

Office of Regulatory Management
Economic Review Form

Agency name	Virginia Department of Social Services
Virginia Administrative Code (VAC) Chapter citation(s)	22 VAC 40-400
VAC Chapter title(s)	Funding Limitation for the Refugee Resettlement Program
Action title	None
Date this document prepared	May 4, 2023
Regulatory Stage (including Issuance of Guidance Documents)	Periodic Review

Table 1a: Costs and Benefits of the Proposed Changes (Primary Option)

(1) Direct & Indirect Costs & Benefits (Monetized)	<p>Direct Costs: Describe the direct costs of this proposed change here.</p> <p>Indirect Costs: Describe the indirect costs of the proposed change.</p> <p>Direct Benefits: Describe the direct benefits of this proposed change here.</p> <p>Indirect Benefits: Describe the indirect benefits of the proposed change.</p>	
(2) Present Monetized Values	Direct & Indirect Costs	Direct & Indirect Benefits
	(a)	(b)
(3) Net Monetized Benefit		
(4) Other Costs & Benefits (Non-Monetized)		
(5) Information Sources		

Table 1b: Costs and Benefits under the Status Quo (No change to the regulation)

(1) Direct & Indirect Costs & Benefits (Monetized)	<p>Direct Costs: Describe the direct costs of this proposed change here.</p> <p>Indirect Costs: Describe the indirect costs of the proposed change.</p> <p>Direct Benefits: Describe the direct benefits of this proposed change here.</p> <p>Indirect Benefits: Describe the indirect benefits of the proposed change.</p>	
(2) Present Monetized Values	Direct & Indirect Costs	Direct & Indirect Benefits
	(a)	(b)
(3) Net Monetized Benefit		
(4) Other Costs & Benefits (Non-Monetized)		
(5) Information Sources		

Table 1c: Costs and Benefits under Alternative Approach(es)

(1) Direct & Indirect Costs & Benefits (Monetized)	<p>Direct Costs: Describe the direct costs of this proposed change here.</p> <p>Indirect Costs: Describe the indirect costs of the proposed change.</p> <p>Direct Benefits: Describe the direct benefits of this proposed change here.</p> <p>Indirect Benefits: Describe the indirect benefits of the proposed change.</p>	
(2) Present Monetized Values	Direct & Indirect Costs	Direct & Indirect Benefits
	(a)	(b)
(3) Net Monetized Benefit		
(4) Other Costs & Benefits (Non-Monetized)		

(5) Information Sources	
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Impact on Local Partners

Table 2: Impact on Local Partners

(1) Direct & Indirect Costs & Benefits (Monetized)	In Virginia, the Virginia Department of Social Services administers the Refugee Cash Assistance (RCA) and Refugee Medical Assistance (RMA). Both are 100% federally funded through a Department of Health & Humans Services, Office of Refugee Resettlement grant. The programs are delivered by local departments of social services. The federal funding covers both direct payments to clients and local department administrative costs. The current regulation provides that Virginia is not responsible for RCA and RMA costs, if federal funding ends.	
(2) Present Monetized Values	Direct & Indirect Costs	Direct & Indirect Benefits
	(a) 100 % federally funded	(b) 100 % federally funded
(3) Other Costs & Benefits (Non-Monetized)	None	
(4) Assistance	Assistance remains the same as long as federal funding is available.	
(5) Information Sources	Not applicable	

Impacts on Families

Table 3: Impact on Families

(1) Direct & Indirect Costs & Benefits (Monetized)	N/A	
(2) Present Monetized Values	Direct & Indirect Costs	Direct & Indirect Benefits
	(a) 100% federally funded	(b) 100% federally funded

(3) Other Costs & Benefits (Non-Monetized)	Eligible individuals and families benefit from the services provided through these federal programs. The current regulation ensures that Virginia has the flexibility to continue administering the programs within federal funding availability.
(4) Information Sources	Not applicable

Impacts on Small Businesses

Table 4: Impact on Small Businesses

(1) Direct & Indirect Costs & Benefits (Monetized)	Not applicable	
(2) Present Monetized Values	Direct & Indirect Costs	Direct & Indirect Benefits
	(a) not applicable	(b) not applicable
(3) Other Costs & Benefits (Non-Monetized)	None	
(4) Alternatives	None	
(5) Information Sources	Not applicable	

Changes to Number of Regulatory Requirements

Table 5: Regulatory Reduction

For each individual action, please fill out the appropriate chart to reflect any change in regulatory requirements, costs, regulatory stringency, or the overall length of any guidance documents.

Change in Regulatory Requirements

VAC Section(s) Involved	Initial Count	Additions	Subtractions	Net Change

Cost Reductions or Increases (if applicable)

VAC Section(s) Involved	Description of Regulatory Requirement	Initial Cost	New Cost	Overall Cost Savings/Increases

Other Decreases or Increases in Regulatory Stringency (if applicable)

VAC Section(s) Involved	Description of Regulatory Change	Overview of How It Reduces or Increases Regulatory Burden

Length of Guidance Documents (only applicable if guidance document is being revised)

Title of Guidance Document	Original Length	New Length	Net Change in Length