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SECTION 3 - SERVICES: GENERAL PROVISIONS

Citation

42 CFR Part 440,
Subpart B, 1902(a),
1902(e), 1905(a),
1905(p), 1915, 1920,
and 1925 of the Act.

3.1 Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services

(a) Medicaid is provided in accordance with the requirements of 42 CFR Part 440, Subpart B and sections 1902(a), 1902(e), 1905(a), 1905(p), 1915, 1920, and 1925 of the Act

(1) Categorically needy.

Services for the categorically needy are described below and in ATTACHMENT 3.1-A. These services include:

- (i) Each item or service listed in section 1905(a)(1) through (5) and (21) of the Act, is provided as defined in 42 CFR Part 440, Subpart A, or, for EPSDT services, section 1905@ and 42 CFR Part 441, Subpart B.
- (ii) Nurse-midwife services listed in section 1905(a)(17) of the Act, are provided to the extent that nurse-midwives are authorized to practice under State law or regulation and without regard to whether the services are furnished in the area of management of the care of mothers and babies throughout the maternity cycle. Nurse-midwives are permitted to enter into independent provider agreements with the Medicaid agency without regard to whether the nurse-midwife is under the supervision of, or associated with, a physician or other health care provider.

Not applicable. Nurse-midwives are not authorized to practice in this State.

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Citation
1902(e)(5) of the Act

3.1(a)(1)

Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services:
Categorically Needy (Continued)

1902(a)(10), clause
(VII) of the matter
following (E) of the
Act

(iii)

Pregnancy-related, including family planning services, and postpartum services for a 60 day period (beginning on the day the pregnancy ends) and any remaining days in the month in which the 60th day falls are provided to women who, while pregnant, were eligible for, applied for, and received medical assistance on the day the pregnancy ends.



(iv)

Services for medical conditions that may complicate the pregnancy (other than pregnancy-related or postpartum services) are provided to pregnant women.

(v)

Services related to pregnancy (including prenatal, delivery, postpartum, and family planning services) and to other conditions that may complicate pregnancy are the same services provided to poverty level pregnant women eligible under the provision of sections 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IV) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) of the Act.

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Citation 3.1(a)(1) Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services:
Categorically Needy (Continued)

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| 1902(e)(7) of the Act | (vi) | Home health services are provided to individuals entitled to nursing facility services as indicated in item 3.1(b) of this plan. |
| 1902(e)(9) of the Act | (vii) | Inpatient services that are being furnished to infants and children described in section 1902(1)(1)(B) through (D), or section 1905(n)(2) of the Act on the date the infant or child attains the maximum age for coverage under the approved State plan will continue until the end of the stay for which inpatient services are furnished. |
| 1902(a)(52) and 1925 of the Act | <input type="checkbox"/> | (viii) Respiratory care services are provided to ventilator dependent individuals as indicated in item 3.1 (h) of this plan. |
| 1905(a)(23) and 1929 | (ix) | Services are provided to families eligible under section 1925 of the Act as indicated in item 3.5 of this plan. |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | (x) Home and Community Care for Functionally Disabled Elderly Individuals, as defined, described and limited in Supplement 2 to Attachment 3.1-A and Appendices A-G to Supplement 2 to Attachment 3.1-A. |

ATTACHMENT 3.1-A identifies the medical and remedial services provided to the categorically needy, specifies all limitations on the amount, duration and scope of those services, and lists the additional coverage (that is in excess of established service limits) for pregnancy-related services and services for conditions that may complicate the pregnancy.

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Citation 3.1(a)(1) Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services: Categorically Needy
(Continued)

1905(a)(26)
and 1934 (xi) Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) services, as
described and limited in Supplement 3 to Attachment 3.1-A.

