Senate Bill 12

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CHAPTER 157

AN ACT to amend 49.19 (5) of the statutes, relating to payments of aid to dependent children.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

49.19 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

49.19 (5) The aid shall be sufficient to enable the person having the care and custody of such children to care properly for them. The amount granted shall be determined by a budget for the family in which all income (except as provided by under s. 49.18 (1) (a)) as well as expenses shall be considered. Such family budget shall be based on a standard budget, including the parents or other person who may be found eligible to receive aid under this section. Medical and dental aid may be granted to a minor child, to the person having his care and custody, and to the incapacitated father when he is in the home, as necessary. The aid allowed under this subsection may be given in the form of supplies or commodities or vouchers for the same, in lieu of money, as a type of remedial care authorized under sub. (1) (c), whenever the giving of aid in such form is deemed advisable by the county welfare director dispensing such aid as a means either of attempting to rehabilitate a particular person having the care and custody of any such children or of preventing the misuse or mismanagement by such person of aid in the form of money payments. Not to exceed \$200 shall be allowed to cover the funeral and burial expenses of a dependent child or its parents, exclusive of and in addition to the actual cemetery charges which shall also be paid by the county responsible for the burial of the recipient. Aid pursuant to this section shall be the only form of public assistance granted to the family for the benefit of such child; and no aid shall continue longer than one year without reinvestigation. This subsection does not prohibit such public assistance as may legitimately accrue directly to persons other than the beneficiaries of this section who may reside in the same household.

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