

**(e) Confidentiality**

The recipient shall agree to ensure the confidentiality of the name of any individual assisted with amounts from a grant under this chapter and any other information regarding individuals receiving such assistance.

**(f) Financial records**

The recipient shall agree to maintain and provide the grantee or the Secretary with financial records sufficient, in the determination of the Secretary, to ensure proper accounting and disbursing of amounts received from a grant under this chapter.

**(g) Administrative expenses****(1) Grantees**

Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, each grantee may use not more than 3 percent of the grant amount for administrative costs relating to administering grant amounts and allocating such amounts to project sponsors.

**(2) Project sponsors**

Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, each project sponsor receiving amounts from grants made under this chapter<sup>1</sup> may use not more than 7 percent of the amounts received for administrative costs relating to carrying out eligible activities under section 12904 of this title, including the costs of staff necessary to carry out eligible activities.

**(h) Environmental review**

For purposes of environmental review, a grant under this chapter shall be treated as assistance for a special project that is subject to section 3547 of this title, and shall be subject to the regulations issued by the Secretary to implement such section.

(Pub. L. 101-625, title VIII, § 856, Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 4378; Pub. L. 102-550, title VI, § 606(f), (j)(4), (11)(A), Oct. 28, 1992, 106 Stat. 3809-3811; Pub. L. 106-377, § 1(a)(1) [title II, § 203(c)], Oct. 27, 2000, 114 Stat. 1441, 1441A-24.)

## REFERENCES IN TEXT

Under this chapter, referred to in subsec. (g)(2), was in the original “under this title”, and was translated as reading “under this subtitle”, meaning under subtitle D (§§ 851-863) of title VIII of Pub. L. 101-625, to reflect the probable intent of Congress.

## AMENDMENTS

2000—Subsec. (h). Pub. L. 106-377 added subsec. (h).

1992—Subsec. (c). Pub. L. 102-550, § 606(j)(4), (11)(A), substituted “eligible persons” for “individuals with acquired immunodeficiency syndrome or related diseases” and “services for such eligible persons” for “services for such individuals”.

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 102-550, § 606(f)(1), added subsec. (d) and struck out former subsec. (d) which read as follows: “NO FEE.—The recipient shall agree that no fee will be charged of any low-income individual for any services provided with amounts from a grant under this chapter and that if fees are charged of any other individuals, the fees will be based on the income and resources of the individual.”

Subsec. (g). Pub. L. 102-550, § 606(f)(2), added subsec. (g).

<sup>1</sup> See References in Text note below.

**§ 12906. Grants for AIDS housing information and coordination services**

Grants under this section may only be used for the following activities:

**(1) Housing information services**

To provide (or contract to provide) counseling, information, and referral services to assist eligible persons to locate, acquire, finance, and maintain housing and meet their housing needs.

**(2) Resource identification**

To identify, coordinate, and develop housing assistance resources (including conducting preliminary research and making expenditures necessary to determine the feasibility of specific housing-related initiatives) for eligible persons.

(Pub. L. 101-625, title VIII, § 857, Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 4379; Pub. L. 102-550, title VI, § 606(j)(11)(B), Oct. 28, 1992, 106 Stat. 3811.)

## AMENDMENTS

1992—Pars. (1), (2). Pub. L. 102-550 substituted “eligible persons” for “individuals with acquired immunodeficiency syndrome or related diseases”.

**§ 12907. AIDS short-term supported housing and services****(a) Use of grants**

Any amounts received from grants under this section may only be used to carry out a program to provide (or contract to provide) assistance to eligible persons who are homeless or in need of housing assistance to prevent homelessness, which may include the following activities:

**(1) Short-term supported housing**

Purchasing, leasing, renovating, repairing, and converting facilities to provide short-term shelter and services.

**(2) Short-term housing payments assistance**

Providing rent assistance payments for short-term supported housing and rent, mortgage, and utilities payments to prevent homelessness of the tenant or mortgagor of a dwelling.

**(3) Supportive services**

Providing supportive services, to eligible persons assisted under paragraphs (1) and (2), including health, mental health, assessment, permanent housing placement, drug and alcohol abuse treatment and counseling, day care, and nutritional services (except that health services under this paragraph may only be provided to individuals with acquired immunodeficiency syndrome or related diseases), and providing technical assistance to eligible persons to provide assistance in gaining access to benefits and services for homeless individuals provided by the Federal Government and State and local governments.

**(4) Operation**

Providing for the operation of short-term supported housing provided under this section, including the costs of security, operation insurance, utilities, furnishings, equipment, supplies, and other incidental costs.