**Section 113.111 Protected Income**

Supplemental Security Income (SSI) shall be protected income which shall not be considered available to meet the needs of any other individual.

AGENCY NOTE: Retroactive lump-sum payments made by the Social Security Administration to SSI recipients, except those paid directly on behalf of a child into a dedicated account, are not protected income but are to be considered as any other lump-sum payment.

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