

2. Gifts baskets – General Benefit Eligibility

This benefit is available to a member, member's spouse or dependent child who a Board member/Regional Rep, Secretary, Treasurer, WSSR, WSRR and Office Manager believe would be eligible for reasons of hardship, misfortune or in a time of need or comfort.

Continuity

This benefit is available for reasons of hardship, misfortune or in a time of need or comfort. Gift baskets may be purchased by the welfare representatives as stated above. Contact the Society Office for further information.

Amount

The benefit is limited to a maximum amount as set from time to time by the Welfare Board. The benefit is solely for the purchase of comforts by the Welfare Society Representative and in no circumstances is made in cash. The Welfare Society Representative shall use his/her judgement regarding the particular purchase.

Claiming

When the Welfare Society Representative is made aware of a person that may become eligible, he/she may immediately take it upon himself/herself to purchase the benefit, or may arrange for a gift basket to be sent by contacting the Society Office.

Interpretation

1. a) Gifts baskets – General Benefit

i The maximum amount allowed for benefit shall be as follows:

Child..... \$80.00

Member, member's spouse.....\$100.00

Note: Receipts must be provided for any purchase.

ii The Benefit is as above. The benefit is solely for the purchase of comforts by the Welfare Society representative and in no circumstances should be made in cash.

The Welfare Society representative shall use his/her judgment regarding the particular purchase. When the Welfare Society representative is made aware of a person becoming eligible, he/she may immediately take it upon himself/herself to purchase the Benefit comforts, or may arrange for a gift basket to be sent by contacting the Society Office.

iii This Benefit may be in the way of a gift basket, flowers, or some other prudent items for the benefit of that person.

2. b) Gift Basket

i A Gift basket may be purchased by Welfare Society representatives to assist members, spouses or their dependents in a time of need, comfort or hardship.