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low-income individual by obtaining and maintaining—

- (i) A signed statement from the student’s parent or legal guardian regarding family income;
- (ii) Verification of family income from another governmental source;
- (iii) A signed financial aid application; or
- (iv) A signed United States or Puerto Rican income tax return.

(2) In the case of a student who is an independent student, an institution shall document that the student is a low-income individual by obtaining and maintaining—

- (i) A signed statement from the student regarding family income;
- (ii) Verification of family income from another governmental source;
- (iii) A signed financial aid application; or
- (iv) A signed United States or Puerto Rican income tax return.

(c) For purposes of documenting potential first generation college student status, documentation consists of a signed statement from a dependent participant’s parent, or a signed statement from an independent participant.

(d) A grantee does not have to revalidate a participant’s eligibility after the participant’s initial selection.

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§ 645.5 What regulations apply?

The following regulations apply to the Upward Bound Program:

(a) The Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR) as follows:

- (1) 34 CFR part 74 (Administration of Grants to Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals, and Nonprofit Organizations);
- (2) 34 CFR part 75 (Direct Grant Programs), except for §75.511;
- (3) 34 CFR part 77 (Definitions that Apply to Department Regulations), except for the definition of “secondary school” in 34 CFR 77.1;
- (4) 34 CFR part 79 (Intergovernmental Review of Department of Education Programs and Activities);
- (5) 34 CFR part 82 (New Restrictions on Lobbying);

(6) 34 CFR part 85 (Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension (Non-procurement) and Governmentwide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Grants));

(7) 34 CFR part 86 (Drug-Free Schools and Campuses).

(b) The regulations in this part 645.

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§ 645.6 What definitions apply to the Upward Bound Program?

(a) *Definitions in EDGAR.* The following terms used in this part are defined in 34 CFR 77.1:

Applicant	Grant
Application	Grantee
Award	Project
Budget	Project period
Budget period	Secretary
EDGAR	State
Equipment	Supplies
Facilities	

(b) *Other Definitions.* The following definitions also apply to this part:

Family taxable income means—

(1) With regard to a dependent student, the taxable income of the individual’s parents;

(2) With regard to a dependent student who is an orphan or ward of the court, no taxable income;

(3) With regard to an independent student, the taxable income of the student and his or her spouse.

HEA means the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended.

Independent student means a student who—

(1) Is an orphan or ward of the court;

(2) Is a veteran of the Armed Forces of the United States (as defined in this section);

(3) Is a married individual; or

(4) Has legal dependents other than a spouse.

Institution of higher education means an educational institution as defined in sections 1201(a) and 481 of the HEA.

Limited English proficiency with reference to an individual, means an individual whose native language is other than English and who has sufficient difficulty speaking, reading, writing, or understanding the English language to deny that individual the opportunity to learn successfully in classrooms in which English is the language of instruction.