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Our Reference: SPA LA 13-0049-MM1

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Attn: Darlene Adams
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Dear Ms. Kennedy:

We have reviewed the proposed amendment to your Medicaid State Plan submitted under Transmittal Number 13-0049-MM1. This MAGI state plan submitted in the Medicaid Model Data Lab (MMDL) converts the Louisiana State Plan eligibility groups to the new MAGI-Based eligibility groups in accordance with the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA).

Transmittal Number 13-0049-MM1 is approved with an effective date of January 1, 2014 as requested. A copy from the MMDL of the HCFA-179, Transmittal No. 13-0049-MM1 dated December 27, 2013 is enclosed along with the approved plan pages.

If you have any questions, please contact Ford Blunt III at ford.blunt@cms.hhs.gov or by phone at (214) 767-6381.

Sincerely,

Bill Brooks
Associate Regional Administrator

Enclosures

Medicaid State Plan Eligibility: Summary Page (CMS 179)

State/Territory

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Please enter the Transmittal Number (TN) in the format ST-YY-0000 where ST= the state abbreviation, YY = the last two digits of the submission year, and 0000 = a four digit number with leading zeros. The dashes must also be entered.

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Federal Statute/Regulation Citation**Federal Budget Impact**

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Second Year	\$	

Subject of Amendment**Governor's Office Review**

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Describe:

Signature of State Agency Official

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AFDC Income Standards

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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 standard by region

Remove Region

Name of region

Urban Areas

Description

East Baton Rouge, Jefferson, Orleans, and St. Bernard Parishes

	Household size	Standard (\$)	
+	1	128	X
+	2	213	X
+	3	285	X
+	4	348	X
+	5	410	X
+	6	469	X
+	7	524	X
+	8	582	X

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+	9	638	X
+	10	692	X
+	11	751	X
+	12	809	X
+	13	868	X
+	14	928	X
+	15	989	X
+	16	1,053	X
+	17	1,107	X
+	18	1,174	X

Additional incremental amount

☒ Yes ☐ No

Increment amount \$

Remove Region

Name of region

Rural Areas

Description

All Parishes not listed as Urban

	Household size	Standard (\$)	
+	1	121	X
+	2	197	X
+	3	267	X
+	4	329	X
+	5	389	X
+	6	445	X
+	7	502	X
+	8	560	X
+	9	614	X

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+	10	669	X
+	11	726	X
+	12	784	X
+	13	846	X
+	14	907	X
+	15	967	X
+	16	1,028	X
+	17	1,087	X
+	18	1,147	X

Additional incremental amount

☒ Yes ☐ No

Increment amount \$

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Add Region

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

☐ Yes ☒ No

AFDC Payment Standard in Effect As of July 16, 1996

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☐ Standard varies by living arrangement
☐ Standard varies in some other way

Enter the standard by region

Name of region

Urban Areas

Description

East Baton Rouge, Jefferson, Orleans, and St. Bernard Parishes

Remove Region

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	Household size	Standard (\$)	
+	1	72	X
+	2	138	X
+	3	190	X
+	4	234	X
+	5	277	X
+	6	316	X
+	7	352	X
+	8	391	X
+	9	427	X
+	10	462	X
+	11	501	X
+	12	540	X
+	13	580	X
+	14	620	X
+	15	662	X
+	16	707	X
+	17	741	X
+	18	789	X

Additional incremental amount

☒ Yes ☐ No

Increment amount \$

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Remove Region

Name of region

Rural Areas

Description

All Parishes not listed as Urban

	Household size	Standard (\$)
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Medicaid Eligibility

+	1	66	X
+	2	123	X
+	3	174	X
+	4	217	X
+	5	259	X
+	6	296	X
+	7	334	X
+	8	373	X
+	9	408	X
+	10	444	X
+	11	482	X
+	12	521	X
+	13	564	X
+	14	606	X
+	15	647	X
+	16	689	X
+	17	729	X
+	18	771	X

Additional incremental amount

☒ Yes ☐ No

Increment amount \$

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Add Region

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

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The standard is as follows:

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

Enter the standard by region

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Name of region

Urban Areas

Description

East Baton Rouge, Jefferson, Orleans, and St. Bernard Parishes

	Household size	Standard (\$)	
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+	18	1,174	X

Additional incremental amount

☒ Yes ☐ No

Increment amount \$

Remove Region

Name of region

Rural Areas

Description

All Parishes not listed as Urban

	Household size	Standard (\$)	
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+	17	1,087	X
+	18	1,147	X

Additional incremental amount

☒ Yes ☐ No

Increment amount \$

85

Add Region

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

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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

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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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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

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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MAGI-equivalent TANF payment standard

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The standard is as follows:

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



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The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

☐ Yes ☐ No

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Eligibility Groups - Mandatory Coverage Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives

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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):

☒ 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):

☒ 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 this group

☒ 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.

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

An attachment is submitted.

☒ Maximum income standard

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- ☒ 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: %
- ☒ 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
- ☐ The state's AFDC payment standard in effect as of July 16, 1996, not converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard. The standard is described in S14 AFDC Income Standards.



