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Medicaid Eligibility

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AFDC Income Standards S14

Enter the AFDC Standards below. All states must enter:

MAGI-equivalent AFDC Payment Standard in Effect As of May 1, 1988 and
AFDC Payment Standard in Effect As of July 16, 1996

Entry of other standards is optional.

MAGI-equivalent AFDC Payment Standard in Effect As of May 1, 1988

Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option S13a

The standard is as follows:

- (•) Statewide standard
- ( ) Standard varies by region
- ( ) Standard varies by living arrangement
- ( ) Standard varies in some other way

Enter the statewide standard

	Household size	Standard ($)	
+	1	163	X
+	2	219	X
+	3	276	X
+	4	332	X
+	5	388	X
+	6	445	X
+	7	501	X
+	8	558	X
+	9	614	X
+	10	671	X
+	11	727	X
+	12	783	X
+	13	839	X
+	14	897	X
+	15	953	X

Additional incremental amount

○ Yes ◉ No

Increment amount $

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

○ Yes ◉ No

AFDC Payment Standard in Effect As of July 16, 1996

Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option S13a

The standard is as follows:

◉ Statewide standard

○ Standard varies by region

○ Standard varies by living arrangement

○ Standard varies in some other way

Enter the statewide standard

	Household size	Standard ($)	
+	1	119	X
+	2	160	X
+	3	201	X
+	4	242	X
+	5	283	X
+	6	324	X
+	7	365	X
+	8	407	X
+	9	448	X
+	10	489	X
+	11	530	X
+	12	571	X
+	13	612	X
+	14	654	X
+	15	695	X

Additional incremental amount

○ Yes ◉ No

Increment amount $

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

○ Yes ◉ No

MAGI-equivalent AFDC Payment Standard in Effect As of July 16, 1996

Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option S13a

The standard is as follows:

◉ Statewide standard

○ Standard varies by region

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Enter the statewide standard

	Household size	Standard ($)	
+	1	163	X
+	2	219	X
+	3	276	X
+	4	332	X
+	5	388	X
+	6	445	X
+	7	501	X
+	8	558	X
+	9	614	X
+	10	671	X
+	11	727	X
+	12	783	X
+	13	839	X
+	14	897	X
+	15	953	X

Additional incremental amount

○ Yes ◉ No

Increment amount $

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

○ Yes ◉ No

AFDC Need Standard in Effect As of July 16, 1996

Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option S13a

The standard is as follows:

- ◯ Statewide standard
- ◯ Standard varies by region
- ◯ Standard varies by living arrangement
- ◯ Standard varies in some other way

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

◯ Yes ◯ No

AFDC Payment Standard in Effect As of July 16, 1996, increased by no more than the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index for urban consumers (CPI-U) since such date.

Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option S13a

The standard is as follows:

- ◯ Statewide standard
- ◯ Standard varies by region
- ◯ Standard varies by living arrangement
- ◯ Standard varies in some other way

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

◯ Yes ◯ No

MAGI-equivalent AFDC Payment Standard in Effect As of July 16, 1996, increased by no more than the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index for urban consumers (CPI-U) since such date

Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option S13a

The standard is as follows:

- ◯ Statewide standard
- ◯ Standard varies by region
- ◯ Standard varies by living arrangement
- ◯ Standard varies in some other way

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

◯ Yes ◯ No

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TANF payment standard

Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option S13a

The standard is as follows:

- ◯ Statewide standard
- ◯ Standard varies by region
- ◯ Standard varies by living arrangement
- ◯ Standard varies in some other way

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

◯ Yes ◯ No

MAGI-equivalent TANF payment standard

Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option S13a

The standard is as follows:

- ◯ Statewide standard
- ◯ Standard varies by region
- ◯ Standard varies by living arrangement
- ◯ Standard varies in some other way

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

◯ Yes ◯ No

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Medicaid Eligibility

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Eligibility Groups - Mandatory Coverage
Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives **S25**

42 CFR 435.110
1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(I)
1931(b) and (d)

■ **Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives** - Parents and other caretaker relatives of dependent children with household income at or below a standard established by the state.

☑ The state attests that it operates this eligibility group in accordance with the following provisions:

■ Individuals qualifying under this eligibility group must meet the following criteria:

■ Are parents or other caretaker relatives (defined at 42 CFR 435.4), including pregnant women, of dependent children (defined at 42 CFR 435.4) under age 18. Spouses of parents and other caretaker relatives are also included.

The state elects the following options:

☒ This eligibility group includes individuals who are parents or other caretakers of children who are 18 years old, provided the children are full-time students in a secondary school or the equivalent level of vocational or technical training.

☒ Options relating to the definition of caretaker relative (select any that apply):

☐ The definition of caretaker relative includes the domestic partner of the parent or other caretaker relative, even after the partnership is terminated.

Definition of domestic partner:

☒ The definition of caretaker relative includes other relatives of the child based on blood (including those of half-blood), adoption or marriage.

Description of other relatives: The standard definition of caretaker relative at 42 CFR 435.4 as well as cousin once removed.

☐ The definition of caretaker relative includes any adult with whom the child is living and who assumes primary responsibility for the dependent child's care.

☒ Options relating to the definition of dependent child (select the one that applies):

◉ The state elects to eliminate the requirement that a dependent child must be deprived of parental support or care by reason of the death, physical or mental incapacity, or absence from the home or unemployment of at least one parent.

○ The child must be deprived of parental support or care, but a less restrictive standard is used to measure unemployment of the parent (select the one that applies):

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- [x] Have household income at or below the standard established by the state.

- [x] MAGI-based income methodologies are used in calculating household income. Please refer as necessary to S10 MAGI-Based Income Methodologies, completed by the state.

- [x] Income standard used for this group

  - [x] Minimum income standard

    The minimum income standard used for this group is the state's AFDC payment standard in effect as of May 1, 1988, converted to MAGI-equivalent amounts by household size. The standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards.

    - [x] The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted May 1, 1988 AFDC payment standard.

    An attachment is submitted.

  - [x] Maximum income standard

    - [x] The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted income standard(s) for parents and other caretaker relatives to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for parents and other caretaker relatives under this eligibility group.

    An attachment is submitted.

    The state's maximum income standard for this eligibility group is:

    - (●) The state's effective income level for section 1931 families under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
    - ( ) The state's effective income level for section 1931 families under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
    - ( ) The state's effective income level for any population of parents/caretaker relatives under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
    - ( ) The state's effective income level for any population of parents/caretaker relatives under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

    Enter the amount of the maximum income standard:

- (●) A percentage of the federal poverty level: 62 %
- ( ) The state's AFDC payment standard in effect as of July 16, 1996, converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard. The standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards.
- ( ) The state's AFDC payment standard in effect as of July 16, 1996, increased by no more than the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index for urban consumers (CPI-U) since such date, converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard. The standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards.
- ( ) The state's TANF payment standard, converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard. The standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards.
- ( ) Other dollar amount

[■] Income standard chosen:

Indicate the state's income standard used for this eligibility group:

- ( ) The minimum income standard
- (●) The maximum income standard
- ( ) The state's AFDC payment standard in effect as of July 16, 1996, increased by no more than the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index for urban consumers (CPI-U) since such date. The standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards.
- ( ) Another income standard in-between the minimum and maximum standards allowed

[■] There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

[■] Presumptive Eligibility

The state covers individuals under this group when determined presumptively eligible by a qualified entity. The state assures it also covers individuals under the Pregnant Women (42 CFR 435.116) and/or Infants and Children under Age 19 (42 CFR 435.118) eligibility groups when determined presumptively eligible.

( ) Yes (●) No

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Eligibility Groups - Mandatory Coverage **S28**
Pregnant Women

42 CFR 435.116
1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) and (IV)
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(I), (IV) and (IX)
1931(b) and (d)
1920

■ **Pregnant Women** - Women who are pregnant or post-partum, with household income at or below a standard established by the state.

☑ The state attests that it operates this eligibility group in accordance with the following provisions:

■ Individuals qualifying under this eligibility group must be pregnant or post-partum, as defined in 42 CFR 435.4.

Pregnant women in the last trimester of their pregnancy without dependent children are eligible for full benefits under this group in accordance with section 1931 of the Act, if they meet the income standard for state plan Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives at 42 CFR 435.110.

◉ Yes ○ No

■ MAGI-based income methodologies are used in calculating household income. Please refer as necessary to S10 MAGI-Based Income Methodologies, completed by the state.

■ Income standard used for this group

■ Minimum income standard (Once entered and approved by CMS, the minimum income standard cannot be changed.)

The state had an income standard higher than 133% FPL established as of December 19, 1989 for determining eligibility for pregnant women, or as of July 1, 1989, had authorizing legislation to do so.

◉ Yes ○ No

Enter the amount of the minimum income standard (no higher than 185% FPL): 185 % FPL

■ Maximum income standard

☑ The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted income standard(s) for pregnant women to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for pregnant women under this eligibility group.

An attachment is submitted.

The state's maximum income standard for this eligibility group is:

◉ The state's highest effective income level for coverage of pregnant women under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified pregnant women), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IV) (mandatory poverty level-related pregnant women), 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) (optional poverty level-related pregnant women), 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(I) (pregnant women who meet AFDC financial eligibility criteria) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized pregnant women) in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

- ( ) The state's highest effective income level for coverage of pregnant women under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified pregnant women), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IV) (mandatory poverty level-related pregnant women), 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) (optional poverty level-related pregnant women), 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(I) (pregnant women who meet AFDC financial eligibility criteria) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized pregnant women) in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- ( ) The state's effective income level for any population of pregnant women under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- ( ) The state's effective income level for any population of pregnant women under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- ( ) 185% FPL

The amount of the maximum income standard is: 194 % FPL

[x] Income standard chosen

Indicate the state's income standard used for this eligibility group:

- ( ) The minimum income standard
- (•) The maximum income standard
- ( ) Another income standard in-between the minimum and maximum standards allowed.

[x] There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

[x] Benefits for individuals in this eligibility group consist of the following:

- (•) All pregnant women eligible under this group receive full Medicaid coverage under this state plan.
- ( ) Pregnant women whose income exceeds the income limit specified below for full coverage of pregnant women receive only pregnancy-related services.

[x] Presumptive Eligibility

The state covers ambulatory prenatal care for individuals under this group when determined presumptively eligible by a qualified entity.

( ) Yes (•) No

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Medicaid Eligibility

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Eligibility Groups - Mandatory Coverage
Infants and Children under Age 19 **S30**

42 CFR 435.118
1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III), (IV), (VI) and (VII)
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) and (IX)
1931(b) and (d)

■ **Infants and Children under Age 19** - Infants and children under age 19 with household income at or below standards established by the state based on age group.

☑ The state attests that it operates this eligibility group in accordance with the following provisions:

■ Children qualifying under this eligibility group must meet the following criteria:

■ Are under age 19

■ Have household income at or below the standard established by the state.

■ MAGI-based income methodologies are used in calculating household income. Please refer as necessary to S10 MAGI-Based Income Methodologies, completed by the state.

■ Income standard used for infants under age one

■ Minimum income standard

The state had an income standard higher than 133% FPL established as of December 19, 1989 for determining eligibility for infants under age one, or as of July 1, 1989, had authorizing legislation to do so.

◉ Yes ○ No

Enter the amount of the minimum income standard (no higher than 185% FPL): 185 % FPL

■ Maximum income standard

☑ The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted income standard(s) for infants under age one to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for infants under age one.

An attachment is submitted.

The state's maximum income standard for this age group is:

◉ The state's highest effective income level for coverage of infants under age one under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IV) (mandatory poverty level-related infants), 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) (optional poverty level-related infants) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

- ( ) The state's highest effective income level for coverage of infants under age one under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IV) (mandatory poverty level-related infants), 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) (optional poverty level-related infants) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- ( ) The state's effective income level for any population of infants under age one under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- ( ) The state's effective income level for any population of infants under age one under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- ( ) 185% FPL

Enter the amount of the maximum income standard: [194] % FPL

[■] Income standard chosen

The state's income standard used for infants under age one is:

- (•) The maximum income standard
- ( ) If not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's highest effective income level for coverage of infants under age one under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IV) (mandatory poverty level-related infants), 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) (optional poverty level-related infants) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- ( ) If higher than the highest effective income level for this age group under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, and if not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's highest effective income level for coverage of infants under age one under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IV) (mandatory poverty level-related infants), 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) (optional poverty level-related infants) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- ( ) If higher than the highest effective income level for this age group under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, and if not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's effective income level for any population of infants under age one under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- ( ) If higher than the highest effective income level for this age group under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, and if not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's effective income level for any population of infants under age one under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- ( ) Another income standard in-between the minimum and maximum standards allowed, provided it is higher than the effective income standard for this age group in the state plan as of March 23, 2010.

[■] Income standard for children age one through age five, inclusive

[■] Minimum income standard

The minimum income standard used for this age group is 133% FPL.

☐ Maximum income standard

☑ The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted income standard(s) for children age one through five to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for children age one through five.

An attachment is submitted.

The state's maximum income standard for children age one through five is:

◉ The state's highest effective income level for coverage of children age one through five under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VI) (mandatory poverty level-related children age one through five), and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

○ The state's highest effective income level for coverage of children age one through five under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VI) (mandatory poverty level-related children age one through five), and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

○ The state's effective income level for any population of children age one through five under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

○ The state's effective income level for any population of children age one through five under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

Enter the amount of the maximum income standard: 143 % FPL

☐ Income standard chosen

The state's income standard used for children age one through five is:

◉ The maximum income standard

○ If not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's highest effective income level for coverage of children age one through five under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VI) (mandatory poverty level-related children age one through five), and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

○ If higher than the highest effective income level for this age group under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, and if not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's highest effective income level for coverage of children age one through five under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VI) (mandatory poverty level-related children age one through five), and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

If higher than the highest effective income level for this age group under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, and if not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's effective income level for any population of children age one through five under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

If higher than the highest effective income level for this age group under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, and if not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's effective income level for any population of children age one through five under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

Another income standard in-between the minimum and maximum standards allowed, provided it is higher than the effective income standard for this age group in the state plan as of March 23, 2010.