ATTACHMENT 3.1-A identifies the medical and remedial services provided to the categorically needy. (Note: Other programs to be offered to Categorically Needy beneficiaries would specify all limitations on the amount, duration and scope of those services. As PACE provides services to the frail elderly population without such limitation, this is not applicable for this program. In addition, other programs to be offered to Categorically Needy beneficiaries would also list the additional coverage -that is in excess of established service limits- for pregnancy-related services for conditions that may complicate the pregnancy. As PACE is for the frail elderly population, this also is not applicable for this program.)

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Citation 3.1 Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services (Cont'd)

42 CFR Part 440,
Subpart B

(a)(2) Medically needy.

This State plan covers the medically needy. The services described below and in ATTACHMENT 3.1-B are provided.

Services for the medically needy include:

1902(a)(10)(C)(iv) of
the Act,
42 CFR 440.220

(i) If services in an institution for mental diseases (42 CFR 440.140 and .160) or an intermediate care facility for the mentally retarded (or both) are provided to any medically needy group, then each medically needy group is provided either the services listed in section 1905(a)(1) through (5) and (17) of the Act, or seven of the services listed in section 1905(a)(1) through (20). The services are provided as defined in 42 CFR Part 440, Subpart A and in sections 1902, 1905, and 1915 of the Act.

Not applicable with respect to nurse-mid-wife services under section 1905(a)(17). Nurse-midwives are not authorized to practice in this State.

1902(e)(5) of the Act

(ii) Prenatal care and delivery services for pregnant women.

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Citation

3.1(a)(2) Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services: Medically
Needy (Continued)

(iii) Pregnancy-related, including family planning services, and postpartum services for a 60-day period (beginning on the day the pregnancy ends) and any remaining days in the month in which the 60th day falls are provided to women who, while pregnant, were eligible for, applied for, and received medical assistance on the day the pregnancy ends.

(iv) Services for any other medical condition that may complicate the pregnancy (other than pregnancy-related and postpartum services) are provided to pregnant women.

(v) Ambulatory services, as defined in ATTACHMENT 3.1-B for recipients under age 18 and recipients entitled to institutional services.

Not applicable with respect to recipients entitled to institutional services; the plan does not cover those services of the medically needy.

(vi) Home health services to recipients entitled to nursing facility services as indicated in item 3.1(b) of this plan.

42 CFR 440.140,
440.150, 440.160
Subpart B, 442.441
Subpart C, 1902
(a)(20) and (21) of the
Act

(vii) Services in an institution for mental diseases for individuals over 65.

(viii) Services in an intermediate care facility for the mentally retarded.

(ix) Inpatient psychiatric services for individuals under age 21.

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Citation 3.1(a)(2) Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services: Medically
Needy (Continued)

1902(e) (9) of Act

(x) Respiratory care services are provided to ventilator dependent individuals as indicated in item 3.1(h) of this plan.

1905(a) (23) and 1929
of the Act

(xi) Home and Community care for Functionally Disabled Elderly Individuals, as defined, described and limited in Supplement 2 to Attachment 3.1-A and Appendices A-G to Supplement 2 to Attachment 3.1-A.

ATTACHMENT 3.1-B identifies the services provided to each covered group of the medically needy; specifies all limitations on the amount, duration, and scope of those items; and specifies the ambulatory services provided under this plan and any limitations on them. It also lists the additional coverage (that is in excess of established service limits) for pregnancy-related services and services for conditions that may complicate the pregnancy.

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Citation 3.1(a)(2) Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services: Medically Needy
(Continued)

1905(a)(26)
and 1934 (xii) Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) services, as
described and limited in Supplement 3 to Attachment 3.1-A.

ATTACHMENT 3.1-B identifies services provided to each covered group of the medically needy. (Note: Other programs to be offered to Medically Needy beneficiaries would specify all limitations on the amount, duration and scope of those services. As PACE provides services to the frail elderly population without such limitation, this is not applicable for this program. In addition, other programs to be offered to Medically Needy beneficiaries would also list the additional coverage -that is in excess of established service limits- for pregnancy-related services for conditions that may complicate the pregnancy. As PACE is for the frail elderly population, this also is not applicable for this program.)

