

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State South Carolina

DESCRIPTION OF STAFF MAKING ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATIONS

The Department of Health and Human Services has a contractual agreement with the South Carolina Department of Social Services for eligibility determinations and performing other functions related to the eligibility process for all Medicaid coverage groups identified in this State Plan.

The Social Security Administration is responsible for making eligibility determinations for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) recipients. The South Carolina Department of Social Services is responsible for certifying the Medicaid eligibility of SSI recipients by issuing a Medicaid Identification Card to the recipient for information transmitted through the State Data Exchange (SDX) System.

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