Income standard for children age six through age eighteen, inclusive

Minimum income standard

The minimum income standard used for this age group is 133% FPL.

Maximum income standard

The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted income standard(s) for children age six through eighteen to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for children age six through age eighteen.

An attachment is submitted.

The state's maximum income standard for children age six through eighteen is:

The state's highest effective income level for coverage of children age six through eighteen under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VII) (mandatory poverty level-related children age six through eighteen) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

The state's highest effective income level for coverage of children age six through eighteen under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VII) (mandatory poverty level-related children age six through eighteen) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

The state's effective income level for any population of children age six through eighteen under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

The state's effective income level for any population of children age six through eighteen under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

133% FPL

Income standard chosen

The state's income standard used for children age six through eighteen is:

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(●) The maximum income standard

( ) If not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's highest effective income level for coverage of children age six through eighteen under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VII) (mandatory poverty level-related children age six through eighteen) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

( ) If higher than the highest effective income level for this age group under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, and if not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's highest effective income level for coverage of children age six through eighteen under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VII) (mandatory poverty level-related children age six through eighteen) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

( ) If higher than the highest effective income level for this age group under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, and if not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's effective income level for any population of children age six through eighteen under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

( ) If higher than the highest effective income level for this age group under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, and if not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's effective income level for any population of children age six through eighteen under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

( ) Another income standard in-between the minimum and maximum standards allowed, provided it is higher than the effective income standard for this age group in the state plan as of March 23, 2010.

[■] There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

[■] Presumptive Eligibility

The state covers children when determined presumptively eligible by a qualified entity.

( ) Yes (●) No

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Medicaid Eligibility

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Eligibility Groups - Mandatory Coverage Adult Group	S32
1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VIII) 42 CFR 435.119	
The state covers the Adult Group as described at 42 CFR 435.119. ○ Yes ◉ No	

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Eligibility Groups - Mandatory Coverage
Former Foster Care Children **S33**

42 CFR 435.150
1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IX)

■ **Former Foster Care Children** - Individuals under the age of 26, not otherwise mandatorily eligible, who were on Medicaid and in foster care when they turned age 18 or aged out of foster care.

☑ The state attests that it operates this eligibility group under the following provisions:

■ Individuals qualifying under this eligibility group must meet the following criteria:

■ Are under age 26.

■ Are not otherwise eligible for and enrolled for mandatory coverage under the state plan, except that eligibility under this group takes precedence over eligibility under the Adult Group.

■ Were in foster care under the responsibility of the state or Tribe and were enrolled in Medicaid under the state's state plan or 1115 demonstration when they turned 18 or at the time of aging out of that state's or Tribe's foster care program.

The state elects to cover children who were in foster care and on Medicaid in <u>any</u> state at the time they turned 18 or aged out of the foster care system.

○ Yes ◉ No

The state covers individuals under this group when determined presumptively eligible by a qualified entity. The state assures it also covers individuals under the Pregnant Women (42 CFR 435.116) and/or Infants and Children under Age 19 (42 CFR 435.118) eligibility groups when determined presumptively eligible.

○ Yes ◉ No

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Medicaid Eligibility

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage Individuals above 133% FPL	S50
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XX) 1902(hh) 42 CFR 435.218	
Individuals above 133% FPL - The state elects to cover individuals under 65, not otherwise mandatorily or optionally eligible, with income above 133% FPL and at or below a standard established by the state and in accordance with provisions described at 42 CFR 435.218. ○ Yes ◉ No	

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Medicaid Eligibility

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage Optional Coverage of Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives	S51
42 CFR 435.220 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(I)	
Optional Coverage of Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives - The state elects to cover individuals qualifying as parents or other caretaker relatives who are not mandatorily eligible and who have income at or below a standard established by the state and in accordance with provisions described at 42 CFR 435.220. ○ Yes ◉ No	

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage
Reasonable Classification of Individuals under Age 21 S52

42 CFR 435.222
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(I)
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV)

Reasonable Classification of Individuals under Age 21 - The state elects to cover one or more reasonable classifications of individuals under age 21 who are not mandatorily eligible and who have income at or below a standard established by the state and in accordance with provisions described at 42 CFR 435.222.

(●) Yes ( ) No

☑ The state attests that it operates this eligibility group in accordance with the following provisions:

■ Individuals qualifying under this eligibility group must qualify under a reasonable classification by meeting the following criteria:

■ Be under age 21, or a lower age, as defined within the reasonable classification.

■ Have household income at or below the standard established by the state, if the state has an income standard for the reasonable classification.

■ Not be eligible and enrolled for mandatory coverage under the state plan.

■ MAGI-based income methodologies are used in calculating household income. Please refer as necessary to S10 MAGI-Based Income Methodologies, completed by the state.

The state covered at least one reasonable classification under this eligibility group under its Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013, with income standards higher (including disregarding all income) than the current mandatory income standards for the individual's age.

(●) Yes ( ) No

The state also covered at least one reasonable classification under this group in the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010 with income standards higher (including disregarding all income) than the current mandatory income standards for the individual's age.

(●) Yes ( ) No

Reasonable Classifications Covered in the Medicaid State Plan as of March 23, 2010

☑ The state attaches the approved pages from the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010 to indicate the age groups, reasonable classifications, and income standards used at that time for this eligibility group.

An attachment is submitted.

Current Coverage of All Children under a Specified Age

The state covers all children under a specified age limit, equal to or higher than the age limit and/or income standard used in the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, provided the income standard is higher than the current mandatory income standard for the individual's age. The age limit and/or income standard used must be no higher than any age limit and/or income standard covered in the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013 or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013. Higher income standards may include the disregard of all income.

○ Yes ◉ No

Current Coverage of Reasonable Classifications Covered in the Medicaid State Plan as of March 23, 2010

The state covers reasonable classifications of children previously covered in the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, with income standards higher than the current mandatory income standard for the age group. Age limits and income standards are equal to or higher than the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, but no higher than any age limit and/or income standard for this classification covered in the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013 or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013. Higher income standards may include the disregard of all income.

◉ Yes ○ No

Indicate the reasonable classifications of children that were covered in the state plan in effect as of March 23, 2010 with income standards higher than the mandatory standards used for the child's age, using age limits and income standards that are not more restrictive than used in the state plan as of as March 23, 2010 and are not less restrictive than used in the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013 or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013.

Current Coverage of Reasonable Classifications Covered in the Medicaid State Plan as of March 23, 2010

Reasonable Classifications of Children S11

☒ Individuals for whom public agencies are assuming full or partial financial responsibility.

☒ Individuals placed in foster care homes by public agencies

Indicate the age which applies:

◉ Under age 21 ○ Under age 20 ○ Under age 19 ○ Under age 18

☐ Individuals placed in foster care homes by private, non-profit agencies

☒ Individuals placed in private institutions by public agencies

Indicate the age which applies:

◉ Under age 21 ○ Under age 20 ○ Under age 19 ○ Under age 18

☐ Individuals placed in private institutions by private, non-profit agencies

☐ Individuals in adoptions subsidized in full or part by a public agency

☐ Individuals in nursing facilities, if nursing facility services are provided under this plan

☐ Individuals receiving active treatment as inpatients in psychiatric facilities or programs, if such services are provided under this plan

☐ Other reasonable classifications

Enter the income standard used for these classifications. The income standard must be higher than the mandatory standard for the child's age. It may be no lower than the income standard used in the state plan as of March 23, 2010 and no higher than the highest standard used in the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013 or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013.

Click here once S11 form above is complete to view the income standards form.

Individuals placed in foster care homes by public agencies

☒ Income standard used

☒ Minimum income standard

The minimum income standard for this classification of children is the AFDC payment standard in effect as of July 16, 1996, not converted to MAGI-equivalent. This standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards.

☒ Maximum income standard

No income test was used (all income was disregarded) for this classification either in the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013.

○ Yes ◉ No

☑ The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted income standards for this classification of children to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for this classification of children under this eligibility group.

An attachment is submitted

The state's maximum income standard for this classification of children (which must exceed the minimum for the classification) is:

◉ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

○ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

○ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

- ○ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

Enter the amount of the maximum income standard:

- ◉ A percentage of the federal poverty level: 62 %
- ○ The state's AFDC payment standard in effect as of July 16, 1996, converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard. This standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards. This option should only be selected for children 19 and older, and only if the state has not elected to cover the Adult Group.
- ○ The state's TANF payment standard, converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard. This standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards. This option should only be selected for children 19 and older, and only if the state has not elected to cover the Adult Group.
- ○ Other dollar amount

■ Income standard chosen

Individuals qualify under this classification under the following income standard:

- ○ The minimum standard.
- ◉ The maximum income standard.
- ○ If not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's effective income level for this classification under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
- ○ If not chosen as the maximum income standard, and if higher than the effective income level used under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this classification under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
- ○ If not chosen as the maximum income standard, and if higher than the effective income level used under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this classification under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
- ○ If not chosen as the maximum income standard, and if higher than the effective income level used under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this classification under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
- ○ Another income standard in-between the minimum and maximum standards allowed, provided it is higher than the effective income level for this classification in the state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI equivalent.

Individuals placed in private institutions by public agencies

☒ Income standard used

☒ Minimum income standard

The minimum income standard for this classification of children is the AFDC payment standard in effect as of July 16, 1996, not converted to MAGI-equivalent. This standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards.

☒ Maximum income standard

No income test was used (all income was disregarded) for this classification either in the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013.

○ Yes ◉ No

☑ The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted income standards for this classification of children to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for this classification of children under this eligibility group.

An attachment is submitted.

The state's maximum income standard for this classification of children (which must exceed the minimum for the classification) is:

◉ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

○ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

○ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

○ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

Enter the amount of the maximum income standard:

- (●) A percentage of the federal poverty level: 62 %
- ( ) The state's AFDC payment standard in effect as of July 16, 1996, converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard. This standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards. This option should only be selected for children 19 and older, and only if the state has not elected to cover the Adult Group.
- ( ) The state's TANF payment standard, converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard. This standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards. This option should only be selected for children 19 and older, and only if the state has not elected to cover the Adult Group.
- ( ) Other dollar amount

[■] Income standard chosen

Individuals qualify under this classification under the following income standard:

- ( ) The minimum standard.
- (●) The maximum income standard.
- ( ) If not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's effective income level for this classification under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
- ( ) If not chosen as the maximum income standard, and if higher than the effective income level used under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this classification under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
- ( ) If not chosen as the maximum income standard, and if higher than the effective income level used under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this classification under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
- ( ) If not chosen as the maximum income standard, and if higher than the effective income level used under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this classification under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
- ( ) Another income standard in-between the minimum and maximum standards allowed, provided it is higher than the effective income level for this classification in the state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI equivalent.

Other Reasonable Classifications Previously Covered

The state covers reasonable classifications of children not covered in the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, but covered under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013 or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013 with an income standard higher than the current mandatory income standard for the age group.

(●) Yes ( ) No

The additional previously covered reasonable classifications to be included are:

Additional Previously Covered Reasonable Classifications Included

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☐ Individuals for whom public agencies are assuming full or partial financial responsibility.

☐ Individuals in adoptions subsidized in full or part by a public agency

☐ Individuals in nursing facilities, if nursing facility services are provided under this plan

☐ Individuals receiving active treatment as inpatients in psychiatric facilities or programs, if such services are provided under this plan

☒ Other reasonable classifications

	Name of classification	Description	Age Limit	
+	2101(f)-Like Children	Children who were enrolled in Medicaid on 12/31/2013 and would otherwise become ineligible for Medicaid at their first redetermination using MAGI methodologies solely due to the loss of income disregards will remain Medicaid eligible until their next redetermination using MAGI methodologies	Under age 19	X

Enter the income standard used for these classifications (which must be higher than the mandatory standard for the child's age but may be no higher than the highest standard used in the state plan as of December 31, 2013 or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013).

Click here once S11 form above is complete to view the income standards form.

2101(f)-Like Children

☒ Income standard used

☒ Minimum income standard

The minimum income standard for this classification of children must exceed the lowest income standard chosen for children under this age under the Infants and Children under Age 19 eligibility group.

☒ Maximum income standard

No income test was used (all income was disregarded) for this classification either in the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013.

◉ Yes ○ No

☒ No income test was used (all income was disregarded) for this classification under:

(check all that apply)

☐ The Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010.

☒ The Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013.

☐ A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010.

☐ A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013.

The state's maximum standard for this classification of children is no income test (all income is disregarded).

■ Income standard chosen

Individuals qualify under this classification under the following income standard:

◉ This classification does not use an income test (all income is disregarded).

○ Another income standard higher than both the minimum income standard and the effective income level for this classification in the state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI equivalent.

Additional new age groups or reasonable classifications covered

If the state has not elected to cover the Adult Group (42 CFR 435.119), it may elect to cover additional new age groups or reasonable classifications that have not been covered previously. If the state covers the Adult Group, this additional option is not available, as the standard for the new age groups or classifications is lower than that used for mandatory coverage.

The state does not cover the Adult Group and elects the option to include in this eligibility group additional age groups or reasonable classifications that have not been covered previously in the state plan or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration. Any additional age groups or reasonable classifications not previously covered are restricted to the AFDC income standard from July 16, 1996, not converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard.

○ Yes ◉ No

■ There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

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Medicaid Eligibility

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage
Children with Non IV-E Adoption Assistance **S53**

42 CFR 435.227
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(VIII)

Children with Non IV-E Adoption Assistance - The state elects to cover children with special needs for whom there is a non IV-E adoption assistance agreement in effect with a state, who were eligible for Medicaid, or who had income at or below a standard established by the state and in accordance with provisions described at 42 CFR 435.227.

(•) Yes ( ) No

[✓] The state attests that it operates this eligibility group in accordance with the following provisions:

[■] Individuals qualifying under this eligibility group must meet the following criteria:

[■] The state adoption agency has determined that they cannot be placed without Medicaid coverage because of special needs for medical or rehabilitative care;

[■] Are under the following age (see the Guidance for restrictions on the selection of an age):

(•) Under age 21

( ) Under age 20

( ) Under age 19

( ) Under age 18

[■] MAGI-based income methodologies are used in calculating household income. Please refer as necessary to S10 MAGI-Based Income Methodologies, completed by the state.