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- ☐ The state's TANF payment standard, not 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, 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 income standard in-between the minimum and the maximum standards allowed.

The amount of the income standard for this eligibility group is:

- ☒ A percentage of the federal poverty level: %
- ☐ A dollar amount

☒ 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 Pregnant Women

S28

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

The minimum income standard for this eligibility group is 133% 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.



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- ☐ 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: % FPL

☒ 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.

☒ There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

☒ 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.

☒ 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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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

The minimum income standard for infants under age one is 133% 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.

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☐ 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

☒ 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.

The amount of the income standard for infants under one is: % FPL

☒ Income standard for children age one through age five, inclusive

☒ Minimum income standard

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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: % 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.

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☐ 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

Enter the amount of the maximum income standard: % FPL

☒ Income standard chosen

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

The amount of the income standard for children age six through eighteen is: % FPL

- ☒ 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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Eligibility Groups - Mandatory Coverage	S32
Adult Group	
1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VIII) 42 CFR 435.119	
The state covers the Adult Group as described at 42 CFR 435.119. <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	

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Eligibility Groups - Mandatory Coverage Former Foster Care Children	S33
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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 any 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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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage	S50
Individuals above 133% FPL	
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. <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage	S51
Optional Coverage of Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives	
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. <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	

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

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

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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 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

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☒ 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

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☐ 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.

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- 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: %

- ☒ 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



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☒ 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:

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- ☐ A percentage of the federal poverty level: %

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☐ 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

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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	
+	Pregnant teens	Pregnant teens	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.](#)

Pregnant teens

☒ 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.



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☐ 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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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage

Children with Non IV-E Adoption Assistance

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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

☒ There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage Optional Targeted Low Income Children

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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:

212 % 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: % 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. <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The state attests that it operates this eligibility group in accordance with the following provisions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individuals qualifying under this eligibility group must meet the following criteria:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Are infected with tuberculosis.<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Are not otherwise eligible for mandatory coverage under the Medicaid state plan.<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Have household income under a standard established by the state.<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MAGI-based income methodologies are used in calculating household income. Please refer as necessary to S10 MAGI-Based Income Methodologies, completed by the state.<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Income standard used for this group<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Maximum income standard First indicate the maximum income standard that <u>could be</u> used for this group and then indicate the income standard the state uses for the group. The state elects to convert the effective income level for coverage of this eligibility group in effect in the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010 and December 31, 2013 to MAGI-equivalent standards. <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No The state's maximum income standard for this eligibility group is:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input checked="" type="radio"/> The break-even point for earned income under the SSI program.<input type="radio"/> The effective income level for this eligibility group under the Medicaid state plan in effect as of March 23, 2010, not converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard.<input type="radio"/> The effective income level for this eligibility group under the Medicaid state plan in effect as of December 31, 2013, not converted to a MAGI-equivalent standard.<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Income standard chosen The state's income standard used for this eligibility group is:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="radio"/> The maximum income standard.<input type="radio"/> If not chosen as the maximum income standard, the break-even point for earned income under the SSI program.<input checked="" type="radio"/> Another income standard less than the maximum standard allowed.	

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The amount of the income standard is:

☒ A percentage of the federal poverty level: %

☐ A dollar amount

- ☒ Individuals qualifying under this group are eligible only for the following services, provided the service is related to the diagnosis, treatment or management of the individual's tuberculosis.
 - ☒ Prescribed drugs, described in 42 CFR 440.120
 - ☒ Physician services, described in 42 CFR 440.50
 - ☒ Outpatient hospital and rural health clinic described in 42 CFR 440.20 and Federally-qualified health center services
 - ☒ Laboratory and x-ray services (including services to confirm the presence of the infection), described in 42 CFR 440.30
 - ☒ Clinic services, described in 42 CFR 440.90
 - ☒ Case management services defined in 42 CFR 440.169
 - ☒ Services other than room and board designed to encourage completion of regimens of prescribed drugs by out-patients, including services to observe directly the intake of prescription drugs.
- ☒ Limitations related to tuberculosis-related services may be found in the Benefits section.

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage Independent Foster Care Adolescents

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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

☒ 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 under the following age

☒ Under age 21

☐ Under age 20

☐ Under age 19

☒ Were in foster care under the responsibility of a state on their 18th birthday.

☒ Are not eligible and enrolled for mandatory coverage under the Medicaid state plan.

☒ Have household income at or below a 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.

The state covered 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.

☒ Yes ☐ No

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

☒ Yes ☐ No

☒ The state covers children under this eligibility group, as follows (selection may not be more restrictive than the coverage in the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010 until October 1, 2019, nor more liberal than the most liberal coverage 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):

☒ All children under the age selected

☐ A reasonable classification of children under the age selected:

☒ Income standard used for this eligibility group

☒ 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.

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☒ 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

☒ No income test was used (all income was disregarded) for this eligibility group 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 eligibility group is no income test (all income is disregarded).

☒ Income standard chosen

Individuals qualify under this eligibility group under the following income standard:

This eligibility group does not use an income test (all income is disregarded).

☒ There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage Individuals Eligible for Family Planning Services	S59
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. <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	

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