Social Security Administration

Subpart B—Requirements for Entitlement; Duration of Entitlement; Filing of Claims and Evidence

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§ 410.200 Types of benefits; general.

(a) Part B of title IV of the Act provides for the payment of periodic benefits:

(1) To a miner who is determined to be totally disabled due to pneumoconiosis; or

(2) To the widow or child of a miner who was entitled to benefits at the time of his death, who is determined to have been totally disabled due to pneumoconiosis at the time of his death, or whose death was due to pneumoconiosis; or

(3) To the child of a widow of a miner who was entitled to benefits at the time of her death; or

(4) To the surviving dependent parents, or the surviving dependent brothers or sisters, of a miner who is determined to have been entitled to benefits at the time of his death, or whose death was due to pneumoconiosis.

(b) The following sections of this subpart set out the conditions of entitlement prescribed in §410.201 are satisfied:

(1) In which the miner dies (see, however, §410.226); or

(2) In no part of which the miner is under a disability.

(c) A miner’s entitlement to benefits under part B of title IV of the Act which is based on a claim which is filed after June 30, 1973, and before January 1, 1974, shall terminate on December 31, 1973, unless sooner terminated under paragraph (b) of this section.


§ 410.210 Conditions of entitlement; miner.

(a) Is a miner (see §410.110(j)); and

(b) Is totally disabled due to pneumoconiosis (see subpart D of this part); and

(c) Has filed a claim for benefits in accordance with the provisions of §§410.220 through 410.234.


§ 410.202 Duration of entitlement; miner.

An individual is entitled to benefits as a miner for each month beginning with the first month in which all of the conditions of entitlement prescribed in §410.201 are satisfied.

(b) The last month for which such individual is entitled to such benefit is the month before the month:

(1) In which the miner dies (see, however, §410.226); or

(2) In no part of which the miner is under a disability.

(c) A miner’s entitlement to benefits under part B of title IV of the Act which is based on a claim which is filed after June 30, 1973, and before January 1, 1974, shall terminate on December 31, 1973, unless sooner terminated under paragraph (b) of this section.


§ 410.210 Conditions of entitlement; widow or surviving divorced wife.

An individual is entitled to benefits if such individual:

(a) Is the widow (see §410.320) or surviving divorced wife (see §410.321) of a miner (see §410.110(j));

(b) Is not married during her initial month of entitlement (or, for months prior to May 1972, had not remarried since the miner’s death); and

(c) Has filed a claim for benefits in accordance with the provisions of §§410.220 through 410.234; and

(d) Was dependent on the miner at the pertinent time (see §410.360 or §410.361); and

(e) The deceased miner:

(1) Was entitled to benefits at the time of his death; or

(2) Died before January 1, 1974, and it is determined that he was totally disabled due to pneumoconiosis at the time of his death, or that his death was

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§ 410.211 Duration of entitlement; widow or surviving divorced wife.

(a) An individual is entitled to benefits as a widow, or as a surviving divorced wife, for each month beginning with the first month in which all of the conditions of entitlement prescribed in § 410.210 are satisfied. If such individual remarries, payment of benefits ends with the month before the month of remarriage (see paragraph (b) of this section). Should the remarriage subsequently end, payment of benefits may be resumed beginning with the month after December 1973 in which the remarriage ends if the Social Security Administration receives notice in writing within 3 months of the end of such remarriage or within 3 months of February 3, 1976, whichever is later. Where such notice is not provided within the prescribed time period, resumption of payment will begin with the month the individual provides such notice to the Social Security Administration.

(b) The last month for which such individual is entitled to such benefit is the month before the month in which either of the following events first occurs:

(1) The widow or surviving divorced wife dies; or

(2) Where the individual has qualified as the widow of a miner under § 410.320 (d), she ceases to so qualify, as provided therein.

(c) Although payment of benefits to a widow or surviving divorced wife ends with the month before the month in which she marries (see paragraph (a) of this section), her entitlement is not terminated by such marriage. However, but solely for purposes of entitlement of a child under § 410.212(b), a widow is deemed not entitled to benefits in months for which she is not paid benefits because she is married.

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§ 410.212 Conditions of entitlement; child.

(a) An individual is entitled to benefits if such individual:

(1) Is the child or stepchild (see § 410.330) of (i) a deceased miner (see § 410.110(j)) or (ii) of the widow of a miner who was entitled to benefits at the time of her death (see §§ 410.210 and 410.211);

(2) Has filed a claim for benefits in accordance with the provisions of §§ 410.220 through 410.234;

(3) Meets the dependency requirements in § 410.370;

(4) If a child of a miner, the deceased miner:

(i) Was entitled to benefits at the time of his death; or

(ii) Died before January 1, 1974, and his death is determined to have been due to pneumoconiosis (see subpart D of this part), or

(iii) Died before January 1, 1974, and it is determined that at the time of his death he was totally disabled by pneumoconiosis (see subpart D of this part).

(b) A child is not entitled to benefits for any month for which a widow of a miner is entitled to benefits, except that (for purposes of entitlement of a child under this section) a widow is deemed not entitled to benefits in months for which she is not paid benefits because she is married (see § 410.211). Thus, a child may be entitled to benefits for months wherein such benefits are not payable to the widow because of marriage.


§ 410.213 Duration of entitlement; child.

(a) An individual is entitled to benefits as a child for each month beginning with the first month in which all of the conditions of entitlement prescribed in § 410.212 are satisfied.

(b) The last month for which such individual is entitled to or may be paid such benefit is the month before the month in which any one of the following events first occurs:

(1) The child dies;

(2) The child marries;

(3) The child attains age 18 and,

(i) Is not under a disability at that time, and

(ii) Is not a student (as defined in § 410.370) during any part of the month in which he attains age 18;