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3.1 Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services (Continued)

1902(a)(10)(E)(i) and clause (VIII) of the matter following (F), and 1905(p)(3) of the Act.

(a)(3) Other Required Special Groups: Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries

Medicare cost sharing for qualified Medicare beneficiaries described in section 1905(p) of the Act is provided only as indicated in item 3.2 of this plan.

1902(a)(10)(E)(ii) and 1905(s) of the Act.

(a)(4)(i) Other Required Special Groups: Qualified Disabled and Working Individuals

1902(a)(10)(E)(iii) and 1905(p)(3)(A)(ii) of the Act

Medicare Part A premiums for qualified disabled and working individuals described in section 1902(a)(10)(E)(ii) of the Act are provided as indicated in item 3.2 of this plan.

1902(a)(10)(E)(iv)(I), 1905(p)(3)(A)(ii), and 1933 of the Act.

(ii) Other Required Special Groups: Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiaries

Medicare Part B premiums for specified low-income Medicare beneficiaries described in section 1902(a)(10)(E)(iii) of the Act are provided as indicated in item 3.2 of this plan.

(iii) Other Required Special Groups: Qualifying Individuals - 1

Medicare Part B premiums for qualifying individuals described in Section 1902(a)(10)(E)(iv)(I) and subject to section 1933 of the Act are provided as indicated in item 3.2 of this plan.

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Citation 3.1 Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services (Continued)

1902(a)(10)(E)(iv)(II)
1905(p)(3)(A)(iv)(II),
1905(p)(3)of the Act

(iv) Other Required Special Groups: Qualifying
Individuals - 2

1925 of the Act

The portion of the amount of increase to the Medicare Part B premium attributable to the Home Health provisions for qualifying individuals described in section 1902(A)(10)(E)(iv) (II) and subject to section 1933 of the Act are provided as indicated in item 3.2 of this plan.

(a)(5) Other Required Special Groups: Families Receiving
Extended Medicaid Benefits

Extended Medicaid benefits for families described in section 1925 of the Act are provided as indicated in item 3.5 of this plan.

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Citation 3.1 Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services (Continued)

Sec. 245A(h) of the
Immigration and
Nationality Act

(a)(6) Limited Coverage for Certain Aliens

- (i) Aliens granted lawful temporary resident status under section 245A of the Immigration and Nationality Act who meet the financial and categorical eligibility requirements under the approved State Medicaid plan are provided the services covered under the plan if they--
- (A) Are aged, blind or disabled individuals as defined in section 1614(a)(1) of the Act;
- (B) Are children under 18 years of age; or
- (C) Are Cuban or Haitian entrants as defined in section 501(e)(1) and (2)(A) of P.L. 96-422 in effect on April 1, 1983.
- (ii) Except for emergency services and pregnancy-related services, as defined in 42 CFR 447.53(b) aliens granted lawful temporary resident status under section 245A of the Immigration and Nationality Act who are not identified in items 3.1(a)(6)(i)(A) through (C) above, and who meet the financial and categorical eligibility requirements under the approved State plan are provided services under the plan no earlier than five years from the date the alien is granted lawful temporary resident status.

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Citation

3.1 (a)(6) Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services: Limited Coverage for Certain Aliens (Continued)

1902(A) and 1903(v)
of the Act

(iii) Aliens who are not lawfully admitted for permanent residence or otherwise permanently residing in the United States under color of law who meet the eligibility conditions under this plan, except for the requirement for receipt of AFDC, SSI, or a State supplementary payment, are provided Medicaid only for care and services necessary for the treatment of an emergency medical condition (including emergency labor and delivery) as defined in section 1903(v)(3) of the Act.

1905(a)(9) of the Act

(a)(7) Homeless Individuals.

Clinic services furnished to eligible individuals who do not reside in a permanent dwelling or do not have a fixed home or mailing address are provided without restrictions regarding the site at which the services are furnished.

1902(a)(47) and 1920
of the Act

(a)(8) Presumptively Eligible Pregnant Women

Ambulatory prenatal care for pregnant women is provided during a presumptive eligibility period if the care is furnished by a provider that is eligible for payment under the State plan.

