

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State: VERMONT

MORE LIBERAL METHODS OF TREATING INCOME UNDER SECTION 1902(r)(2) OF
THE ACT*

Section 1902 (f) Non-Section 1902 (f) State

From January 1 until April 1, the Department will disregard the difference between its estimated Federal poverty levels (FPLs) and the currently approved FPLs as published in the Federal Register. Effective April 1, the Department will issue a second increase if the actual FPLs exceed its estimate. If the department's estimated FPLs issued January 1 are higher than the actual FPLs, the department will continue to disregard the difference between its estimated FPLs and the ones published in the Federal Register.

~~For pregnant women eligible (at 185 percent of the poverty guideline) under 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) and 1902(a)(1)(1)(A):~~

~~(1) — Disregard income in the amount of 15 percent of the federal poverty level for the size family involved as revised annually in the Federal Register.~~

~~For infants eligible (at 185 percent of the poverty guideline) under 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) and 1902(a)(1)(1)(B):~~

~~(1) — Disregard income in the amount of 40 percent of the federal poverty level for the size family involved as revised annually in the Federal Register.~~

~~For children ages one through five eligible (at 133 percent of the poverty guideline) under 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VI):~~

~~(1) — Disregard income in the amount of 92 percent of the federal poverty level for the size family involved as revised annually in the Federal Register.~~

~~For children age six or more, born after September 30, 1983, eligible (at 100 percent of the poverty guideline) under 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VII):~~

~~(1) — Disregard income in the amount of 125 percent of the federal poverty level for the size family involved as revised annually in the Federal Register.~~

~~For qualified children eligible (using AFDC income requirements) under 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III):~~

~~(1) — Disregard income in the amount of the difference between 100 percent of the AFDC payment standard and 225 percent of the federal poverty level for the size family involved as revised annually in the Federal Register.~~

For spouses of working disabled individuals eligible (at 250 percent of the poverty guideline) under 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XIII):

(1) Disregard all income of the working disabled spouse.

For working disabled individuals eligible (at 250 percent of the poverty guideline) under 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XIII):

- (1) Disregard all Social Security Disability Insurance benefits (SSDI), including, if applicable, Social Security retirement benefits automatically converted from SSDI.
- (2) Disregard all veteran's disability benefits.

Annotated

(3) If married, disregard all income of the working disabled individual's spouse.

*More liberal methods may not result in exceeding gross income limitations under section 1903(f).

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