The state covered this eligibility group in the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013.

(•) Yes ( ) No

The state also covered this eligibility group in the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010.

(•) Yes ( ) No

[■] Individuals qualify under this eligibility group if they were eligible under the state's approved state plan prior to the execution of the adoption agreement.

The state used an income standard or disregarded all income for this eligibility group either in the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013, or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013.

(•) Yes ( ) No

[■] Income standard used for this eligibility group

[■] Minimum income standard

The minimum income standard for this eligibility group is the AFDC payment standard in effect as of July 16, 1996, not converted to MAGI-equivalent. This standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards.

[■] Maximum income standard

No income test was used (all income was disregarded) for this eligibility group either in the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013, or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013.

○ Yes ◉ No

☑ The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted income standard(s) for this eligibility group to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for individuals under this eligibility group.

An attachment is submitted.

The state's maximum income standard for this eligibility group (which must exceed the minimum) is:

◉ The state's effective income level for this eligibility group under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

○ The state's effective income level for this eligibility group under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

○ The state's effective income level for this eligibility group under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

○ The state's effective income level for this eligibility group under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

Enter the amount of the maximum income standard:

◉ A percentage of the federal poverty level: 62 %

○ The state's AFDC payment standard in effect as of July 16, 1996, converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard. This standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards. This option should be selected only if Under age 21 or Under age 20 was selected, **and** if the state has not elected to cover the Adult Group.

○ The state's TANF payment standard, converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard. This standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards. This option should be selected only if Under age 21 or Under age 20 was selected, **and** if the state has not elected to cover the Adult Group.

○ Other dollar amount

▣ Income standard chosen

Individuals qualify under this eligibility group under the following income standard, which must be higher than the minimum for this child's age:

○ The minimum standard.

◉ The maximum income standard.

○ If not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's effective income level for this eligibility group under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.

○ If not chosen as the maximum income standard, and if higher than the effective income level used under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this eligibility group under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL, or amounts by household size.

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- ( ) If not chosen as the maximum income standard, and if higher than the effective income level used under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this eligibility group under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
- ( ) If not chosen as the maximum income standard, and if higher than the effective income level used under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this eligibility group under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL or amounts by household size.
- ( ) Another income standard in-between the minimum and maximum standards allowed, provided it is higher than the effective income level for this eligibility group in the state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent.

[x] There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage **S54**
Optional Targeted Low Income Children

1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XIV)
42 CFR 435.229 and 435.4
1905(u)(2)(B)

Optional Targeted Low Income Children - The state elects to cover uninsured children who meet the definition of optional targeted low income children at 42 CFR 435.4, who have household income at or below a standard established by the state and in accordance with provisions described at 42 CFR 435.229.

◉ Yes ○ No

☑ The state attests that it operates this eligibility group in accordance with the following provisions:

■ Individuals qualifying under this eligibility group must not be eligible for Medicaid under any mandatory eligibility group.

■ MAGI-based income methodologies are used in calculating household income. Please refer as necessary to S10 MAGI-Based Income Methodologies, completed by the state.

The state covered this eligibility group in the state plan as of December 31, 2013, or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013.

◉ Yes ○ No

The state also covered this eligibility group in the state plan as of March 23, 2010.

◉ Yes ○ No

■ Until October 1, 2019, states must include at least those individuals covered as of March 23, 2010, but may cover additional individuals. Effective October 1, 2019, states may reduce or eliminate coverage for this group.

■ Individuals are covered under this eligibility group, as follows:

◉ All children under age 18 or 19 are covered:

◉ Under age 19

○ Under age 18

○ The reasonable classification of children covered is:

■ Income standard used for this classification

■ Minimum income standard

The income standard for this classification of children must exceed the lowest income standard chosen for children in the age group selected above, under the mandatory Infants and Children under Age 19 eligibility group.

■ Maximum income standard

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☑ The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted income standard(s) for this classification of children to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for this classification of children under this eligibility group.

An attachment is submitted.

The state's maximum income standard for this classification of children (which must exceed the minimum for the classification) is:

○ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

◉ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under the Medicaid State Plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

○ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

○ The state's effective income level for this classification of children under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

○ 200% FPL.

○ A percentage of the FPL which may exceed the Medicaid Applicable Income Level, defined in section 2110(b)(4) of the Act, but by no more than 50 percentage points.

■ The state's maximum income standard for this classification of children (which must exceed the minimum for the classification) is:

208 % FPL

■ Income standard chosen, which must exceed the minimum income standard

Individuals qualify under the following income standard:

◉ The maximum income standard.

○ The state's effective income level for this eligibility group under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

○ If higher than the effective income level used under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this eligibility group under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

○ If higher than the effective income level used under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this eligibility group under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

○ If higher than the effective income level used under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, the state's effective income level for this eligibility group under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

○ If higher than the effective income level used under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, 200% FPL.

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If higher than the effective income level used under the state plan as of March 23, 2010, a percentage of the FPL which may exceed the Medicaid Applicable Income Level, defined in section 2110(b)(4) of the Act, but by no more than 50 percentage points.

Another income standard in-between the minimum and maximum standards allowed, provided it is higher than the effective income level for this eligibility group in the state plan as of March 23, 2010.

The income standard for this eligibility group is: 208 % FPL

☒ There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

☒ Presumptive Eligibility

☒ Presumptive eligibility for this group depends upon the selection of presumptive eligibility for the Infants and Children under Age 19 eligibility group. If presumptive eligibility is done for that group, it is done for this group under the same provisions.

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage Individuals with Tuberculosis	S55
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XII) 1902(z)	
Individuals with Tuberculosis - The state elects to cover individuals infected with tuberculosis who have income at or below a standard established by the state, limited to tuberculosis-related services. ○ Yes ◉ No	

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage Independent Foster Care Adolescents	S57
42 CFR 435.226 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XVII)	
Independent Foster Care Adolescents - The state elects to cover individuals under an age specified by the state, less than age 21, who were in state-sponsored foster care on their 18th birthday and who meet the income standard established by the state and in accordance with the provisions described at 42 CFR 435.226. ○ Yes ◉ No	

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage **S59**
Individuals Eligible for Family Planning Services

1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XXI)
42 CFR 435.214

Individuals Eligible for Family Planning Services - The state elects to cover individuals who are not pregnant, and have household income at or below a standard established by the state, whose coverage is limited to family planning and related services and in accordance with provisions described at 42 CFR 435.214.

(●) Yes ( ) No

[✓] The state attests that it operates this eligibility group in accordance with the following provisions:

[■] The individual may be a male or a female.

[■] Income standard used for this group

[■] Maximum income standard

[✓] The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted income standard(s) for pregnant women to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for this eligibility group.

An attachment is submitted.

The state's maximum income standard for this eligibility group is the highest of the following:

(●) The state's current effective income level for the Pregnant Women eligibility group (42 CFR 435.116) under the Medicaid state plan.

( ) The state's current effective income level for pregnant women under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration.

( ) The state's current effective income level for Targeted Low-Income Pregnant Women under the CHIP state plan.

( ) The state's current effective income level for pregnant women under a CHIP 1115 demonstration.

The amount of the maximum income standard is: 194 % FPL

[■] Income standard chosen

The state's income standard used for this eligibility group is:

(●) The maximum income standard

( ) Another income standard less than the maximum standard allowed.

[■] MAGI-based income methodologies are used in calculating household income. Please refer as necessary to S10 MAGI-Based Income Methodologies, completed by the state.

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- [x] In determining eligibility for this group, the state uses the following household size:
  - [x] All of the members of the family are included in the household
  - [ ] Only the applicant is included in the household
  - [ ] The state increases the household size by one
- [x] In determining eligibility for this group, the state uses the following income methodology:
  - (●) The state considers the income of the applicant and all legally responsible household members (using MAGI-based methodology).
  - ( ) The state considers only the income of the applicant.
- [x] Benefits for this eligibility group are limited to family planning and related services described in the Benefit section.
- [x] Presumptive Eligibility

  The state makes family planning services and supplies available to individuals covered under this group when determined presumptively eligible by a qualified entity.

  ( ) Yes (●) No

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SUPERSEDING PAGES OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL	
TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: 13-0015-MM2	**STATE:** South Carolina
PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT: S94 – Eligibility Process	**PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT *(If Applicable)*:** Section 2.1 (d) TN MA 92-07, Effective Date 01/01/92, Approved 06/04/92 Section 2.1 (a) MA 92-07, Effective Date 01/01/92, Approved 06/04/92

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General Eligibility Requirements
Eligibility Process | **S94**

42 CFR 435, Subpart J and Subpart M

Eligibility Process

☑ The state meets all the requirements of 42 CFR 435, Subpart J for processing applications, determining and verifying eligibility, and furnishing Medicaid.

Application Processing

Indicate which application the agency uses for individuals applying for coverage who may be eligible based on the applicable modified adjusted gross income standard.

☐ The single, streamlined application for all insurance affordability programs, developed by the Secretary in accordance with section 1413(b)(1)(A) of the Affordable Care Act

☒ An alternative single, streamlined application developed by the state in accordance with section 1413(b)(1)(B) of the Affordable Care Act and approved by the Secretary, which may be no more burdensome than the streamlined application developed by the Secretary.

An attachment is submitted.

☐ An alternative application used to apply for multiple human service programs approved by the Secretary, provided that the agency makes readily available the single or alternative application used only for insurance affordability programs to individuals seeking assistance only through such programs.

An attachment is submitted.

Indicate which application the agency uses for individuals applying for coverage who may be eligible on a basis other than the applicable modified adjusted gross income standard:

☒ The single, streamlined application developed by the Secretary or one of the alternate forms developed by the state and approved by the Secretary, and supplemental forms to collect additional information needed to determine eligibility on such other basis, submitted to the Secretary.

An attachment is submitted.

☐ An application designed specifically to determine eligibility on a basis other than the applicable MAGI standard which minimizes the burden on applicants, submitted to the Secretary.

An attachment is submitted.

The agency's procedures permit an individual, or authorized person acting on behalf of the individual, to submit an application via the internet website described in 42 CFR 435.1200(f), by telephone, via mail, and in person.

The agency also accepts applications by other electronic means:

◉ Yes ○ No

Indicate the other electronic means below:

	Name of Method	Description	
+	Facsimile	Fax version of paper application	X
+	Electronic Transfer	XML version of paper application	X

☑ The agency has procedures to take applications, assist applicants and perform initial processing of applications for the eligibility groups listed below at locations other than those used for the receipt and processing of applications for the title IV-A program, including Federally-qualified health centers and disproportionate share hospitals.

Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives

Pregnant Women

Infants and Children under Age 19

Redetermination Processing

☑ Redeterminations of eligibility for individuals whose financial eligibility is based on the applicable modified adjusted gross income standard are performed as follows, consistent with 42 CFR 435.916:

■ Once every 12 months

■ Without requiring information from the individual if able to do so based on reliable information contained in the individual's account or other more current information available to the agency

■ If the agency cannot determine eligibility solely on the basis of the information available to it, or otherwise needs additional information to complete the redetermination, it provides the individual with a pre-populated renewal form containing the information already available.

■ Redeterminations of eligibility for individuals whose financial eligibility is not based on the applicable modified adjusted gross income standard are performed, consistent with 42 CFR 435.916 (check all that apply):

☒ Once every 12 months

☐ Once every 6 months

☐ Other, more often than once every 12 months

Coordination of Eligibility and Enrollment

☑ The state meets all the requirements of 42 CFR 435, Subpart M relative to coordination of eligibility and enrollment between Medicaid, CHIP, Exchanges and other insurance affordability programs. The single state agency has entered into agreements with the Exchange and with other agencies administering insurance affordability programs.

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SUPERSEDING PAGES OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL	
TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: SC-13-0016-MM3	**STATE: South Carolina**
PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT: S10 - MAGI Income Methodology	**PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT *(If Applicable)*:** Notwithstanding any other provisions of the South Carolina Medicaid State Plan, the financial eligibility methodologies described in State Plan Amendment SC-13-0016-MM3 will apply to all MAGI-based eligibility groups covered under South Carolina's Medicaid State Plan. The MAGI financial methodologies set forth in 42 CFR § 435.603 apply to everyone except those individuals described at 42 CFR § 435.603(j) for whom MAGI-based methods do not apply. This State Plan Amendment supersedes the current financial eligibility provisions of the Medicaid State Plan only with respect to the MAGI-based eligibility groups.

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MAGI-Based Income Methodologies — S10

1902(e)(14)
42 CFR 435.603

☒ The state will apply Modified Adjusted Gross Income (MAGI)-based methodologies as described below, and consistent with 42 CFR 435.603.

In the case of determining ongoing eligibility for beneficiaries determined eligible for Medicaid on or before December 31, 2013, MAGI-based income methodologies will not be applied until March 31, 2014, or the next regularly-scheduled renewal of eligibility, whichever is later, if application of such methods results in a determination of ineligibility prior to such date.

In determining family size for the eligibility determination of a pregnant woman, she is counted as herself plus each of the children she is expected to deliver.

In determining family size for the eligibility determination of the other individuals in a household that includes a pregnant woman:

- ◉ The pregnant woman is counted just as herself.
- ○ The pregnant woman is counted as herself, plus one.
- ○ The pregnant woman is counted as herself, plus the number of children she is expected to deliver.

Financial eligibility is determined consistent with the following provisions:

When determining eligibility for new applicants, financial eligibility is based on current monthly income and family size.

When determining eligibility for current beneficiaries, financial eligibility is based on:

- ◉ Current monthly household income and family size
- ○ Projected annual household income and family size for the remaining months of the current calendar year

In determining current monthly or projected annual household income, the state will use reasonable methods to:

- ☐ Include a prorated portion of a reasonably predictable increase in future income and/or family size.
- ☐ Account for a reasonably predictable decrease in future income and/or family size.

Except as provided at 42 CFR 435.603(d)(2) through (d)(4), household income is the sum of the MAGI-based income of every individual included in the individual's household.

In determining eligibility for Medicaid, an amount equivalent to 5 percentage points of the FPL for the applicable family size will be deducted from household income in accordance with 42 CFR 435.603(d).