42 CFR 441.55, 50
FR 43654,
1902(a)(43),
1905(a)(4)(B), and
1905(r) of the Act

(a)(9) EPSDT Services

The Medicaid agency meets the requirements of sections 1905(a)(43), 1905(a)(4)(B), and 1905(r) of the Act with respect to early and periodic screening, diagnostic, and treatment (EPSDT) services.

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Citation 3.1 (a)(9) Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services: EPSDT Services (Continued)

42 CFR 441.60

- The Medicaid agency has in effect agreements with continuing care providers. Described below are the methods employed to assure the providers' compliance with their agreements.

42CFR 440.240 and
440.250

(a)(10) Comparability of Services

Except for those items or services for which sections 1902(a) and 1902(a)(10), 1903(v), 1915 and 1925 of the Act, 42CFR 440.250, and section 245A of the Immigration and Nationality Act, permit exceptions:

1902(a), 1902 (a)(10),
1902(A)(52), 1903(v),
1915(g), and
1925(b)(4) of the Act

- (i) Services made available to the categorically needy are equal in amount, duration, and scope for each categorically needy person
- (ii) The amount, duration, and scope of services made available to the categorically needy are equal to or greater than those made available to the medically needy.
- (iii) Services made available to the medically needy are equal in amount, duration, and scope for each person in a medically needy coverage group.
- (iv) Additional coverage for pregnancy-related services and services for conditions that may complicate the pregnancy are equal for categorically and medically needy.

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Citation 42 CFR Part 440, Subpart B & 42 CFR 441.15 (AT-78-90 & AT-80-34)

3.1 Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services: EPSDT Services (Continued)

b. Home health services are provided in accordance with the requirements of 42 CFR 441.15.

- 1. Home health services are provided to all categorically needy individuals 21 years of age or over.
- 2. Home health services are provided to all categorically needy individuals under 21 years of age.

- Yes
- Not applicable. The State plan does not provide for skilled nursing facility services for such individuals.

3. Home health services are provided to the medically needy:

- Yes, to all
- Yes, to individuals age 21 or over; SNF services are provided
- Yes, to individuals under age 21; SNF services are provided.
- No; SNF services are not provided.
- Not applicable; the medically needy are not included under this Plan.

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Citation 3.1 Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services: (Continued)

42 CFR 431.53 (c)(1) Assurance of Transportation

Provision is made for assuring necessary transportation of recipients to and from providers. Methods used to assure such transportation are described in ATTACHMENT 3.1-D.

42 CFR 483.10 (c)(2) Payment for Nursing Facility Services

The State includes in nursing facility services at least the items and services specified in 42 CFR 483.10 (c)(8)(i).

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TITLE XIX

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CITATION: 42 CFR 440.260 (AT-78-90)

3.1 Amount, Duration And Scope Of Services (Continued)

d. Methods And Standards To Assure Quality Of Services

The standards established and the methods used to assure high quality care are described in ATTACHMENT 3.1-C.

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TITLE XIX

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CITATION: 42 CFR 441.20 (AT-78-90)

3.1 Amount, Duration And Scope Of Services (Continued)

e. Family Planning Services

The requirements of 42 CFR 441.20 are met regarding freedom from coercion or pressure of mind and conscience, and freedom of choice of method to be used for family planning.

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Citation

3.1 (f) (1)

Optometric Services

42 CFR 441.30
AT-78-90

Optometric services (other than those provided under §§435.531 and 436.531) are not now but were previously provided under the plan. Services of the type an optometrist is legally authorized to perform are specifically included in the term "physicians' services" under this plan and are reimbursed whether furnished by a physician or an optometrist

Yes.

No. The conditions described in the first sentence apply but the term "physicians' services" does not specifically include services of the type an optometrist is legally authorized to perform.

Not applicable. The conditions in the first sentence do not apply.

