

FY 2020 State Plan Guidance Attachment C

INTRASTATE (IFF) FUNDING FORMULA REQUIREMENTS

Each State IFF submittal must demonstrate that the requirements in Sections 305(a)(2)(C) have been met:

OAA, Sec. 305(a)(2)

“States shall,

(C) in consultation with area agencies, in accordance with guidelines issued by the Assistant Secretary, and using the best available data, develop and publish for review and comment a formula for distribution within the State of funds received under this title that takes into account--

*(i) the geographical distribution of older individuals in the State; and
(ii) the distribution among planning and service areas of older individuals with greatest economic need and older individuals with greatest social need, with particular attention to low-income minority older individuals.”*

- For purposes of the IFF, “best available data” is the most recent census data. More recent data of equivalent quality available in the State may be considered.
- As required by Section 305(d) of the OAA, the IFF revision request includes: a descriptive Statement; a numerical Statement; and a list of the data used (by planning and service area).
- The request also includes information on how the proposed formula will affect funding to each planning and service area.
- States may use a base amount in their IFFs to ensure viable funding across the entire state.