Household income includes actually available cash support, exceeding nominal amounts, provided by the person claiming an individual described at §435.603(f)(2)(i) as a tax dependent.

◉ Yes ○ No

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☒ The age used for children with respect to 42 CFR 435.603(f)(3)(iv) is:

◉ Age 19

○ Age 19, or in the case of full-time students, age 21

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SUPERSEDING PAGES OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL	
TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: 13-0017 MM5	**STATE:** South Carolina
PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT: S88 Non-Financial Eligibility- State Residency	**PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT *(If Applicable)*:** Section 2, Item 2.3, Page 13, TN 87-16 Attachment 2.6-A: Page 3, item (4), TN 13-0018 MM6

Non-Financial Eligibility
State Residency

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42 CFR 435.403

State Residency

☑ The state provides Medicaid to otherwise eligible residents of the state, including residents who are absent from the state under certain conditions.

Individuals are considered to be residents of the state under the following conditions:

- ■ Non-institutionalized individuals age 21 and over, or under age 21, capable of indicating intent and who are emancipated or married, if the individual is living in the state and:
  - ■ Intends to reside in the state, including without a fixed address, or
  - ■ Entered the state with a job commitment or seeking employment, whether or not currently employed.
- ■ Individuals age 21 and over, not living in an institution, who are not capable of indicating intent, are residents of the state in which they live.
- ■ Non-institutionalized individuals under 21 not described above and non IV-E beneficiary children:
  - ■ Residing in the state, with or without a fixed address, or
  - ■ The state of residency of the parent or caretaker, in accordance with 42 CFR 435.403(h)(1), with whom the individual resides.
- ■ Individuals living in institutions, as defined in 42 CFR 435.1010, including foster care homes, who became incapable of indicating intent before age 21 and individuals under age 21 who are not emancipated or married:
  - ■ Regardless of which state the individual resides, if the parent or guardian applying for Medicaid on the individual's behalf resides in the state, or
  - ■ Regardless of which state the individual resides, if the parent or guardian resides in the state at the time of the individual's placement, or
  - ■ If the individual applying for Medicaid on the individual's behalf resides in the state and the parental rights of the institutionalized individual's parent(s) were terminated and no guardian has been appointed and the individual is institutionalized in the state.
- ■ Individuals living in institutions who became incapable of indicating intent at or after age 21, if physically present in the state, unless another state made the placement.
- ■ Individuals who have been placed in an out-of-state institution, including foster care homes, by an agency of the state.
- ■ Any other institutionalized individual age 21 or over when living in the state with the intent to reside there, and not placed in the institution by another state.
- ■ IV-E eligible children living in the state, or

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■ Otherwise meet the requirements of 42 CFR 435.403.

Meet the criteria specified in an interstate agreement.

(•) Yes ( ) No

[■] The state has interstate agreements with the following selected states:

[X] Alabama	[X] Illinois	[X] Montana	[X] Rhode Island
[X] Alaska	[X] Indiana	[X] Nebraska	[ ] South Carolina
[X] Arizona	[X] Iowa	[X] Nevada	[X] South Dakota
[X] Arkansas	[X] Kansas	[X] New Hampshire	[X] Tennessee
[X] California	[X] Kentucky	[X] New Jersey	[X] Texas
[X] Colorado	[X] Louisiana	[X] New Mexico	[X] Utah
[X] Connecticut	[X] Maine	[ ] New York	[X] Vermont
[X] Delaware	[X] Maryland	[X] North Carolina	[X] Virginia
[X] District of Columbia	[X] Massachusetts	[X] North Dakota	[X] Washington
[X] Florida	[X] Michigan	[X] Ohio	[X] West Virginia
[X] Georgia	[X] Minnesota	[X] Oklahoma	[X] Wisconsin
[X] Hawaii	[X] Mississippi	[X] Oregon	[ ] Wyoming
[X] Idaho	[X] Missouri	[X] Pennsylvania	

[■] The interstate agreement contains a procedure for providing Medicaid to individuals pending resolution of their residency status and criteria for resolving disputed residency of individuals who (select all that apply):

- [X] Are IV-E eligible
- [ ] Are in the state only for the purpose of attending school
- [ ] Are out of the state only for the purpose of attending school
- [ ] Retain addresses in both states
- [ ] Other type of individual

The state has a policy related to individuals in the state only to attend school.

( ) Yes (•) No

[■] Otherwise meet the criteria of resident, but who may be temporarily absent from the state.

The state has a definition of temporary absence, including treatment of individuals who attend school in another state.

(•) Yes ( ) No

Medicaid Eligibility

Provide a description of the definition:

An individual cannot be denied Medicaid due to residency if the individual is temporarily absent from the state and intends to return when the purpose of the absence has been accomplished, unless another state has accepted him/her as a resident for Medicaid purposes.

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SUPERSEDING PAGES OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL	
TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: 13-0018 MM6	**STATE:** South Carolina
PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT: S89 Non-Financial Eligibility- Citizenship and Non-citizen Eligibility	**PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT *(If Applicable)*:** Attachment 2.6-A: Page 2, Item (3), paragraphs (a) , (b), and (c), TN 92-07 Attachment 2.6-A: Page 3, Item (3), paragraphs (d) and (e), TN 92-07

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Non-Financial Eligibility
Citizenship and Non-Citizen Eligibility

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1902(a)(46)(B)
8 U.S.C. 1611, 1612, 1613, and 1641
1903(v)(2),(3) and (4)
42 CFR 435.4
42 CFR 435.406
42 CFR 435.956

Citizenship and Non-Citizen Eligibility

☑ The state provides Medicaid to citizens and nationals of the United States and certain non-citizens consistent with requirements of 42 CFR 435.406, including during a reasonable opportunity period pending verification of their citizenship, national status or satisfactory immigration status.

■ The state provides Medicaid eligibility to otherwise eligible individuals:

■ Who are citizens or nationals of the United States; and

■ Who are qualified non-citizens as defined in section 431 of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act (PRWORA) (8 U.S.C. §1641), or whose eligibility is required by section 402(b) of PRWORA (8 U.S.C. §1612(b)) and is not prohibited by section 403 of PRWORA (8 U.S.C. §1613); and

■ Who have declared themselves to be citizens or nationals of the United States, or an individual having satisfactory immigration status, during a reasonable opportunity period pending verification of their citizenship, nationality or satisfactory immigration status consistent with requirements of 1903(x), 1137(d), 1902(ee) of the SSA and 42 CFR 435.406, and 956.

The reasonable opportunity period begins on and extends 90 days from the date the notice of reasonable opportunity is received by the individual.

The agency provides for an extension of the reasonable opportunity period if the individual is making a good faith effort to resolve any inconsistencies or obtain any necessary documentation, or the agency needs more time to complete the verification process.

◉ Yes ○ No

The agency begins to furnish benefits to otherwise eligible individuals during the reasonable opportunity period on a date earlier than the date the notice is received by the individual.

◉ Yes ○ No

The date benefits are furnished is:

◉ The date of application containing the declaration of citizenship or immigration status.

○ The date the reasonable opportunity notice is sent.

○ Other date, as described:

Medicaid Eligibility

The state provides Medicaid coverage to all Qualified Non-Citizens whose eligibility is not prohibited by section 403 of PRWORA (8 U.S.C. §1613).

○ Yes ◉ No

Indicate which requirements apply:

The state requires Lawful Permanent Residents to have 40 qualifying work quarters under Title II of the Social Security Act.

◉ Yes ○ No

The state limits eligibility to 7 years for certain non-citizens.

◉ Yes ○ No

Check all that apply:

☒ Non-citizens admitted to the U.S. as a refugee under section 207 of the INA

☒ Non-citizens granted asylum under section 208 of the INA

☒ Non-citizens whose deportation is withheld under section 243(h) or 241(b)(3) of the INA

☒ Non-citizens granted status as a Cuban-Haitian Entrant, as defined in section 501(e) of the Refugee Education Assistance Act of 1980

☒ Non-citizens admitted to the U.S. as Amerasian

The state elects the option to provide Medicaid coverage to otherwise eligible individuals under 21 and pregnant women, lawfully residing in the United States, as provided in section 1903(v)(4) of the Act.

○ Yes ◉ No

☒ An individual is considered to be lawfully residing in the United States if he or she is lawfully present and otherwise meets the eligibility requirements in the state plan.

☒ An individual is considered to be lawfully present in the United States if he or she:

1. Is a qualified non-citizen as defined in 8 U.S.C. 1641(b) and (c);
2. Is a non-citizen in a valid nonimmigrant status, as defined in 8 U.S.C. 1101(a)(15) or otherwise under the immigration laws (as defined in 8 U.S.C. 1101(a)(17));
3. Is a non-citizen who has been paroled into the United States in accordance with 8 U.S.C. 1182(d)(5) for less than 1 year, except for an individual paroled for prosecution, for deferred inspection or pending removal proceedings;
4. Is a non-citizen who belongs to one of the following classes:

   ☒ Granted temporary resident status in accordance with 8 U.S.C. 1160 or 1255a, respectively;

   ☒ Granted Temporary Protected Status (TPS) in accordance with 8 U.S.C. §1254a, and individuals with pending applications for TPS who have been granted employment authorization;

   ☒ Granted employment authorization under 8 CFR 274a.12(c);

   ☒ Family Unity beneficiaries in accordance with section 301 of Pub. L. 101-649, as amended;

   ☒ Under Deferred Enforced Departure (DED) in accordance with a decision made by the President;

- [x] Granted Deferred Action status;
- [x] Granted an administrative stay of removal under 8 CFR 241;
- [x] Beneficiary of approved visa petition who has a pending application for adjustment of status;

5. Is an individual with a pending application for asylum under 8 U.S.C. 1158, or for withholding of removal under 8 U.S.C.1231, or under the Convention Against Torture who -
   - [x] Has been granted employment authorization; or
   - [x] Is under the age of 14 and has had an application pending for at least 180 days;
6. Has been granted withholding of removal under the Convention Against Torture;
7. Is a child who has a pending application for Special Immigrant Juvenile status as described in 8 U.S.C. 1101(a)(27)(J);
8. Is lawfully present in American Samoa under the immigration laws of American Samoa; or
9. Is a victim of severe trafficking in persons, in accordance with the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000, Pub. L. 106-386, as amended (22 U.S.C. 7105(b));
10. Exception: An individual with deferred action under the Department of Homeland Security's deferred action for the childhood arrivals process, as described in the Secretary of Homeland Security's June 15, 2012 memorandum, shall not be considered to be lawfully present with respect to any of the above categories in paragraphs (1) through (9) of this definition.

- [ ] Other

- [x] The state assures that it provides limited Medicaid services for treatment of an emergency medical condition, not related to an organ transplant procedure, as defined in 1903(v)(3) of the SSA and implemented at 42 CFR 440.255, to the following individuals who meet all Medicaid eligibility requirements, except documentation of citizenship or satisfactory immigration status and/or present an SSN:
  - [x] Qualified non-citizens subject to the 5 year waiting period described in 8 U.S.C. 1613;
  - [x] Non-qualified non-citizens, unless covered as a lawfully residing child or pregnant woman by the state under the option in accordance with 1903(v)(4) and implemented at 435.406(b).

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TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: SC-0019-MM4	**STATE:** South Carolina	
PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT: A1 – A3	**COMPLETE PAGES SUPERSEDED:** Page 1 Section 1.1 (pages 2-6) Section 1.2 (page 7) Section 1.3 (page 8) Attachment 1.1-A (pages 2-6) Attachment 1.2-A (Organizational chart) Attachment 1.2-B (Description of the functions of the single state agency) Attachment 1.2-C (Description of professional medical and supporting staff)	**PARTIAL PAGES SUPERSEDED:** Section 1.4 (page 9) (State Medical Care Advisory Committee section only. Tribal consultation will remain in the state plan.)

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State Plan Administration Designation and Authority | **A1**

42 CFR 431.10

Designation and Authority

State Name: South Carolina

As a condition for receipt of Federal funds under title XIX of the Social Security Act, the single state agency named below submits the following state plan for the medical assistance program, and hereby agrees to administer the program in accordance with the provisions of this state plan, the requirements of titles XI and XIX of the Act, and all applicable Federal regulations and other official issuances of the Department.

Name of single state agency: Department of Health and Human Services

Type of Agency:

- ○ Title IV-A Agency
- ◉ Health
- ○ Human Resources
- ○ Other

Type of Agency

The above named agency is the single state agency designated to administer or supervise the administration of the Medicaid program under title XIX of the Social Security Act. (All references in this plan to "the Medicaid agency" mean the agency named as the single state agency.)

The state statutory citation for the legal authority under which the single state agency administers the state plan is:

§ 44-6-30, SC Code, 1976, as amended

The single state agency supervises the administration of the state plan by local political subdivisions.

○ Yes ◉ No

☑ The certification signed by the state Attorney General identifying the single state agency and citing the legal authority under which it administers or supervises administration of the program has been provided.

An attachment is submitted.

The state plan may be administered solely by the single state agency, or some portions may be administered by other agencies.

The single state agency administers the entire state plan under title XIX (i.e., no other agency or organization administers any portion of it).

◉ Yes ○ No

The entity or entities that have responsibility for determinations of eligibility for families, adults, and for individuals under 21 are:

- [x] The Medicaid agency
- [ ] Single state agency under Title IV-A (in the 50 states or the District of Columbia) or under Title I or XVI (AABD) in Guam, Puerto Rico, or the Virgin Islands
- [ ] An Exchange that is a government agency established under sections 1311(b)(1) or 1321(c)(1) of the Affordable Care Act

The entity that has responsibility for determinations of eligibility for the aged, blind, and disabled are:

- [x] The Medicaid agency
- [ ] Single state agency under Title IV-A (in the 50 states or the District of Columbia) or under Title I or XVI (AABD) in Guam, Puerto Rico, or the Virgin Islands
- [ ] An Exchange that is a government agency established under sections 1311(b)(1) or 1321(c)(1) of the Affordable Care Act
- [x] The Federal agency administering the SSI program

Indicate which agency determines eligibility for any groups whose eligibility is not determined by the Federal agency:

- [x] Medicaid agency
- [ ] Title IV-A agency
- [ ] An Exchange

The entity or entities that have responsibility for conducting fair hearings with respect to denials of eligibility based on the applicable modified adjusted gross income standard are:

- [x] Medicaid agency
- [ ] An Exchange that is a government agency established under sections 1311(b)(1) or 1321(c)(1) of the Affordable Care Act
- [ ] An Exchange appeals entity, including an entity established under section 1411(f) of the Affordable Care Act

The agency has established a review process whereby the agency reviews appeals decisions made by the Exchange or Exchange appeals entity or other state agency, but only with respect to conclusions of law, including interpretations of state or federal policies.