1903(i)(1) of the Act,
P.L. 99-272 (Section
9507)

(2)

Organ Transplant Procedures

Organ transplant procedures are provided.

No.

Yes. Similarly situated individuals are treated alike and any restriction on the facilities that may, or practitioners who may, provide those procedures is consistent with the accessibility of high quality care to individuals eligible for the procedures under this plan. Standards for the coverage of organ transplant procedures are described at ATTACHMENT 3.1-E.

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Citation

42 CFR 431.110(b)
AT-78-90
1902(e)(9) of the Act,
P.L. 99-509 (Section
9408)

3.1 (g) Participation by Indian Health Service Facilities

Indian Health Service facilities are accepted as providers, in accordance with 42 CFR 431.110(b), on the same basis as other qualified providers.

(h) Respiratory Care Services for Ventilator-Dependent Individuals

Respiratory care services, as defined in section 1902(e)(9)(C) of the Act, are provided under the plan to individuals who--

(1) Are medically dependent on a ventilator for life support at least six hours per day;

(2) Have been so dependent as inpatients during a single stay or a continuous stay in one or more hospitals, SNFs or ICFs for the lesser of--

30 consecutive days;

___ days (the maximum number of inpatient days allowed under the State plan);

(3) Except for home respiratory care, would require respiratory care on an inpatient basis in a hospital, SNF, or ICF for which Medicaid payments would be made;

(4) Have adequate social support services to be cared for at home; and

(5) Wish to be cared for at home.

Yes. The requirements of section 1902(e)(9) of the Act are met.

Not applicable. These services are not included in the plan.

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3.2 Coordination of Medicaid with Medicare and Other Insurance

1902(a)(10)(E)(i) and
1905(p)(l) of the Act

(a) Premiums

(1) Medicare Part A and Part B

(i) Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB)

The Medicaid agency pays Medicare Part A premiums (if applicable) and Part B premiums for individuals in the QMB group defined in Item A.25 of ATTACHMENT 2.2-A, through the group premium payment arrangement, unless the agency has a Buy-in agreement for such payment, as indicated below.

Buy-In agreement for:

Part A Part B

The Medicaid agency pays premiums, for which the beneficiary would be liable, for enrollment in an HMO participating in Medicare.

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<u>Citation</u>	3.1 <u>Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services (Continued)</u>
1902(a)(10)(E)(ii) and 1905(s) of the Act	<p>(ii) <u>Qualified Disabled and Working Individual (QDWI)</u></p> <p>The Medicaid agency pays Medicare Part A premiums under a group premium payment arrangement, subject to any contribution required as described in <u>ATTACHMENT 4.18-E</u>, for individuals in the QDWI group defined in item A.26 of <u>ATTACHMENT 2.2-A</u> of this plan.</p>
1902(a)(10)(E)(iii) and 1905(p)(3)(A)(ii) of the Act	<p>(iii) <u>Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary (SLMB)</u></p> <p>The Medicaid agency pays Medicare Part B premiums under the State buy-in process for individuals in the SLMB group defined in item A.27 of <u>ATTACHMENT 2.2-A</u> of this plan.</p>
1902(a)(10)(E)(iv)(I), 1905(p)(3)(A)(ii), and 1933 of the Act	<p>(iv) <u>Qualifying Individual - 1 (QI-1)</u></p> <p>The Medicaid agency pays Medicare Part B premiums under the State buy-in process for individuals described in section 1902(a)(10)(E)(iv)(I) and subject to section 1933 of the Act.</p>
1902(a)(10)(E)(iv)(II), 1905(p)(3)(A)(ii), and 1933 of the Act	<p>(v) <u>Qualifying Individual - 2 (QI-2)</u></p> <p>The Medicaid agency pays the portion of the amount of increase to the Medicare Pan B premium attributable to the Home Health Provision to the individuals described in section 1902(a)(10)(E)(iv)(II) and subject to section 1933 of the Act.</p>

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Citation

1843(b) and 1905(a)
of the Act and 42
CFR 431.625

3.1 Amount, Duration, and Scope of Services (Continued)

(vi) Other Medicaid Recipients

The Medicaid agency pays Medicare Part B premiums to make Medicare Part B coverage available to the following individuals:

- All individuals who are: (a) receiving benefits under titles I, IV-A, X, XIV, or XVI (AABD or SSI); (b) receiving State supplements under title XVI; or (c) within a group listed at 42 CFR 431.625(d)(2).
- Individuals receiving title II or Railroad Retirement benefits.
- Medically needy individuals (FFP is not available for this group).

