
SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Carer's Assistance (Young Carer Grants) (Scotland) Regulations 2019

PART 2

Eligibility

Conditions relating to the person or persons being cared for

6.—(1) To qualify for a young carer grant the person or persons being cared for must, throughout the qualifying period and on the day the application for assistance is made, each be a person to whom a qualifying disability benefit is normally payable.

(2) An applicant may combine hours caring for up to three persons during the qualifying period.

(3) In paragraph (1), “qualifying disability benefit” means a disability benefit, or where applicable a component of a disability benefit, which is of a type, and being paid at a rate, that would entitle a person who cares for the recipient of that benefit and who meets the relevant qualifying conditions to—

- (a) carer's assistance, payable under section 28 of the Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018, or
- (b) carer's allowance, payable under section 70 of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992⁽¹⁾ or section 70 of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits (Northern Ireland) Act 1992⁽²⁾.

(1) 1992 c.4. Section 70 was amended to provide for carer's allowance by articles 2 and 3 of, and paragraph 2 of the schedule of, [S.I. 2002/1457](#). There are other amendments to section 70 that are not relevant to these Regulations.

(2) 1992 c.7. Section 70 was amended to provide for carer's allowance by articles 2 and 3 of [S.R. 2002/321](#). There are other amendments to section 70 that are not relevant to these Regulations.