( ) Yes (•) No

State Plan Administration
Organization and Administration

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42 CFR 431.10
42 CFR 431.11

Organization and Administration

Provide a description of the organization and functions of the Medicaid agency.

SCDHHS is authorized under State Law to perform statewide health planning and be the single State Agency administering Medicaid. The purpose of SCDHHS is to develop a unified system of planning, financing and administering of the Medicaid program and to assure that essential services provided by the program are delivered in the most effective and efficient manner. SCDHHS mission is to purchase the most health for our citizens in need at the least possible cost to the taxpayer.

With specific regard to administration of Medicaid, DHHS intends to:

- Succeed financially
- Innovate and be flexible to change
- Excel operationally
- Achieve quality health outcomes.

Following is a description of the organization of SCDHHS:

Director: The Director's function is to ensure the coordinated, economical, efficient delivery of Medicaid health services to eligible South Carolinians. The Director serves as the chief administrative officer and has the responsibility of executing policies, directives and actions of the Department, either personally or by issuing appropriate directives to Department employees. The Director has the sole authority to employ and discharge Department employees subject to such personnel policies and funding available for that purpose. The SCDHHS Director is appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate.

Office of the Chief of Staff: The Chief of Staff has the overall responsibility for the coordination of agency functions, including the establishment of goals, performance monitoring and general supervision.
The basic functions are to establish goals in broad terms, suggest initiatives, monitor performance and furnish general supervision. The Chief of Staff will also oversee the legislative and communications functions of the agency.

Office of General Counsel: The General Counsel provides legal representation for the Department in actions in the state and federal courts and administrative hearings. This office also renders legal advice and opinions concerning administration of Medicaid, including the drafting and interpretation of statutes and regulations. The Office of Compliance and Performance Review, which performs internal and external audits, is also under the supervision of the General Counsel.

Office of Operations and Information Management: The Deputy Director of Operations and Information Management oversees the Agency's eligibility policy and operations, claims operations and provider relations, project management, information technology and human resources administration. Eligibility, Enrollment and Member Services, which oversees Medicaid Eligibility is part of this office. The agency makes determinations for all eligibility groups, except for Supplemental Security Income recipients as described below. The Director for Eligibility, Enrollment and Member Services reports to the Deputy Director of Operations and Information Management.

Office of Fiscal Management and Administration (CFO): The Deputy Director of Fiscal Management and Administration manages the financial, budget and administrative operations for South Carolina's $6 billion Medicaid program; works to ensure the accuracy and efficiency of the strategic planning and budgeting forecasting process and program monitoring. The Bureau of Third Party Liability and Appeals houses fair hearings functions. The Director of this Bureau reports to the Deputy Director of Finance and Administration. The Bureau of Third Party Liability and Appeals issues decisions. There is no review within the agency. If the Petitioner OR Respondent does not agree with the decision it can be appealed to court.

Office of Health Programs: The Deputy Director for Health Programs oversees both the managed care and the medical services sections of the agency including physicians, hospitals, pharmacy, durable medical equipment, dental, transportation, managed care and medical support services. This team focuses on health outcomes, quality patient care, contract management and the development of innovative programs and policies that improve the overall health of our beneficiaries and the citizens of South Carolina.

Office of Behavioral Health and Long Term Care: The Deputy Director for Behavioral Health and Long Term Care , guides the long term care and behavioral health policies as SCDHHS transforms these critical services and systematically integrates community long term care, including nursing homes, and behavioral health with primary care services.

Upload an organizational chart of the Medicaid agency.

An attachment is submitted.

Provide a description of the structure of the state's executive branch which includes how the Medicaid agency fits in with other health, human service and public assistance agencies.

Under the South Carolina Constitution, the Governor is the head of government, serving as the chief executive of the South Carolina executive branch. The Governor appoints directors to 14 cabinet agencies, who are shared with the General Assembly and approved by the Senate. The other state social service cabinet agencies include: Department of Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Services; Department of Social Services; and Department of Mental Health.

In an effort to efficiently utilize community resources, SCDHHS has entered into agreements with other agencies, including SCVRD, SCDHEC, SCCB, HeadStart, HUD, SCDSS, and SCDMH and SC DDSN to exchange services and enforce a cooperative agency relationship. The purpose of the agreements is to clarify the roles of the agencies, prevent duplication of services, improve communication, and ensure effective and efficient health care services.

SCDHHS and the South Carolina Vocational Rehabilitation Department (SCVRD) entered into an agreement with the purpose of creating a cooperative relationship between the two agencies. SCDHHS and SCVRD agreed to use the facilities of each agency for rehabilitating applicants and Medicaid beneficiaries, collaborate on cases and share information about clients, and respect the confidential nature of information by either agency. SCDHHS makes provisions for early access to medical and remedial care available through Medicaid, and provides for early identification and referral of vocational rehabilitation clients. SCVRD helps identify children who are enrolled in their programs and are eligible for Medicaid and the Early Periodic Screening and Diagnosis Treatment Program (EPSDT). SCDHHS accepts the referrals, determines the children's eligibility, assists the parents in scheduling a screening appointment if requested, and notifies SCVRD of any missed screening appointments. SCVRD provides medical transportation to and from the screening facility for EPSDT children enrolled in their programs.

SCDHHS and the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (SCDHEC) have entered into several agreements to provide services to beneficiaries. These services include Family Planning Services, Physician Services, Home Health Services, and EPSDT. Both agencies have agreed to collaborate to improve the health status of Medicaid eligible children with elevated blood lead levels, and SCDHEC has agreed to provide hearing aids to Medicaid recipients under the age of 21. SCDHEC is also required to survey and certify skilled nursing facilities for compliance with Federal standards for participation with Medicaid.

SCDHHS and the SC Commission for the Blind (SCCB) have agreed to engage in an exchange of services. In an effort to grant disabled persons opportunities for rehabilitation and assistance, each agency shares information regarding clients and programs, makes joint referrals, and respects the confidential nature of information available by either agency. SCDHHS has agreed to work with SCCB to ensure that Medicaid is used as a resource to service eligible clients who are being served by the SCCB.

SCDHHS and Head Start are both concerned with the early detection and treatment of childhood illnesses and disabilities. Many children enrolled in Head Start are also eligible for EPSDT services through Medicaid. The agencies are committed to communicating clearly with each other to ensure each child receives the health care they require. Head Start helps identify children in its program who are eligible for Medicaid services, explains the EPSDT Program to the children's parents, and notifies SCDHHS of its findings. SCDHHS processes the child's application and makes an eligibility determination. Upon request, SCDHHS schedules a screening appointment, and notifies Head Start of the appointment and the child's transportation arrangement. Head Start offers transportation to children enrolled in Medicaid when resources are available.

SCDHHS and the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) are concerned with the early detection and treatment of illnesses and disabilities. Many children living in public housing are entitled to EPSDT services through Medicaid. HUD helps to identify children living in public housing who are eligible for Medicaid services, informs the children's parents about the EPSDT Program, and provides a list of children presumed eligible for EPSDT to SCDHHS. HUD encourages local housing authorities to provide medical transportation for EPSDT children living in public housing. SCDHHS accepts the list of referrals, and determines which children are eligible for EPSDT. Upon request, SCDHHS will assist the children's parents with scheduling a screening appointment and arranging transportation to and from the screening facility. If requested, SCDHHS will notify HUD of children who have missed screening appointments.

SCDHHS and the South Carolina Department of Social Services (SCDSS) work cooperatively to provide necessary and appropriate medical services to children in foster care. SCDSS has collaborated with DHHS to establish a medical home led by a primary care physician (PCP) with the goal of promoting better health outcomes for children in foster care. All children in foster care now have a medical home in which they receive ongoing primary care, timely referrals to appropriate specialty care, and periodic reassessments of their health. In addition, children in foster care benefit from expedited Medicaid eligibility upon first entering SCDSS foster care, and SCDSS provides Medicaid eligibility information to foster care youth regarding continued

coverage until 21 years of age. SCDHHS also has an automated monthly data match with the SCDSS to identify children not currently receiving Medicaid, but who are receiving Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) and/or Family Independence (FI). This process is known as Express Lane Eligibility (ELE). Children who are not on Medicaid and receiving SNAP and/or FI are automatically eligible for Medicaid under Partners for Healthy Children (PHC).

SCDHHS and the South Carolina Department of Mental Health (SCDMH) share an expense agreement, allowing SCDMH to deploy entitlement specialists throughout the mental health system to ensure that clients are eligible and enrolled, or offered the opportunity to enroll, in Medicaid. This method provides an optimized environment for the client to acquire necessary enrollment information at the time of service. In addition, the two agencies collaborate to relieve overcrowding of psychiatric patients in local hospital emergency departments. The SCDMH Telepsychiatry Program provides 24/7 behavioral health consulting services to hospital emergency departments on a state-wide basis. The mission of the Program is to develop a telepsychiatry consultation system that provides best practice consultations in emergency departments throughout South Carolina.

SCDHHS and the South Carolina Department Disabilities and Special Needs (SCDDSN) offer Home and Community Based (HCB) Waiver Services. SCDHHS, through its Community Long Term Care (CLTC) Division, administers HCB Waivers to serve the elderly and disabled (Community Choices Waiver), people with HIV or AIDS (HIV/AIDS Waiver), and adults who are dependent on a life support system (Ventilator Dependent Waiver). In addition, SCDHHS partners with SCDDSN to offer waivers to serve people with head or spinal cord injuries (HASCI Waiver), people with intellectual disabilities or related disabilities (ID/RD Waiver), and people with pervasive developmental disorders (PDD Waiver). SCDHHS and SCDDSN offer the Community Supports Waiver as an option, which allows individuals with intellectual disabilities or related disabilities to choose to receive care at home rather than in an Intermediate Care Facility for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities (IFC/ID).

Entities that determine eligibility other than the Medicaid Agency (if entities are described under Designation and Authority)

Remove

Type of entity that determines eligibility:

- ○ Single state agency under Title IV-A (in the 50 states or the District of Columbia) or under Title I or XVI (AABD) in Guam, Puerto Rico, or the Virgin Islands
- ○ An Exchange that is a government agency established under sections 1311(b)(1) or 1321(c)(1) of the Affordable Care Act
- ● The Federal agency administering the SSI program

Provide a description of the staff designated by the entity and the functions they perform in carrying out their responsibility.

The Social Security Administration is responsible for making eligibility determinations for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) recipients. The South Carolina Department of Health and Human 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. Pursuant to a 1634 agreement, the Social Security Administration determines Medicaid eligibility for Supplemental Security Income recipients.

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Entities that conduct fair hearings other than the Medicaid Agency (if are described under Designation and Authority)

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Type of entity that conducts fair hearings:

- ○ An Exchange that is a government agency established under sections 1311(b)(1) or 1321(c)(1) of the Affordable Care Act
- ○ An Exchange appeals entity, including an entity established under section 1411(f) of the Affordable Care Act

Provide a description of the staff designated by the entity and the functions they perform in carrying out their responsibility.

Medicaid Administration

Add

Supervision of state plan administration by local political subdivisions (if described under Designation and Authority)

Is the supervision of the administration done through a state-wide agency which uses local political subdivisions?

○ Yes ○ No

State Plan Administration Assurances — A3

42 CFR 431.10
42 CFR 431.12
42 CFR 431.50

Assurances

☑ The state plan is in operation on a statewide basis, in accordance with all the requirements of 42 CFR 431.50.

☑ All requirements of 42 CFR 431.10 are met.

☑ There is a Medical Care Advisory Committee to the agency director on health and medical services established in accordance with meeting all the requirements of 42 CFR 431.12.

☑ The Medicaid agency does not delegate, to other than its own officials, the authority to supervise the plan or to develop or issue policies, rules, and regulations on program matters.

Assurance for states that have delegated authority to determine eligibility:

☐ There is a written agreement between the Medicaid agency and the Exchange or any other state or local agency that has been delegated authority to determine eligibility for Medicaid eligibility in compliance with 42 CFR 431.10(d).

Assurances for states that have delegated authority to conduct fair hearings:

☐ There is a written agreement between the Medicaid agency and the Exchange or Exchange appeals entity that has been delegated authority to conduct Medicaid fair hearings in compliance with 42 CFR 431.10(d).

☐ When authority is delegated to the Exchange or an Exchange appeals entity, individuals who have requested a fair hearing are given the option to have their fair hearing conducted instead by the Medicaid agency.

Assurance for states that have delegated authority to determine eligibility and/or to conduct fair hearings:

☑ The Medicaid agency does not delegate authority to make eligibility determinations or to conduct fair hearings to entities other than government agencies which maintain personnel standards on a merit basis.

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State: South Carolina

Agency*	(Citation(s)	Groups Covered

The following groups are covered under this plan.

A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups

42 CFR 435.110 1. Recipients of AFDC

IV-A The approved State AFDC plan includes:

☒ Families with an unemployed parent for the mandatory 6-month period and an optional extension of __6__ months.

☐ Pregnant women with no other eligible children.

☒ AFDC children age 18 who are full-time students in a secondary school or in the equivalent level of vocational or technical training.

The standards for AFDC payments are listed in Supplement 1 of ATTACHMENT 2.6-A.

42 CFR 435.115 2. Deemed Recipients of AFDC

IV-A a. Individuals denied a title IV-A cash payment solely because the amount would be less than $10.

