

## 1515: Expenditure of Funds

GA funds are properly expended for 2 purposes:

- Assistance to, or on behalf of, eligible clients, for basic maintenance and medical care.
- Authorized costs of administration.

No other disbursement of GA funds is recognized. Funds expended for other purposes are considered available for GA purposes. This includes any funds issued by the GA Unit to households which have suffered damage, loss, or hardship as a result of a major disaster or emergency under Section 6-9 of the Illinois Public Aid Code. Although such payments are a proper expenditure of GA funds, they are not reimbursed or recognized by DHS in the allocation of State funds (including eligible Units that request State funds later in the year).