



2021-2022 General Assembly

SENATE BILL 105: 2021 Appropriations Act, Sec. 9A.2: Increase in State-County Special Assistance Personal Needs Allowance

Committee:		Date:	February 21, 2022
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Analysis of:	Sec. 9A.2 of S.L. 2021-180		Legislative Analyst

OVERVIEW: Section 9A.2 of S.L. 2021-180 provides that effective January 1, 2022, the Division of Aging and Adult Services, Department of Health and Human Services, must increase the personal needs allowance under the State-County Special Assistance program from \$46 to \$70 per month per resident.

Effective January 1, 2022, the income limits for determining financial eligibility for State-County Special Assistance are as follows:

- The total countable monthly income for individuals residing in adult care homes must not exceed \$1,228 per month per resident.
- The total countable monthly income for individuals residing in Alzheimer's/Dementia special care units must not exceed \$1,515 per month per resident.

This section became effective July 1, 2021.

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