



# Welfare Reform Act 2012

## 2012 CHAPTER 5

### PART 1

#### UNIVERSAL CREDIT

### CHAPTER 2

#### CLAIMANT RESPONSIBILITIES

##### *Application of work-related requirements*

VALID FROM 29/04/2013

#### **21 Claimants subject to work preparation requirement**

- (1) A claimant falls within this section if the claimant does not fall within section 19 or 20 and—
  - (a) the claimant has limited capability for work, or
  - (b) the claimant is of a prescribed description.
- (2) The Secretary of State may, subject to this Part, impose a work preparation requirement on a claimant falling within this section.
- (3) The Secretary of State may also, subject to this Part, impose a work-focused interview requirement on a claimant falling within this section.
- (4) The Secretary of State may not impose any other work-related requirement on a claimant falling within this section (and, where a claimant falls within this section, any other work-related requirement previously applying to the claimant ceases to have effect).

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(5) Regulations under subsection (1)(b) must prescribe a claimant who is the responsible carer for a child aged 3 or 4 if the claimant does not fall within section 20.

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