State: South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	A.	Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
	2.	Deemed Recipients of AFDC,
1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(I) of the Act	b.	Effective October 1, 1990, participants in a work supplementation program under title IV-A and any child or relative of such individual (or other individual living in the same household as such individuals) who would be eligible for AFDC if there were no work supplementation program, in accordance with section 482(e)(6) of the Act.
402(a)(22)(A) of the Act	c.	Individuals whose AFDC payments are reduced to zero by reason of recovery of overpayment of AFDC funds.
406(h) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(I) of the Act	d.	An assistance unit deemed to be receiving AFDC for a period of four calendar months because the family become ineligible for AFDC as a result of collection or increased collection of support and meets the requirements of section 406(h) of the Act.
1902(a) of the Act	e.	Individuals deemed to be receiving AFDC who meet the requirements of section 473(b)(1) or (2) for whom an adoption assistance agreement is in effect or foster care maintenance payments are being made under title IV-E of the Act.

State: South Carolina

Agency*	Citations(s)	Groups Covered
	A.	Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
407(b), 1902 (a)(10)(A)(i) and 1905(m)(l) of the Act IV-A	3.	Qualified Family Members (Medicaid Only) See Item A.10, pg. 5
1902(a)(52) and 1925 of the Act IV-A	4.	Families terminated from AFDC solely because of earnings, hours of employment, or loss of earned income disregards entitled up to twelve months of extended benefits in accordance with section 1925 of the Act. (This provision expires on September 30, 1998).

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)

42 CFR 435.113
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5. Individuals who are ineligible for AFDC solely because of eligibility requirements that are specifically prohibited under Medicaid. Included are:

a. Families denied AFDC solely because of income and resources deemed to be available from—

(1) Stepparents who are not legally liable for support of stepchildren under a State law of general applicability;

(2) Grandparents;

(3) Legal guardians; and

(4) Individual alien sponsors (who are not spouses of the individual or the individual's parent);

b. Families denied AFDC solely because of the involuntary inclusion of siblings who have income and resources of their own in the filing unit.

c. Families denied AFDC because the family transferred a resource without receiving adequate compensation.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)

42 CFR 435.114
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6. Individuals who would be eligible for AFDC except for the increase in OASDI benefits under Pub. L. 92-336 (July 1, 1972), who were entitled to OASDI in August 1972, and who were receiving cash assistance in August 1972.

____ Includes persons who would have been eligible for cash assistance but had not applied in August 1972 (this group was included in this State's August 1972 plan).

_X__ Includes persons who would have been eligible for cash assistance in August 1972 if not in a medical institution or intermediate care facility (this group was included in this State's August 1972 plan).

____ Not applicable with respect to intermediate care facilities; State did or does not cover this service.

1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) and 1905(n) of the Act

7. Qualified Pregnant Women and Children.

a. A pregnant woman whose pregnancy has been medically verified who—

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(1) Would be eligible for an AFDC cash payment if the child had been born and was living with her;

State South Carolina

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
	7. a. (2) Is a member of a family that would be eligible for aid to families with dependent children of unemployed parents if the State had an AFDC-unemployment parents program; or
	(3) Would be eligible for an AFDC cash payment on the basis of the income and resource requirements of the State's approved AFDC plan.
1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) and 1905(n) of the Act	b. Children born after September 30, 1983 who are under age 19 and who would be eligible for an AFDC cash payment on the basis of the income and resource requirements of the State's approved AFDC plan:
	____ Children who are born after _____ (specify optional earlier date) Who are under age 19 and who would be eligible for an AFDC cash payment on the basis of the income and resource requirements of the State's approved AFDC plan.

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State South Carolina

Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
1902(a)(10)(A)(I)(IV) and 1902(l)(1)(A) and (B) of the Act	8. Pregnant women and infants under 1 year of age with family incomes up to 133 percent of the Federal poverty level who are described in section 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IV) and 1902(1)(1)(A) and (B) of the Act. The income level for this group is specified in Supplement 1 to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A. __X__ The State uses a percentage greater than 133 but not more than 185 percent of the Federal poverty level, as established in its State plan, State legislation, or State appropriations as of December 19, 1989.
1902(a)(10)(A)(I)(VI) 1902 (1)(1)(C) of the Act	9. Children a. who have attained 1 year of age but have not attained 6 years of age, with family incomes at or below 133 percent of the Federal poverty levels.
1902(a)(10)(A)(I)(VII) and 1902(l)(1)(D) of the Act	b. born after September 30, 1983, who have attained 6 years of age but have not attained 19 years of age, with family incomes at or below 100 percent of the Federal poverty levels. __X__ Children born after Any Date (Specify optional earlier date) who have attained 6 years of age but have not attained 19 years of age, with family incomes at or below 100 percent of the Federal poverty levels. Income levels for these groups are specified in Supplement 1 to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A.

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State South Carolina

COVERAGE AND CONDITIONS OF ELIGIBILITY

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	A.	Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(V)and 1905(m) of the Act IV-A	10.	Individuals other than qualified pregnant women and children under item A.7. above who are members of a family that would be receiving AFDC under section 407 of the Act if the State had not exercised the option under section 407(b)(2)(B)(i) of the Act to limit the number of months for which a family may receive AFDC.
1902(e)(5) of the Act IV-A	11. a.	A woman who, while pregnant, was eligible for, applied for, and receives Medicaid under the approved State plan on the day her pregnancy ends. The woman continues to be eligible, as though she were pregnant, for all pregnancy-related and postpartum medical assistance under the plan for a 60-day period (beginning on the last day of her pregnancy) and for any remaining days in the month in which the 60th day falls.
1902(e)(6) of the Act	b.	A pregnant woman who would otherwise lose eligibility because of an increase in income (of the family in which she is a member) during the pregnancy or the postpartum period which extends through the end of the month in which the 60-day period (beginning on the last day of pregnancy) ends.

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State South Carolina

COVERAGE AND CONDITIONS OF ELIGIBILITY

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
		A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
1902(e)(4) of the Act IV-A		12. A child born to a woman who is eligible for and receiving Medicaid as categorically needy on the date of the child's birth. The child is deemed eligible for one year from birth as long as the mother remains eligible or would remain eligible if still pregnant and the child remains in the same household as the mother.
42 CFR 435.120 XVI		13. Aged, Blind and Disabled Individuals Receiving Cash Assistance __X__ a. Individuals receiving SSI. This includes beneficiaries' eligible spouses and persons receiving SSI benefits pending a final determination of blindness or disability or pending disposal of excess resources under an agreement with the Social Security Administration; and beginning January 1, 1981 persons receiving SSI under section 1619(a) of the Act or considered to be receiving SSI under section 1619(b) of the Act. _X_ Aged _X_ Blind _X_ Disabled

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	A.	Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Groups (Continued)
435.121	13. ☐b.	Individuals who meet more restrictive requirements for Medicaid than the SSI requirements. (This includes persons who qualify for benefits under section 1619(a) of the Act or who meet the requirements for SSI status under section 1619(b)(1) of the Act and who met the State's more restrictive requirements for Medicaid in the month before the month they qualified for SSI under section 1619(a)or met the requirements under section 1619(b)(1) of the Act. Medicaid eligibility for these individuals continues as long as they continue to meet the 1619(a) eligibility standard or the requirements of section 1619(b) of the Act.)
1619(b)(1) of the Act		_____ Aged _____ Blind _____ Disabled
		The more restrictive categorical eligibility criteria are described below:
		(Financial Criteria are described in ATTACHMENT 2.6-A.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
		A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
1902(a)(10(A)(i)(II) and 1905(q) of the Act IV-A		14. Qualified severely impaired blind and disabled individuals who-- a. For the month preceding the first month of eligibility under the requirements of section 1905(q)(2) of the Act, received SSI, a State supplemental payment under section 1616 of the Act or under section 212 of P.L. 93-66 or benefits under section 1619(a) of the Act and were eligible for Medicaid; or b. For the month of June 1987, were considered to be receiving SSI under section 1619(b) of the Act and were eligible for Medicaid. These individuals must-- (1) Continue to meet the criteria for blindness or have the disabling physical or mental impairment under which the individual was found to be disabled; (2) Except for earnings, continue to meet all nondisability-related requirements for eligibility for SSI benefits. (3) Have unearned income in amounts that would not cause them to be ineligible for a payment under section 1611(b) of the Act;

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)

(4) Be seriously inhibited by the lack of Medicaid coverage in their ability to continue to work or obtain employment; and

(5) Have earnings that are not sufficient to provide for himself or herself a reasonable equivalent of the Medicaid, SSI (including any Federally administered SSP), or public funded attendant care services that would be available if he or she did have such earnings.

☐ Not applicable with respect to individuals receiving only SSP because the State either does not make SSP payments or does not provide Medicaid to SSP-only recipients.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	A.	Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
1619(b)(3) of the Act	☐	The State applies more restrictive eligibility requirements for Medicaid than under SSI and under 42 CFR 435.121. Individuals who qualify for benefits under section 1619(a) of the Act or individuals described above who meet the eligibility requirements for SSI benefits under section 1619(b)(1) of the Act and who met the State's more restrictive requirements in the month before the month they qualified for SSI under section 1619(a) or met the requirements of section 1619(b)(1) of the Act are covered. Eligibility for these individuals continues as long as they continue to qualify for benefits under section 1619(a) of the Act or meet the SSI requirements under section 1619(b)(1) of the Act.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
		A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
1634(c)of the Act		15. Except in States that apply more restrictive eligibility requirements for Medicaid than under SSI, blind or disabled individuals who--
		a. Are at least 18 years of age;
		b. Lose SSI eligibility because they become entitled to OASDI child's benefits under section 202 (d) of the Act or an increase in these benefits based on their disability. Medicaid eligibility for these individuals continues for as long as they would be eligible for SSI, absent their OASDI eligibility.
		☐ c. The State applies more restrictive eligibility requirements than those under SSI, and part or all of the amount of OASDI benefit that caused SSI/SSP ineligibility and subsequent increases are deducted when determining the amount of countable income for categorically needy eligibility.
		☐ d. The State applies more restrictive requirements than those under SSI, and none of the OASDI benefit is deducted in determining the amount of countable income for categorically needy eligibility.
42 CFR 435.122		16. Except in States that apply more restrictive eligibility requirements for Medicaid than under SSI, individuals who are ineligible for SSI or optional State supplements (if the agency provides Medicaid under §435.230), because of requirements that do not apply under title XIX of the Act.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
42 CFR 435.130	17.	Individuals receiving mandatory State supplements.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)

42 CFR 435.131
IV-A

18. Individuals who in December 1973 were eligible for Medicaid as an essential spouse and who have continued, as spouse, to live with and be essential to the well-being of a recipient of cash assistance. The recipient with whom the essential spouse is living continues to meet the December 1973 eligibility requirements of the State's approved plan for OAA, AB, APTD, or AABD and the spouse continues to meet the December 1973 requirements for having his or her needs included in computing the cash payment.

☒ In December 1973, Medicaid coverage of the essential spouse was limited to the following group(s):

_X_ Aged _X_ Blind _X_ Disabled

☐ Not applicable. In December 1973, the essential spouse was not eligible for Medicaid.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
		A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
42 CFR 435.132 IV-A		19. Institutionalized individuals who were eligible for Medicaid in December 1973 as inpatients of title XIX medical institutions or residents of title XIX intermediate care facilities, if, for each consecutive month after December 1973, they-
		a. Continue to meet the December 1973 Medicaid State plan eligibility requirements; and
		b. Remain institutionalized; and
		c. Continue to need institutional care.
42 CFR 435.133 IV-A		20. Blind and disabled individuals who--
		a. Meet all current requirements for Medicaid eligibility except the blindness or disability criteria; and
		b. Were eligible for Medicaid in December 1973 as blind or disabled; and
		c. For each consecutive month after December 1973 continue to meet December 1973 eligibility criteria.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
		A. Mandatory Coverage –
		B. Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
42 CFR 435.134 IV-A		21. Individuals who would be SSI/SSP eligible except for the increase in OASDI benefits under Pub. L. 92-336 (July 1, 1972), who were entitled to OASDI in August 1972, and who were receiving cash assistance in August 1972.
		☐ Includes persons who would have been eligible for cash assistance but had not applied in August 1972 (this group was included in this State's August 1972 plan).
		☒ Includes persons who would have been eligible for cash assistance in August 1972 if not in a medical institution or a nursing facility (this group was included in this State's August 1972 plan).
		☐ Not applicable with respect to nursing facilities; the State did or does not cover this service.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

A. Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)

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IV-A

22. Individuals who--

a. Are receiving OASDI and were receiving SSI/SSP but became ineligible for SSI/SSP after April 1977; and

b. Would still be eligible for SSI or SSP if cost-of-living increases in OASDI paid under section 215(i) of the Act received after the last month for which the individual was eligible for and received SSI/SSP and OASDI, concurrently, were deducted from income.

☐ Not applicable with respect to individuals receiving only SSP because the State either does not make such payments or does not provide Medicaid to SSP--only recipients.

☐ Not applicable because the State applies more restrictive eligibility requirements than those under SSI.

☐ The State applies more restrictive eligibility requirements than those under SSI and the amount of increase that caused SSI/SSP ineligibility and subsequent increases are deducted when determining the amount of countable income for categorically needy eligibility.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	A.	Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)
1634 of the Act IV-A	23.	Disabled widows and widowers who would be eligible for SSI or SSP except for the increase in their OASDI benefits as a result of the elimination of the reduction factor required by section 134 of Pub. L. 98-21 and who are deemed, for purposes of title XIX, to be SSI beneficiaries or SSP beneficiaries for individuals who would be eligible for SSP only, under section 1634(b) of the Act.
		☐ Not applicable with respect to individuals receiving only SSP because the State either does not make these payments or does not provide Medicaid to SSP-only recipients.
		☐ The State applies more restrictive eligibility standards than those under SSI and considers these individuals to have income equaling the SSI Federal benefit rate, or the SSP benefit rate for individuals who would be eligible for SSP only, when determining countable income for Medicaid categorically needy eligibility.