1902(a)(30) and
1905(a) of the Act

(2) Other Health Insurance

- The Medicaid agency pays insurance premiums for medical or any other type of remedial care to maintain a third party resource for Medicaid covered services provided to eligible individuals (except individuals 65 years of age or older and disabled individuals, entitled to Medicare Part A but not enrolled in Medicare Part B).

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(1) Medicare Part A and B

1902(a)(30), 1902(n),
1905 (a), and 1916 of
the Act

Supplement 1 to ATTACHMENT 4.19-B describes the methods and standards for establishing payment rates for services covered under Medicare, and/or the methodology for payment of Medicare deductible and coinsurance amounts, to the extent available for each of the following groups.

Sections 1902
(a)(10)(E)(i) and
1905(p)(3) of the Act

(i) Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries (QMBs)

The Medicaid agency pays Medicare Part A and Part B deductible and coinsurance amounts for QMBs (subject to any nominal Medicaid copayment) for all services available under Medicare.

1902(a)(10),
1902(a)(30), and
1905(a) of the Act

(ii) Other Medicaid Recipients

The Medicaid agency pays for Medicaid services also covered under Medicare and furnished to recipients entitled to Medicare (subject to any nominal Medicaid copayment). For services furnished to individuals who are described in section 3.2(a)(1)(iv), payment is made as follows:

42 CFR 431.625

For the entire range of services available under Medicare Part B.

Only for the amount, duration, and scope of services otherwise available under this plan.

1902(a)(10),
1902(a)(30), 1905(a),
and 1905(p) of the
Act

(iii) Dual Eligibility--QMB plus

The Medicaid agency pays Medicare Part A and Part B deductible and coinsurance amounts for all services available under Medicare and pays for all Medicaid services furnished to individuals eligible as both QMBs and categorically or medically needy (subject to any nominal Medicaid copayment).

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Citation

Condition or Requirement

1906 of the Act

(c) Premiums, Deductibles, Coinsurance and Other Cost Sharing Obligations

1902(a)(10) (F) of the Act

The Medicaid agency pays all premiums, deductibles, coinsurance and other cost sharing obligations for items and services covered under the State plan (subject to any nominal Medicaid copayment) for eligible individuals in employer-based cost-effective group health plans.

When coverage for eligible family members is not possible unless ineligible family members enroll, the Medicaid agency pays premiums for enrollment of other family members when cost-effective. In addition, the eligible individual is entitled to services covered by the State plan which are not included in the group health plan. Guidelines for determining cost effectiveness are described in section 4.22(h).

(d) The Medicaid agency pays premiums for individuals described in item 19 of Attachment 2.2-A.

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CITATION: 42 CFR 441.101 & 42 CFR 431.620(c) and (d) (AT-79-29)

3.3 Medicaid For Individuals Age 65 Or Over In Institutions For Mental Diseases

Medicaid is provided for individuals 65 years of age or older who are patients in institutions for mental diseases.

- Yes. The requirements of 42 CFR Part 441, Subpart C, and 42 CFR 431.620(c) and (d) are met.
- Not applicable. Medicaid is not provided to aged individuals in such institutions under this Plan.

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3.4 Special Requirements Applicable To Sterilization Procedures

All requirements of 42 CPR Part 441, Subpart F are met.

