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general nature of health careers. Section 740(a)(2)(G) authorizes the payment of such stipends as the Secretary may approve for participants in a project for any period of education at any school eligible for a grant under this subpart.

(c) *Funding priority.* (1) In determining the funding of applications approved under paragraph (a) of this section, the Secretary shall give priority to schools described in § 57.1805(d), beginning in fiscal year 1992—

(i) Which previously received a grant under this subpart and increased its first-year enrollment of individuals from disadvantaged backgrounds by at least 20 percent over that enrollment in the base year 1987 by the end of 3 years from the date of the award of the HCOP grant; and

(ii) Which had not previously received a grant under this subpart that increased its first-year enrollment of individuals from disadvantaged backgrounds by at least 20 percent over that enrollment in the base year 1987, over any period of time.

(2) In addition, should specific needs warrant, the Secretary will also consider other special factors relating to national needs as the Secretary may from time to time announce in the FEDERAL REGISTER.

[45 FR 73052, Nov. 4, 1980, as amended at 56 FR 40565, Aug. 15, 1991; 56 FR 43648, Sept. 3, 1991; 61 FR 6126, Feb. 16, 1996]

## § 57.1807 How long does grant support last?

(a) The notice of grant award specifies the length of time the Secretary intends to support the project without requiring the project to re compete for funds. This period, called the project period, will not exceed 3 years.

(b) Generally, the grant will initially be funded for 1 year, and subsequent continuation awards will also be funded for 1 year at a time. Decisions regarding continuation awards and the funding levels of these awards will be made after consideration of factors such as the grantee's progress and management practices, and the availability of funds. In all cases, continuation awards require a determination by the Secretary that continued fund-

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ing is in the best interest of the Federal Government.

(c) Neither the approval of any application nor the award of any grant shall commit or obligate the United States in any way to make any additional, supplemental, continuation or other award with respect to any approved application or portion of an approved application. For continuation support, grantees must make separate application at such times and in such a form as the Secretary may prescribe.

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## § 57.1808 For what purposes may grant funds be spent?

(a) A grantee shall only spend funds it receives under this subpart according to the approved application and budget, the authorizing legislation, terms and conditions of the grant award, applicable cost principles specified in subpart Q of 45 CFR part 74, and these regulations.

(b) Any balance of federally-obligated grant funds remaining unobligated by the grantee at the end of a budget period may be carried forward provided specific approval is granted by the Secretary. If at any time during the budget period it becomes apparent to the Secretary that the amount of Federal funds provided and made available to the grantee for that period, including any unobligated balance carried forward from prior periods, exceeds the grantee's needs for the period, the Secretary may adjust the amounts provided by withdrawing the excess. A budget period is an interval of time (usually 12 months) into which the project period is divided for funding and reporting purposes.

(c) The grantee may spend grant funds to provide one round trip for each individual in the program between his or her residence and the training site if:

(1) The training site is beyond a reasonable commuting distance and requires the individual to establish a temporary new residence; and

(2) The educational assistance is not offered at a time when the individual would be at the training site as a student in a regular course of education

leading to a high school diploma, associate degree, undergraduate degree, or degree in the health or allied health professions.

(d) The grantee may spend grant funds to pay individuals in the program a stipend when the grantee determines that:

(1) The condition in paragraph (c)(2) of this section exists;

(2) No other Federal financial assistance program is authorized to provide this support; and

(3) The individual needs this support to participate in the program.

(e) The grantee may not spend grant funds to pay tuition or fees, train program staff, retrain health professionals, or for sectarian instruction, or for any religious purpose.

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#### § 57.1809 What additional Department regulations apply to grantees?

Several other Department regulations apply to grantees. They include but are not limited to:

42 CFR part 50, subpart D—Public Health Service grant appeals procedure

45 CFR part 16—Procedures of the Departmental Grant Appeals Board

45 CFR part 46—Protection of human subjects

45 CFR part 74—Administration of grants

45 CFR part 75—Informal grant appeals procedures

45 CFR part 76—Governmentwide debarment and suspension (non-procurement) and governmentwide requirements for drug-free workplace (grants)

45 CFR part 80—Nondiscrimination under programs receiving Federal assistance through the Department of Health and Human Services effectuation of title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

45 CFR part 81—Practice and procedure for hearings under part 80 of this title

45 CFR part 83—Regulation for the administration and enforcement of sections 794 and 855 of the Public Health Service Act

45 CFR part 84—Nondiscrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving or benefiting from Federal financial assistance

45 CFR part 86—Nondiscrimination on the basis of sex in education programs and activities receiving or benefiting from Federal financial assistance

45 CFR part 91—Nondiscrimination on the basis of age in HHS programs or activities receiving Federal financial assistance

45 CFR part 93—New restrictions on Lobbying

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#### § 57.1810 What other audit and inspection requirements apply to grantees?

Each entity which receives a grant under this subpart must meet the requirements of 45 CFR part 74 concerning audit and inspection.

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#### § 57.1811 Additional conditions.

The Secretary may impose additional conditions on any grant award before or at the time of any award if he or she determines that these conditions are necessary to assure or protect the advancement of the approved activity, the interest of the public health, or the conservation of grant funds.

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### Subpart T [Reserved]

### Subpart U—Armed Forces Health Professions Scholarship Program

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#### § 57.2001 Applicability.

In the event the Secretary of Defense decides to enter into one or more contracts under 10 U.S.C. 2127(d), the regulations in this subpart outline considerations the Secretary of Defense will take into account in determining whether an accredited civilian educational institution has increased its total enrollment for the sole purpose of accepting members of the Armed Forces health professions scholarship program.

#### § 57.2002 Definitions.

As used in this subpart: