

9.10 SSI RECIPIENTS

A. THE ASSISTANCE GROUP (AG)

1. Who Must Be Included

The SSI recipient must be included in the AG.

2. Who Cannot Be Included

Only the SSI recipient is included in the AG. When the SSI recipient has an essential spouse, See Section 9.11, below.

NOTE: For SSI recipients who are children in foster care, or whose adoptive parents receive adoption assistance, see Chapter 16.

B. THE INCOME GROUP (IG)

SSA determines the income and assets which are counted for SSI. No additional income or asset test is made for Medicaid

C. THE NEEDS GROUP (NG)

SSA makes the determination of need for SSI. Receipt of SSI is the only eligibility factor.