**Kansas**

**State Supplementation**

**Mandatory Minimum Supplementation**

Administration: Social Security Administration.

**Optional State Supplementation**

Administration: Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Division of Healthcare Finances.

Effective date: July 1, 2006.


**Funding**

Administration: State funds.  
Assistance: State funds.

**Passalong method:** Maintaining payment levels.

**Place of application:** Applications generated from Social Security and Medicaid eligibles.

**Scope of coverage:** Optional state supplement provided to adults residing in Medicaid facilities receiving a reduced SSI payment.

**Resource limitations:** Federal SSI regulations apply.

**Income exclusions:** Federal SSI regulations apply.

**Recoveries, liens, and assignments:** None.

**Financial responsibility of relatives:** None.

**Interim assistance:** State participates.

**Payment calculation method:** The state pays a supplement to individuals who reside in Medicaid facilities.

**Payment levels:** See Table 1.

**Number of recipients:** See Table 2.

**Total expenditures:** The state reported expenditures of $219,925 for calendar year 2010 in state-administered payments to SSI recipients.

**State Assistance for Special Needs**

State does not provide assistance for special needs.

**Medicaid**

**Eligibility**

Criteria: SSI program guidelines (Title XVI).

**Determined by:** State.

**Medically Needy Program**

State provides a program for the aged, blind, and disabled medically needy.

**Unpaid Medical Expenses**

The Social Security Administration does not obtain this information.

| Table 1. Optional state supplementation payment levels, January 2011 (in dollars) |
|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Living arrangement               | Combined federal and state | State supplementation |       |
|                                 | Individual | Couple | Individual | Couple |
| Medicaid facility                | 62.00      | 124.00 | 32.00      | 64.00   |

SOURCES: Social Security Administration, Office of Income Security Programs; state information.

DEFINITION:  
**Medicaid facility.** Includes recipients residing in a federal Code D living arrangement.
### Table 2.
**Number of persons receiving optional state supplementation, January 2011**

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**SOURCE:** State information.

**NOTE:** -- = not available.