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Agency	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
		24. Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries --
		a. Who are entitled to hospital insurance benefits under Medicare Part A, (but not pursuant to an enrollment under section 1818A of the Act);
		b. Whose income does not exceed 100 percent of the Federal poverty level; and
		c. Whose resources do not exceed three times the SSI resource limit, adjusted annually by the increase in the consumer price index.
		(Medical assistance for this group is limited to Medicare cost-sharing as defined in item 3.2 of this plan.)
1902(a)(10)(E)(i), 1905(p) and 1860D-14(a)(3)(D) of the Act		
1902(a)(10)(E)(ii), 1905(p)(3)(A)(i), 1905(p) and 1860D-14(a)(3)(D)		25. Qualified Disabled and Working Individuals --
		a. Who are entitled to hospital insurance benefits under Medicare Part A under section 1818A of the Act; of the Act
		b. Whose income does not exceed 200 percent of the Federal poverty level; and

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Agency	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
		A. Mandatory Coverage - Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued) c. Whose resources do not exceed two times the SSI resource limit. d. Who are not otherwise eligible for medical assistance under Title XIX of the Act. (Medical assistance for this group is limited to Medicare Part A premiums under section 1818A of the Act.)
1902(a)(10)(E)(iii), 1905(p)(3)(A)(ii), and 1860D-14(a)(3)(D) of the Act		26. Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiaries -- a. Who are entitled to hospital insurance benefits under Medicare Part A (but not pursuant to an enrollment under section 1818A of the Act); b. whose income is greater than 100 percent but less than 120 percent of the Federal poverty level; and c. Whose resources do not exceed three times the SSI resource limit, adjusted annually by the increase in the consumer price index. (Medical assistance for this group is limited to Medicare Part B premiums under section 1839 of the Act.)

State: South Carolina

Agency	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

A. Mandatory Coverage - Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups (Continued)

1902(a)(10)(E)(iv) and 1905(p)(3)(A)(ii) and 1860D-14(a)(3)(D) of the Act

27. Qualifying Individuals --

a. Who are entitled to hospital insurance benefits under Medicare Part A (but not pursuant to an enrollment under section 1818A of the Act);

b. whose income is at least 120 percent but less than 135 percent of the Federal poverty level;

c, Whose resources do not exceed three times the SSI resource limit, adjusted annually by the increase in the consumer price index.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy

42 CFR 435.210 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii) and 1905(a) of the Act

☐ 1. Individuals described below who meet the income and resource requirements of AFDC, SSI, or an optional State supplement as specified in 42 CFR 435.230, but who do not receive cash assistance.

☐ The plan covers all individuals as described above.

☐ The plan covers only the following group or groups of individuals:

____Aged
____Blind
____Disabled
____Caretaker relatives
____Pregnant women
____Individuals under the age of

____18
____19
____20
____21

42 CFR 435.211 IV-A

☒ 2. Individuals who would be eligible for AFDC, SSI or an optional State supplement as specified in 42 CFR 435.230, if they were not in a medical institution.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)

42 CFR 435.212 & 1902(e)(2) of the Act, P.L. 99-272 (section 9517) P.L. 101-508 (section 4732)

[ ]3. The State deems as eligible those individuals who became otherwise ineligible for Medicaid while enrolled in an HMO qualified under Title XIII of the Public Health Service Act, or a managed care organization (MCO), or a primary care case management (PCCM) program, but who have been enrolled in the entity for less than the minimum enrollment period listed below. Coverage under this section is limited to MCO or PCCM services and family planning services described in section 1905(a)(4)(C) of the Act.

__X__ The State elects not to guarantee eligibility.

_____ The State elects to guarantee eligibility. The minimum enrollment period is ___ months (not to exceed six).

The State measures the minimum enrollment period from:

[ ] The date beginning the period of enrollment in the MCO or PCCM, without any intervening disenrollment, regardless of Medicaid eligibility.

[ ] The date beginning the period of enrollment in the MCO or PCCM as a Medicaid patient (including periods when payment is made under this section), without any intervening disenrollment.

[ ] The date beginning the last period of enrollment in the MCO or PCCM as a Medicaid patient (not including periods when payment is made under this section) without any intervening disenrollment or periods of enrollment as a privately paying patient. (A new minimum enrollment period begins each time the individual becomes Medicaid eligible other than under this section).

*Agency that determines eligibility for coverage.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
1932(a)(4) of the Act	B.	Optional Groups Other Than Medically Needy (Continued) The Medicaid Agency may elect to restrict the disenrollment of Medicaid enrollees of MCOs, PIHPs, PAHPs, and PCCMs in accordance with the regulations at 42 CFR 438.56. This requirement applies unless a recipient can demonstrate good cause for disenrolling of if he/she moves out of the entity's service area or becomes ineligible. __X__ Disenrollment rights are restricted for a period of __12__ months (not to exceed 12 months). During the first three months of each enrollment period the recipient may disenroll without cause. The State will provide notification, at least once per year, to recipients enrolled with such organization of their right to and restrictions of terminating such enrollment. _____ No restrictions upon disenrollment rights.
1903(m)(2)(H), 1902(a)(52) of the Act P.L. 101-508 42 CFR 438.56(g)		In the case of individuals who have become ineligible for Medicaid for the brief period described in section 1903(m)(2)(H) and who were enrolled with a MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM when they became ineligible, the Medicaid agency may elect to reenroll those individuals in the same entity if that entity still has a contract. __X__ The agency elects to reenroll the above individuals who are ineligible in a month but in the succeeding two months become eligible, into the same entity in which they were enrolled at the time eligibility was lost. _____ The agency elects not to reenroll above individuals into the same entity in which they were previously enrolled.

*Agency that determines eligibility for coverage.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	B.	Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
42 CFR 435.217 IV-A	__X__	4. A group or groups of individuals who would be eligible for Medicaid under the plan if they were in a NF or an ICF/MR, who but for the provision of home and community-based services under a waiver granted under 42 CFR part 441, Subpart G would require institutionalization, and who will receive home and community-based services under the waiver. The group or groups covered are listed in the waiver request. This option is effective on the effective date of the State's section 1915(c) waiver under which this group(s) is covered. In the event an existing 1915(c) waiver is amended to cover this group(s), this option is effective on the effective date of the amendment.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)

1902(a)(10)(A)(II)(VII) of the Act

☐ 5. Individuals who would be eligible for Medicaid under the plan if they were in a medical institution, who are terminally ill, and who receive hospice care in accordance with a voluntary election described in section 1905(o) of the Act.

☐ The State covers all individuals as described above.

☐ The State covers only the following group or groups of individuals;

___Aged
___Blind
___Disabled
___Individuals under the age of--
___21
___20
___19
___18
____ Caretaker relatives
____ Pregnant women

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SECTION 2 – COVERAGE AND ELIGIBILITY
Citation(s)

2.1 Application, Determination of Eligibility and Furnishing Medicaid (Continued)

1902(e)(13) of the Act

_X_ (e) Express Lane Option. The Medicaid State agency elects the option to rely on a finding from an Express Lane agency when determining whether a child satisfies one or more components of Medicaid eligibility. The Medicaid State agency agrees to meet all of the Federal statutory and regulatory requirements for this option. This authority may not apply to eligibility determination made before February 4, 2009, or after September 30, 2013.

(1) The Express Lane option is applied to:
☐ Initial Determinations ☐ Redeterminations

☒ Both

(2) A child is defined as younger than age:
☒ 19 ☐ 20 ☐ 21

(3) The following public agencies are approved by the Medicaid State agency as Express Lane agencies:

The South Carolina Department of Social Services (SCDSS) in the administration of the Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP) and the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program.

(4) The following component/components of Medicaid eligibility are determined under the Express Lane option. Also, specify any differences in budget unit, deeming, income exclusions, income disregards, or other methodology between Medicaid eligibility determinations for such children and the determination under the Express Lane option.

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State: South Carolina

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Citation(s)

2.1 Application, Determination of Eligibility and Furnishing Medicaid (Continued)

Income, budget unit and resources will be used to determine Medicaid eligibility. The following summarizes differences in methodology:

Income: Medicaid – 200% FPL
SNAP – 130% FPL
TANF – 50%FPL

Income disregards: Medicaid – Standard work deduction of $100 is applied to the determined monthly gross earned income; the first $50 of child support; a deduction for dependent care expense allowed for up to $200 per month, per child under age 12 or incapacitated adult reduced by the amount of Childcare Assistance; the income of family members who receive SSI.
SNAP - standard deduction ($142 for household size of 1-3); 20% of earned income; maximum excess shelter deduction of up to $417; mandatory utility allowance of $272 if the household has heating/cooling costs or a basic utility allowance of $134 or actual utility expenses and a telephone allowance of $33; monthly dependent care expenses; legally obligated child support deduction; medical deduction
TANF - a 50% earned income disregard for four months provided they pass the gross income test or $100 earned income disregard following the fourth month of the 50% disregard

Budget unit: Medicaid - income and resources of the parents and children in the home.
SNAP – the child and other individuals who purchase food or prepare meals together for home consumption
TANF - The dependent child(ren) for whom assistance is requested, the biological, legal or adoptive parent, stepparent(s), minor, adoptive and half-siblings.

Resources: Medicaid - $30,000 limit per budget unit.
SNAP - $2,000 per budget unit
TANF - $2,500 per budget unit

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State: South Carolina

SECTION 2 – COVERAGE AND ELIGIBILITY
Citation(s)

2.1 Application, Determination of Eligibility and Furnishing Medicaid (Continued)

(5) Check off which option is used to satisfy the Screen and Enroll requirement before a child may be enrolled under title XXI.

☐ (a) Screening threshold established by the Medicaid agency as:
☐ (i)____ percentage of the Federal Poverty level which exceeds the highest Medicaid income threshold applicable to a child by a minimum of 30 percentage points: specify _____; or

☐ (ii)____ percentage of the Federal poverty level (describe how this reflects the value of any difference between income methodologies of Medicaid and the Express Lane agency); or

☐ (b) Temporary enrollment pending screen and enroll.

☒ (c) State's regular screen and enroll process for CHIP.

☒ (6) The State elects the option for automatic enrollment without a Medicaid application, based on data obtained from other sources and with the child's or family's affirmative consent to child's Medicaid enrollment.

☐ (7) Check off if the State elects the option to rely on a finding from an Express Lane agency that includes gross income or adjusted gross income shown by State income tax records or returns.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)

42 CFR 435.220

☐ 6. Individuals who would be eligible for AFDC if their work-related child care costs were paid from earnings rather than by a State agency as a service expenditure. The State's AFDC plan deducts work-related child care costs from income to determine the amount of AFDC.

☐ The State covers all individuals as described above.

1902(a)(10)(A)(ii) and 1905(a) of the Act

☐ The State covers only the following group or groups of individuals:

____ Individuals under the age of--
____ 21
____ 20
____ 19
____ 18

____ Caretaker relatives
____ Pregnant Women

42 CFR 435.222
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii) and 1905(a)(i) of the Act
IV-A

7. ☒ a. All individuals who are not described in section 1902(a)(10)(A)(i) of the Act, who meet the income and resource requirements of the AFDC State plan, and who are under the age of:

____ 21
____ 20
____ 19
_X__ 18(19 if full time student and reasonably expected to complete secondary education by 19th birthday).

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	B.	Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
42 CFR 435.222	☒	b. Reasonable classification of individuals described in (a) above, as follows:
	__X__	(1) Individuals for whom public agencies are assuming full or partial financial responsibility and who are:
	__X__	(a) In foster homes (and are under the age of __21__).
	__X__	(b) In private institutions (and are under the age of __21__).
	_____	(c) In addition to the group under b.(1)(a) and (b), individuals placed in foster homes or private institutions by private, nonprofit agencies (and are under the age of _____).
	_____	(2) Individuals in adoptions subsidized in full or part by a public agency (who are under the age of _____).
	_____	(3) Individuals in NFs (who are under the age of _____). NF services are provided under this plan.
	_____	(4) In addition to the group under (b)(3), individuals in ICFs/MR (who are under the age of _____).

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)

_____ (5) Individuals receiving active treatment as inpatients in psychiatric facilities or programs (who are under the age of _____). Inpatient psychiatric services for individuals under age 21 are provided under this plan.

_____ (6) Other defined groups (and ages), as specified in Supplement 1 of ATTACHMENT 2.2-A.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	B.	Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(VIII) of the Act IV-A	☒	8. A child for whom there is in effect a State adoption assistance agreement (other than under title IV-E of the Act), who, as determined by the State adoption agency, cannot be placed for adoption without medical assistance because the child has special needs for medical or rehabilitative care, and who before execution of the agreement-- a. Was eligible for Medicaid under the State's approved Medicaid Plan; or b. Would have been eligible for Medicaid if the standards and methodologies of the title IV-E foster care program were applied rather than the AFDC standards and methodologies. The State covers individuals under the age Of-- __X_ 21 ____ 20 ____ 19 ____ 18

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	B.	Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
42 CFR 435.223	☐	9. Individuals described below who would be eligible for AFDC if coverage under the State's AFDC plan were as broad as allowed under title IV-A:
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii) and 1905(a) of the Act		___ Individuals under the age of--
		___ 21
		___ 20
		___ 19
		___ 18
		___ Caretaker relatives
		___ Pregnant women

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)

42 CFR 435.230 IV-A

☒ 10. States using SSI criteria with agreements under sections 1616 and 1634 of the Act.

The following groups of individuals who receive only a State supplementary payment (but no SSI payment) under an approved optional State supplementary payment program that meets the following conditions. The supplement is--

a. Based on need and paid in cash on a regular basis.

b. Equal to the difference between the individual's countable income and the income standard used to determine eligibility for the supplement.

c. Available to all individuals in the State.

d. Paid to one or more of the classifications of individuals listed below, who would be eligible for SSI except for the level of their income.

____ (1) All aged individuals.

____ (2) All blind individuals.

____ (3) All disabled individuals.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)

		_X__	(4) Aged individuals in domiciliary facilities or other group living arrangements as defined under SSI.
	42 CFR 435.230	_X__	(5) Blind individuals in domiciliary facilities or other group living arrangements as defined under SSI.
		_X__	(6) Disabled individuals in domiciliary facilities or other group living arrangements as defined under SSI.
		____	(7) Individuals receiving a Federally administered optional State supplement that meets the conditions specified in 42 CFR 435.230.
		____	(8) Individuals receiving a State administered optional State supplement that meets the conditions specified in 42 CFR 435.230.
		____	(9) Individuals in additional classifica- classifications approved by the Secretary as follows:

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)

The supplement varies in income standard by political subdivisions according to cost-of-living differences.

____ Yes

_X__ No.

