



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT ON DISABILITY SERVICES

RSA TRANSMITTAL #19-02

TO: RSA Managers, VR Specialists, Supervisory VR Specialists

CC: State Rehabilitation Council

FROM: Darryl Evans, RSA Deputy Director

DATE: 02/25/2019

RE: RSA Eligibility Policy

Today the District of Columbia Department on Disability Services (DDS) releases the RSA Eligibility Policy, 2019-RSA-POL002. This policy supersedes RSA Policy Section III – Eligibility and Ineligibility Determination (2010); and, along with the Intake Policy, 2019-RSA-POL001, supersedes RSA Policy Section II Referral Application and Assessment (2010).

Below are highlights of key changes, but please do review the revised Policy carefully:

- The new policy removes references to extended evaluation which was eliminated with the implementation of WIOA.
- The new policy includes a provision that allows DCRSA to initiate VR services for an applicant on the basis of an interim eligibility determination.

RSA thanks the State Rehabilitation Council Policy Subcommittee for reviewing and providing feedback on this Policy.

