Speech and hearing therapy;

(f) Psychological and social services;

(g) Evaluation of rehabilitation potential;

(h) Personal and work adjustment;

(i) Orientation and mobility training and other adjustment services;

(j) Braille instruction;

(k) Evaluation or control of specific disabilities;

(l) Transitional or extended employment for those handicapped individuals who cannot be readily absorbed in the competitive labor market provided that all medical and related health services must be prescribed by, or under the formal supervision of, persons licensed to prescribe or supervise the provision of such services in the state.

(22) "Rehabilitation teacher" (RT) shall refer to an

employee of the department who has responsibility to determine eligibility, and to develop and implement individual written rehabilitation programs leading to a vocational outcome of homemaker. The full range of vocational rehabilitation services may be provided or purchased as determined by the needs of the individual written rehabilitation program.

(23) "Substantial handicap to employment" means that a physical or mental disability (in light of attendant medical, psychological, vocational, educational, and other related factors) impedes an individual's occupational performance, by preventing his/her obtaining, retaining, or preparing for employment consistent with his/her capacities and abilities.

(24) Visual impairment for the purpose of this chapter is a physical disability defined as follows: Visual acuity in the best eye between 20/200 and 20/70 with correction; or angle of vision subtends between 20° and 30°, or severe functional visual problem; or a progressive condition which ultimately will lead to a visual handicap or to blindness.

(25) "Vocational rehabilitation counselor" (VRC) shall refer to an employee of the department who has direct responsibility for providing, or supervising the provision of all vocational rehabilitation services to a client of the department.

(26) "Vocational rehabilitation services," shall mean any of the following:

(a) Any goods or services provided to a client that is likely to enable him/her to enter or retain employment consistent with his/her capacities and abilities in the competitive labor market.

(b) Any goods or services provided to a client for the purpose of extended evaluation to determine his/her rehabilitation potential.

(c) The establishment, construction, development, operation, and maintenance of workshops and rehabilitation facilities.

(d) The provision of any facilities and services which promise to contribute substantially to the rehabilitation of a group of individuals but which are not related directly to the rehabilitation program.

(27) "Workshop" means a rehabilitation facility, or that part of a rehabilitation facility, engaged in a production or service operation and which is operated for the primary purpose of providing gainful employment or professional services to the handicapped as an interim step in the rehabilitation process for those who cannot be readily absorbed in the competitive labor market or during such time as employment opportunities for them in the competitive labor market do not exist.

[Statutory Authority: Chapter 74.18 RCW. 91-20-010, § 67-25-005, filed 9/20/91, effective 10/21/91; 85-06-030 (Order 85-02), § 67-25-005, filed 3/1/85. Statutory Authority: 1983 c 194 § 18. 84-19-003 (Order 84-04), § 67-25-005, filed 9/6/84; 84-01-042 (Order 83-08), § 67-25-005, filed 12/15/83. Formerly WAC 67-20-005.]

WAC 67-25-030 Eligibility for services—Criteria.

(1) Eligibility shall be based only upon:

(a) The existence of a condition of legal blindness or visual impairment as defined in WAC 67-25-005;

(b) The presence of a physical or mental disability

which for the individual constitutes or results in a substantial handicap to employment; and

(c) A reasonable expectation that vocational rehabilitation services may benefit the individual in terms of employability.

(2) Persons who are found to be blind or visually impaired and who also have a physical or mental disability which for that person constitutes or results in a substantial handicap to employability, but for whom the usual scope of services offered by the department are not expected to benefit the individual in terms of employability may be referred to other service providers or may be provided services through a cooperative plan with other service providers.

(3) Eligibility requirements will be provided by the department without regard to sex, race, age, creed, color, or national origin of the individual applying for service.

(4) No person or group of persons shall be found ineligible for services solely on the basis of type of disability.

(5) No person shall be found ineligible for services solely on the basis of age.

(6) No person shall be found ineligible for services based on residence requirement, durational or other.

[Statutory Authority: Chapter 74.18 RCW. 91-20-010, § 67-25-030, filed 9/20/91, effective 10/21/91. Statutory Authority: 1983 c 194 § 18. 84-01-042 (Order 83-08), § 67-25-030, filed 12/15/83. Formerly WAC 67-20-030.]

Title 82 WAC

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT, OFFICE OF

(Formerly: Office of Program Planning and Fiscal Management)

Chapters

- 82-06 General provisions.
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Chapter 82-06 WAC

GENERAL PROVISIONS

WAC

- 82-06-010 Waiver of interest on past due receivables.

WAC 82-06-010 Waiver of interest on past due receivables. (1) Under RCW 43.17.— (section 2, chapter 85, Laws of 1991), state agencies may waive the mandatory one percent per month interest charge on past due receivables if any of the following criteria apply:

(a) It would not be cost effective to charge interest on an individual debt or a class of debts. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

(i) Situations where the cost of charging interest is expected to exceed the amount of interest received;

(ii) Situations where the cost of developing systems to charge interest is expected to exceed the amount of interest received. The word "systems" in this context refers to both computer systems and general systems of

managing and processing receivables.

(b) Late payment was caused by the state, such as by providing incorrect information or instructions, or by providing necessary forms and instructions too late for timely payment when the forms or instructions had been ordered timely.

(c) The delinquency was caused by the death or serious illness of:

- (i) The person responsible for paying the debt; or
- (ii) A person whose assistance was vital to the payment, such as the accountant; or
- (iii) A person in the immediate family of a person in (i) or (ii) of this subsection.

(d) Payment was made on time, but to the wrong governmental agency.

(e) The delinquency was caused by the destruction by fire or other casualty of the debtor's place of business, home, or records.

(f) Late payment was caused by natural disasters, disruptions in postal or delivery service, power failures, work stoppages due to labor disputes, or any other cause resulting from circumstances clearly beyond the control of the debtor.

(g) The account is subject to good faith dispute when, before the date of timely payment, notice of the dispute is:

- (i) Sent by certified mail; or
- (ii) Personally delivered; or
- (iii) Sent in accordance with procedures in the contract.

(h) The debt is for public assistance or food stamp overpayments to individuals, where the overpayments were not in whole or in part caused by the recipients.

(i) Late payment on the debt is the result of late payment by another payor, such as when a person damages state property but does not know the amount of his or her personal obligation to the state until the portion covered by the person's liability insurance is known.

(j) The charging of interest would damage international relations.

(2) Requests for waivers of interest under criteria in subsection (1)(b), (c), (d), (e), and (f) of this section must be in letter form, must contain all pertinent facts, must be accompanied by such proof as is available, and must be received by the department within sixty days of the incident. The burden of proving the facts is on the debtor.

Waivers under the remaining criteria in subsection (1) of this section must be documented for the purpose of audits by the state auditor's office.

(3) Each agency must apply the criteria in subsection (1) of this section consistently.

[Statutory Authority: 1991 c 85 § 2. 91-18-028, § 82-06-010, filed 8/28/91, effective 9/28/91.]

Chapter 82-50 WAC

PAY DATES FOR STATE EMPLOYEES

WAC

- 82-50-021 Official lagged, semimonthly pay dates established.