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1902(a)(52) and 1925
of the Act

3.5 Families Receiving Extended Medicaid Benefits

(a) Services provided to families during the first 6-month period of extended Medicaid benefits under Section 1925 of the Act are equal in amount, duration, and scope to services provided to categorically needy AFDC recipients as described in ATTACHMENT 3.1-A (or may be greater if provided through a caretaker relative employer's health, insurance plan).

(b) Services provided to families during the second 6-month period of extended Medicaid benefits under section 1925 of the Act are--

Equal in amount, duration, and scope to services provided to categorically needy AFDC recipients as described in ATTACHMENT 3.1-A (or may be greater if provided through a caretaker relative employer's health insurance plan).

Equal in amount, duration, and scope to services provided to categorically needy AFDC recipients, (or may be greater if provided through a caretaker relative employer's health insurance plan) minus any one or more of the following acute services:

Nursing facility services (other than services in an institution for mental diseases) for individuals 21 years of age or older.

Medical or remedial care provided by licensed practitioners.

Home health services.

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3.5 Families Receiving Extended Medicaid Benefits
(Continued)

- Private duty nursing services.
- Physical therapy and related services.
- Other diagnostic, screening, preventive, and rehabilitation services.
- Inpatient hospital services and nursing facility services for individuals 65 years of age or over in an institution for mental diseases.
- Intermediate care facility services for the mentally retarded.
- Inpatient psychiatric services for individuals under age 21.
- Hospice services.
- Respiratory care services,
- Any other medical care and any other type of remedial care recognized under State law and specified by the Secretary.

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3.5 Families Receiving Extended Medicaid Benefits
(Continued)

- (c) The agency pays the family's premiums, enrollment fees, deductibles, coinsurance, and similar costs for health plans offered by the caretaker's employer as payments for medical assistance--
 1st 6 months 2nd 6 months
- The agency requires caretakers to enroll in employers' health plans as a condition of eligibility.
 1st 6 months 2nd 6 months
- (d) (1) The Medicaid agency provides assistance to families during the second 6-month period of extended Medicaid benefits through the following alternative methods:
- Enrollment in the family option of an employer's health plan.
- Enrollment in the family option of a State employee health plan.
- Enrollment in the State health plan for the uninsured.
- Enrollment in an eligible health maintenance organization (HMO) with a prepaid enrollment of less than 50 percent Medicaid recipients (except recipients of extended Medicaid).

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3.5 Families Receiving Extended Medicaid Benefits
(Continued)

Supplement 2 to ATTACHMENT 3.1-A specifies and describes the alternative health care plan(s) offered, including requirements for assuring that recipients have access to services of adequate quality.

(2) The agency--

- (i) Pays all premiums and enrollment fees imposed on the family for such plan(s).
- (ii) Pays all deductibles and coinsurance imposed on the family for such plan(s).

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- Enrollment in an eligible health maintenance organization (HMO) that has an enrollment of less than 50 percent of Medicaid recipients who are not recipients of extended Medicaid.

Supplement 2 to ATTACHMENT 3.1-A specifies and describes the alternative health care plan(s) offered, including requirements for assuring that recipients have access to services of adequate quality.

- (2) The agency -
- (i) Pays all premiums and enrollment fees imposed on the family for such plan(s).
- (ii) Pays all deductibles and coinsurance imposed on the family for such plan(s).

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Sec 1905(o)(3) of the
Act. (Sec 6408(c) of
P.L. 101-239 and Sec
4705 of P.L. 101-508)

3.8 Additional Amounts for Nursing Facility Residents

When hospice care is furnished to an individual residing in a nursing facility, the hospice is paid an additional amount on routine home care and continuous home care days to take into account the room and board furnished by the facility. The additional amount paid to the hospice on behalf of an individual residing in a nursing facility equals at least 95 percent of the per diem rate that would have been paid to the nursing facility for that individual in that facility under this State Plan.

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1902(a)(54)
1903(i)(10)
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(s. 4401)

3.9 Reimbursement for Prescribed Drugs

The State meets all requirements applicable to
reimbursement for prescribed drugs.

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