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Oklahoma Employment and Training Issuance #04-2009

TO: SCSEP Grant Recipients
WIA Board Staff

FROM: Richard J. Gilbertson, Director
Workforce Integrated Programs Division

DATE: February 23, 2009

SUBJECT: Income Eligibility for SCSEP

MESSAGE: The United States Department of Health and Human Services published the updated Federal guidelines on February 20, 2009. These guidelines provide the basis for determining the income eligibility of SCSEP applicants and enrollees after being multiplied by 125 percent to convert poverty to "low-income" as defined at Section 518(a)(3)(A) of the 2006 Amendments to the Older Americans Act. (See TEGL #12-08).

ACTION: Grantees must use the following low-income guidelines when making SCSEP participant eligibility determinations. The figures are effective from the date they were published in the Federal Register, on February 20, 2009.

2009 Poverty and SCSEP Low-Income Guidelines for the 48 Contiguous States and DC

| Size of Family | Poverty | Low Income (125% of Poverty) |
|--------------------------------|----------|---------------------------------|
| 1 | \$10,830 | \$13,538 |
| 2 | \$14,570 | \$18,213 |
| 3 | \$18,310 | \$22,888 |
| 4 | \$22,050 | \$27,563 |
| 5 | \$25,790 | \$32,238 |
| 6 | \$29,530 | \$36,913 |
| 7 | \$33,270 | \$41,610 |
| 8 | \$37,010 | \$46,263 |
| For each additional person add | \$ 3,740 | \$4,675 |

RESCISSIONS: This policy rescinds OETI #4-2008