

265—42.1(16) Purpose. The emergency shelter grants program is designed to improve the quality of services to the homeless and to prevent individuals and families from becoming homeless. The program will make available needed services and help meet the costs of providing essential social services so that homeless individuals and families have access not only to safe and sanitary shelter but also to the supportive services and other types of assistance the individuals and families need to improve their situations.

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