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**35A-3-103 Department responsibilities.**

The department shall:

- (1) administer public assistance programs assigned by the Legislature and the governor;
- (2) determine eligibility for public assistance programs in accordance with the requirements of this chapter;
- (3) cooperate with the federal government in the administration of public assistance programs;
- (4) administer state employment services in accordance with Section 35A-3-115;
- (5) provide for the compilation of necessary or desirable information, statistics, and reports;
- (6) perform other duties and functions required by law;
- (7) monitor the application of eligibility policy;
- (8) develop personnel training programs for effective and efficient operation of the programs administered by the department;
- (9) provide refugee resettlement services in accordance with Section 35A-3-116;
- (10) provide child care assistance for children in accordance with Part 2, Office of Child Care; and
- (11) provide services that enable an applicant or recipient to qualify for affordable housing in cooperation with:
  - (a) the Utah Housing Corporation;
  - (b) the Housing and Community Development Division; and
  - (c) local housing authorities.