The standards for optional State supplementary payments are listed in Supplement 6 of ATTACHMENT 2.6-A.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)

42 CFR 435.230
42 CFR 435.120
435.121
1902(a)(10)
(A)(ii)(XI)
of the Act

☐ 11. Section 1902(f) States and SSI criteria States without agreements under section 1616 or 1634 of the Act.

The following groups of individuals who receive a State supplementary payment under an approved optional State supplementary payment program that meets the following conditions. The supplement is—Based on need and paid in cash on a regular basis.

b. Equal to the difference between the individual's countable income and the income standard used to determine eligibility for the supplement.

c. Available to all individuals in each classification and available on a Statewide basis.

d. Paid to one or more of the classifications of individuals listed below:

____ (1) All aged individuals.

____ (2) All blind individuals.

____ (3) All disabled individuals.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)

____ (4) Aged individuals in domiciliary facilities or other group living arrangements as defined under SSI.

____ (5) Blind individuals in domiciliary facilities in other group living arrangements under SSI.

____ (6) Disabled individuals in domiciliary facilities or other group living arrangements as defined under SSI.

____ (7) Individuals receiving federally administered optional State supplement that meets the conditions specified in 42 CFR 435.230.

____ (8) Individuals receiving a State administered optional State supplement that meets the conditions specified in 42 CFR 435.230.

____ (9) Individuals in additional classifications approved by the Secretary as follows:

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)

The supplement varies in income standard by political subdivisions according to cost-of-living differences.

____ Yes

____ No

The standards for optional State supplementary payments are listed in Supplement 6 of ATTACHMENT 2.6-A.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	B.	Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
42 CFR 435.231 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(V) of the Act IV-A	☒	12. Individuals who are in institutions for at least 30 consecutive days and who are eligible under a special income level. Eligibility begins on the first day of the 30-day period. These individuals meet the income standards specified in Supplement 1, page 9a to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A. ☒ The State covers all individuals as described above. ☐ The State covers only the following group or groups of individuals:
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii) and 1905(a) of the Act		___ Aged ___ Blind ___ Disabled ___ Individuals under the age of-- ___ 21 ___ 20 ___ 19 ___ 18 ___ Caretaker relatives ___ Pregnant women

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
		B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
1902(e)(3) of the Act	☒	13. Certain disabled children age 18 or under who are living at home, who would be eligible for Medicaid under the plan if they were in a medical institution, and for whom the State has made a determination as required under section 1902(e)(3)(B) of the Act. Supplement 3 to ATTACHMENT 2.2-A describes the method that is used to determine the cost effectiveness of caring for this group of disabled children at home.
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) and 1902(l) of the Act	☒	14. The following individuals who are not mandatory categorically needy whose income does not exceed the income level (established at an amount above the mandatory level and not more than 185 percent of the Federal poverty income level) specified in Supplement 1 to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A for a family of the same size, including the woman and unborn child or infant and who meet the resource standards specified in Supplement 2 to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A: a. Women during pregnancy (and during the 60-day period beginning on the last day of pregnancy); and b. Infants under one year of age.

State South Carolina

Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	B.	Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
1902(a)(ii)(X) and 1902(m)(1) and (3) of the Act IV-A	☒	16. Individuals— a. Who are 65 years of age or older or are disabled, as determined under section 1614(a)(3) of the Act. Both aged and and disabled individuals are covered under this eligibility group. b. Whose income does not exceed the income level (established at an amount up to 100 percent of the Federal income poverty level) specified in Supplement 1 to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A for a family of the same size; and c. Whose resources do not exceed the maximum amount allowed under SSI; or under the State's medically needy program as specified in ATTACHMENT 2.6-A. Supplement 2, pg. 6.

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State South Carolina

COVERAGE AND CONDITIONS OF ELIGIBILITY

Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
1902(a)(47) and 1920 of the Act	___ 17. Pregnant women who are determined by a "qualified provider" (as defined in §1920(b)(2) of the Act based on preliminary information, to meet the highest applicable income criteria specified in this plan under ATTACHMENT 2.6-A and are therefore determined to be presumptively eligible during a presumptive eligibility period in accordance with §1920 of the Act.

State South Carolina

Citation	Groups Covered
	B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
1906 of the Act	18. Individuals required to enroll in cost-effective employer-based group health plans remain eligible for a minimum enrollment period of _ 1 months.
1902(a)(10)(F) and 1902(u)(l) of the Act	19. Individuals entitled to elect COBRA continuation coverage and whose income as determined under Section 1612 of the Act for purposes of the SSI program, is no more than 100 percent of the Federal poverty level, whose resources are no more than twice the SSI resource limit for an individual, and for whom the State determines that the cost of COBRA premiums is likely to be less than the Medicaid expenditures for an equivalent set of services. See Supplement 11 to ATTACHMENT 2.6-A.

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Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XIV) of the Act	__X_ 19. Optional Targeted Low Income Children Who: a. are not eligible for Medicaid under any other optional or mandatory eligibility group or eligible as medically needy (without spenddown liability); b. would not be eligible for Medicaid under the policies in the State's Medicaid plan as in effect on April 15, 1997 (other than because of the age expansion provided for in §1902 (1)(2)(D); c. have family income at or below: 200 percent of the Federal poverty level for the size family involved, as revised annually in the Federal Register; or A percentage of the Federal poverty level, which is in excess of the "Medicaid applicable income level" (as defined in §2110(b)(4) of the Act) but by no more than 50 percentage points. The State covers: _X__ All children described above who are under age 19 (18, 19) with family income at or below 200 percent of the Federal poverty level.

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Citation(s)		Groups Covered
	____	The following reasonable classifications of children described above who are under Age __ (18, 19) with family income at or below the percent of the Federal poverty level specified for the classification: (ADD NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION(S) OF THE REASONABLE CLASSIFICATION(S) AND THE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL USED TO ESTABLISH ELIGIBILITY FOR EACH CLASSIFICATION.)
1902(a)(12) of the Act	__X__ 20.	A child under age __19__ (Not to exceed age 19) who has been determined eligible is deemed to be eligible for a total of __12_months (not to exceed 12 months) regardless of changes in circumstances other than attainment of the maximum age stated above.
1920A of the Act	____ 21.	Children under age 19 who are determined by a “qualified entity” (as defined in §1920A (b)(3)(A) based on preliminary information, to meet the highest applicable income criteria specified in this plan. The presumptive period begins on the day that the determination is made. If an application for Medicaid is filed on the child’s behalf by the last day of the month following the month in which the determination of presumptive eligibility was made, the presumptive period ends on the day that the State agency makes a determination of eligibility based on that application. If an application is not filed on the child’s behalf by the last day of the month following the month the determination of presumptive eligibility was made, the presumptive period ends on that last day.

State/Territory: South Carolina

Citation		Groups Covered
	B.	Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
1902(a)(10)(A)	_X__	22. Disabled individuals whose net family income is below 250 per cent of the Federal poverty level for a family of the size involved and who, except for earned income, meet all criteria for receiving benefits under the SSI program. See page 12c of the Attachment 2.6-A.
1902(a)(10)(A)	__X__	23. Children who are in foster care under the responsibility of the state on their 18th birthday may be eligible for Medicaid until their 21st birthday without regard to their income and resources.

State: South Carolina

Citation	Groups Covered
	B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii) (XVIII) of the Act	__X__ [24]. Women who: a. have been screened for breast or cervical cancer under the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program established under title XV of the Public Health Service Act in accordance with the requirements of section 1504 of that Act and need treatment for breast or cervical cancer, including a pre-cancerous condition of the breast or cervix; b. are not otherwise covered under creditable coverage, as defined in section 2701(c) of the Public Health Service Act; c. are not eligible for Medicaid under any mandatory categorically needy eligibility group; and d. have not attained age 65.
1920B of the Act	_____ [25]. Women who are determined by a "qualified entity" (as defined in 1920B) (b) based on preliminary information, to be a woman described in 1902(aa) of the Act related to certain breast and cervical cancer patients. The presumptive period begins on the day that the determination is made. The period ends on the date that the State makes a determination with respect to the woman's eligibility for Medicaid, or if the woman does not apply for Medicaid (or a Medicaid application was not made on her behalf) by the last day of the month following the month in which the determination of presumptive eligibility was made, the presumptive period ends on that last day.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	C.	Optional Coverage or the Medically Needy
42 CFR 435.301		This plan includes the medically needy.
		☒ No.
		☐ Yes. This plan covers:
	1.	Pregnant women who, except for income and/or resources, would be eligible as categorically needy under title XIX of the Act.
1902(e) of the Act	2.	Women who, while pregnant, were eligible for and have applied for Medicaid and receive Medicaid as medically needy under the approved State plan on the date the pregnancy ends. These women continue to be eligible, as though they were pregnant, for all pregnancy-related and postpartum services under the plan for a 60-day period, beginning with the date the pregnancy ends, and any remaining days in the month in which the 60th day falls.
1902(a)(10)(C)(ii)(I) of the Act	3.	Individuals under age 18 who, but for income and/or resources, would be eligible under section 1902(a)(10)(A)(i) of the Act.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	C.	Optional Coverage of Medically Needy (Continued)
1902(e)(4) of the Act	4.	Newborn children born on or after October 1, 1984 to a woman who is eligible as medically needy and is receiving Medicaid on the date of the child's birth. The child is deemed to have applied and been found eligible for Medicaid on the date of birth and remains eligible for one year so long as the woman remains eligible or would remain eligible if she were pregnant and the child is a member of the woman's household.
42 CFR 435.308	5. ☐ a.	Financially eligible individuals who are not described in section C.3.above and who are under the age of-- ___ 21 ___ 20 ___ 19 ___ 18 or under age 19 who are full-time students in a secondary school or in the equivalent of vocational or technical training
	☐ b.	Reasonable classification of financially eligible individuals under the ages of 21, 20, 19, or 18 as specified below:
	___ (1)	Individuals for whom public agencies are assuming full or partial financial responsibility and who are:
	___ (a)	In foster homes(and are under the age of ____).
	___ (b)	In private institutions (and under the age of ____).

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered

C. Optional Coverage of Medically Needy (Continued)

___ (c) In addition to the group under b.(1)(a) and(b),individuals placed in foster homes or private institutions by private, nonprofit agencies (and are under the age of ____).

___ (2) Individuals in adoptions subsidized in full or part by a public agency (who are under the age of ____).

___ (3) Individuals in NFs (who are under the age of ____). NF services are provided under this plan.

___ (4) In addition to the group under b)(3), individuals in ICFs/MR (who are under the age of ____).

___ (5) Individuals receiving active treatment as inpatients in psychiatric facilities or programs (who are under the age of ____). Inpatient psychiatric services for individuals under age 21 are provided under this plan.

___ (6) Other defined groups (and ages), as specified in Supplement 1 of ATTACHMENT 2.2-A.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	C.	Optional Coverage of Medically Needy (Continued)
42 CFR 435.310	☐	6. Caretaker relatives.
42 CFR 435.320 and 435.330	☐	7. Aged individuals
42 CFR 435.322 and 435.330	☐	8. Blind individuals.
42 CFR 435.324 and 435.330	☐	9. Disabled individuals.
42 CFR 435.326	☐	10. Individuals who would be ineligible if they were not enrolled in an HMO. Categorically needy individuals are covered under 42 CFR 435.212 and the same rules apply to medically needy individuals.
435.340		11. Blind and disabled individuals who: a. Meet all current requirements for Medicaid eligibility except the blindness or disability criteria; b. Were eligible as medically need in December 1973 as blind or disabled; and c. For each consecutive month after December 1973 continue to meet the December 1973 eligibility criteria.

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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
	C.	Optional Coverage of Medically Needy (Continued)
1906 of the Act	12.	Individuals required to enroll in cost effective employer-based group health plans remain eligible for a minimum enrollment period of _____ months.

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State: South Carolina

REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY FOR MEDICARE PRESCRIPTION DRUG LOW-INCOME SUBSIDIES

Agency	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
1935(a) and 1902(a)(66)	The agency provides for making Medicare prescription drug Low Income Subsidy determinations under Section 1935(a) of the Social Security Act.	
42 CFR 423.774 and 423.904	1.	The agency makes determinations of eligibility for premium and cost-sharing subsidies under and in accordance with section 1860D-14 of the Social Security Act;
	2.	The agency provides for informing the Secretary of such determinations in cases in which such eligibility is established or redetermined;
	3.	The agency provides for screening of individuals for Medicare cost-sharing described in Section 1905(p)(3) of the Act and offering enrollment to eligible individuals under the State plan or under a waiver of the State plan.

Citation	Groups Covered
	B. Optional Groups Other Than the Medically Needy (Continued)
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XXI)	
1902(ii)	☒ Individuals (men and women) who are *not* pregnant and whose income does not exceed the State established income standard of 185% of the Federal Poverty Level. This amount does not exceed the highest income limit for pregnant women in this State Plan, which is 185% of the Federal Poverty Level.
	☐ In determining eligibility for this group, the State considers only the income of the applicant or recipient.
	☒ In determining eligibility for this group, the State will exclude parental income for minors under age 18, consistent with the methodology described on page 1 of Supplement 8a to Attachment 2.6 of the State Plan.
1920C	**Presumptive Eligibility for Family Planning:**
	☐ The State provides a period of presumptive eligibility for family planning services to individuals determined by a qualified entity, based on preliminary information from the individual, described in the group the State has elected to make eligible under the above option. The period of presumptive eligibility ends on the earlier of the date a formal determination of Medicaid eligibility is made under 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XXI), or, when no application has been filed, the last day of the month following the month during which the qualified entity determines the individual presumptively eligible.
	☐ In addition to family planning services, the State covers family planning-related services to such individuals during the period of presumptive eligibility.

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State South Carolina

REASONABLE CLASSIFICATIONS OF INDIVIDUALS UNDER
THE AGE OF 21, 20, 19, AND 18

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State/Territory: South Carolina

Method for Determining Cost Effectiveness of Caring for Certain Disabled Children at Home

On an annual basis, each recipient's expenditures will be measured against the cost of care in an institution to ensure that home care is more cost effective than institutional care.

For each recipient the cost of home care services to the Medicaid program must be no greater than the costs that would be incurred if the recipient were placed in an institution which meets the recipient's needs.