

239B.1 Definitions.

As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires:

1. *"Applicant"* means a person who files an application for participation in the family investment program under this chapter.
2. *"Assistance"* means a family investment program payment.
3. *"Child"* means an unmarried person who is less than eighteen years of age or an unmarried person who is eighteen years of age and is engaged full-time in completing high school graduation or equivalency requirements in a manner which is reasonably expected to result in completion of the requirements prior to the person reaching nineteen years of age.
4. *"Department"* means the department of human services.
5. *"Family"* means a family unit that includes at least one child and at least one parent or other specified relative of the child.
6. *"Family investment agreement"* means the agreement developed with a participant in accordance with section 239B.8.
7. *"Family investment program"* means the family investment program under this chapter.
8. *"Limited benefit plan"* means a period of time in which a participant or member of a participant's family is either eligible for reduced assistance only or ineligible for any assistance under the family investment program, in accordance with section 239B.9.
9. *"Minor parent"* means an applicant or participant parent who is less than eighteen years of age and has never been married.
10. *"Participant"* means a person who is receiving full or partial family investment program assistance.
11. *"PROMISE JOBS program"* or *"JOBS program"* means the promoting independence and self-sufficiency through employment job opportunities and basic skills program created in section 239B.17.
12. *"Specified relative"* means a person who is, or was at any time, one of the following relatives of an applicant or participant child, by means of blood relationship, marriage, or adoption, or is a spouse of one of the following relatives:
 - a. Parent.
 - b. Grandparent.
 - c. Great-grandparent.
 - d. Great-great-grandparent.
 - e. Stepparent of the child, but not the parent of the stepparent.
 - f. Sibling.
 - g. Stepsibling.

h. Sibling by at least the half blood.

i. Uncle or aunt by at least the half blood.

j. Great-uncle or great-aunt.

k. Great-great-uncle or great-great-aunt.

l. First cousin.

m. Nephew or niece.

n. Second cousin.

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