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DATE: February 22, 2023

TO: NJ FamilyCare Eligibility Determining Agencies

SUBJECT: Income Eligibility Standards Effective January 1, 2023

The Federal Poverty Level (FPL) guidelines for 2023 were announced and posted online via the electronic version of the Federal Register. Attached is the new income standards chart for all NJ FamilyCare programs. These new standards are retroactively effective January 1, 2023 for all programs.

Eligibility determining agencies shall immediately review all cases that would otherwise have been denied as a result of any income increases. No action is required for those cases that remain eligible under the new income standards.

It is important that any Plan A or Plan ABP cases found to be newly eligible shall be accreted to the eligibility file with an effective date of January 1, 2023, or the date of application, whichever is later. Additionally, any NJ FamilyCare Plan B cases that may now qualify for Plan A coverage also need to be eligible retroactive to January 1, 2023. Please be sure to advise the beneficiary of the change in coverage and change in Medicaid Eligibility Identification Number, when applicable.

If you have any questions regarding this Medicaid Communication, please refer them to the Division's Office of Eligibility field service staff member for your agency at 609-588-2556.

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DMAHS INCOME STANDARDS EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2023

Variances due to rounding may occur.

HH	100% of the Federal Poverty Level		MAGI - AFDC Medicaid - A		Medicaid Special - A		Children's Medicaid- A 107% FPL		Single Adults & Parents ABP 133% FPL		Single Adults & Parents- ABP 138% FPL*	
	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly
1	\$ 14,580	\$ 1,215	\$ 2,776	\$ 233	\$ 6,108	\$ 509	\$ 15,601	\$ 1,301	\$ 19,392	\$ 1,616	\$ 20,121	\$ 1,677
2	19,720	1,644	5,052	421	9,660	805	21,101	1,759	26,228	2,186	27,214	2,268
3	24,860	2,072	6,096	508	11,892	991	26,601	2,217	33,064	2,756	34,307	2,859
4	30,000	2,500	7,020	585	14,004	1,167	32,100	2,675	39,900	3,325	41,400	3,450
5	35,140	2,929	7,896	658	16,068	1,339	37,600	3,134	46,737	3,895	48,494	4,042
6	40,280	3,357	8,748	729	18,096	1,508	43,100	3,592	53,573	4,465	55,587	4,633
7	45,420	3,785	9,540	795	20,076	1,673	48,600	4,050	60,409	5,035	62,680	5,224
8	50,560	4,214	10,308	859	22,032	1,836	54,100	4,509	67,245	5,604	69,773	5,815
+1	5,140	429	756	63	1,944	162	5,500	459	6,837	570	7,094	592
HH	Children's Medicaid MCHIP - A 142% FPL		Children's Medicaid MCHIP - A 147% FPL*		CHIP Children - B 150% FPL		CHIP Children - C 185% FPL		Newborns & Pregnant Women - A 194% FPL		Newborns and Pregnant Women - A 199% FPL*	
	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly
1	\$ 20,704	\$ 1,726	\$ 21,433	\$ 1,787	\$ 21,870	\$ 1,823	\$ 26,973	\$ 2,248	\$ 28,286	\$ 2,358	\$ 29,015	\$ 2,418
2	28,003	2,334	28,989	2,416	29,580	2,465	36,482	3,041	38,257	3,189	39,243	3,271
3	35,302	2,942	36,545	3,046	37,290	3,108	45,991	3,833	48,229	4,020	49,472	4,123
4	42,600	3,550	44,100	3,675	45,000	3,750	55,500	4,625	58,200	4,850	59,700	4,975
5	49,899	4,159	51,656	4,305	52,710	4,393	65,009	5,418	68,172	5,681	69,929	5,828
6	57,198	4,767	59,212	4,935	60,420	5,035	74,518	6,210	78,144	6,512	80,158	6,680
7	64,497	5,375	66,768	5,564	68,130	5,678	84,027	7,003	88,115	7,343	90,386	7,533
8	71,796	5,983	74,324	6,194	75,840	6,320	93,536	7,795	98,087	8,174	100,615	8,385
+1	7,299	609	7,556	630	7,710	643	9,509	793	9,972	831	10,229	853
HH	CHIP Pregnant Women - A Plan First - Family Planning CHIP Children - C 200% FPL		CHIP Pregnant Women - A Plan First - Family Planning 205% FPL*		CHIP Children - D NJ Workability - A BCC - A 250% FPL		CHIP Children - D 300% FPL		CHIP Children - D 350% FPL		CHIP Children - D 355% FPL*	
	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Annual	Monthly
1	\$ 29,160	\$ 2,430	\$ 29,889	\$ 2,491	\$ 36,450	\$ 3,038	\$ 43,740	\$ 3,645	\$ 51,030	\$ 4,253	\$ 51,759	\$ 4,314
2	39,440	3,287	40,426	3,369	49,300	4,109	59,160	4,930	69,020	5,752	70,006	5,834
3	49,720	4,144	50,963	4,247	62,150	5,180	74,580	6,215	87,010	7,251	88,253	7,355
4	60,000	5,000	61,500	5,125	75,000	6,250	90,000	7,500	105,000	8,750	106,500	8,875
5	70,280	5,857	72,037	6,004	87,850	7,321	105,420	8,785	122,990	10,250	124,747	10,396
6	80,560	6,714	82,574	6,882	100,700	8,392	120,840	10,070	140,980	11,749	142,994	11,917
7	90,840	7,570	93,111	7,760	113,550	9,463	136,260	11,355	158,970	13,248	161,241	13,437
8	101,120	8,427	103,648	8,638	126,400	10,534	151,680	12,640	176,960	14,747	179,488	14,958
+1	10,280	857	10,537	879	12,850	1,071	15,420	1,285	17,990	1,500	18,247	1,521
HH	Medically Needy		Medicaid Only/ SSI - A		New Jersey Care... Special Medicaid Programs - A 100% FPL**		SLMB 120% FPL		Medicaid Only -MLTSS + Amounts may be adjusted in July or October			
	Monthly	Resource	Monthly	Resource	Monthly	Resource	Monthly	Resources	Medicaid "Cap"		\$ 2,742	
1	\$ 367	\$ 4,000	\$ 945.25	\$ 2,000	\$ 1,215	\$ 4,000	\$ 1,458	\$ 9,090	Community Spouse Maintenance Allowance+		\$ 2,288.75	
2	434	6,000	1,396.35	3,000	1,644	6,000	1,972	13,630	Spousal Housing Allowance+		\$ 686.63	
3	567	6,100			QMB Only 100% FPL		SLMB QI-1 135% FPL		Utility Allowance+		\$ 730	
4	659	6,200			Monthly	Resources	Monthly	Resources	Maximum Home Equity Limit		\$ 1,033,000	
5	742	6,300			\$ 1,215	\$ 9,090	\$ 1,641	\$ 9,090	Community Spouse Resources	Minimum	\$ 29,724	
6	825	6,400			1,644	13,630	2,219	13,630		Maximum	\$ 148,620	

*5% MAGI Related Disregard

** New Jersey Care...Special Medicaid Program Resource Limits Only Apply to Aged, Blind and Disabled Programs