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**DIVISION OF MEDICAID & CHILDREN'S HEALTH - REGION VI**

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August 25, 2014

Our Reference: SPA TX 14-0002 MM1

Ms. Kay Ghahremani  
State Medicaid/CHIP Director  
Health and Human Services Commission  
Post Office Box 13247  
Mail Code H100  
Austin, Texas 78711

Dear Ms. Ghahremani:

We have reviewed the State's proposed amendment to the Texas State Plan submitted under Transmittal Number 14-0002 MM1, dated March 31, 2014. This state plan amendment establishes that the State is using federally required modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) methodology for determining Medicaid eligibility criteria for children, parents and caretakers, pregnant women, and individuals under age 21 who were formerly under Texas conservatorship. The State also provides coverage for children receiving non IV-E adoption assistance and those in certain reasonable classifications for which the income test for eligibility determinations was eliminated based on state plan policies in effect before this year.

The amendment also indicates that the State does not opt to cover the adult group for otherwise ineligible adults under age 65 or the groups for individuals only eligible for family planning services or tuberculosis-related services.

The state plan amendment also establishes the Former Foster Care Children's group, which provides Medicaid for former foster care children ages 18 up to 26, in accordance with Social Security Act § 1902 (a) (10) (A) (i) (IX).

Based on the information submitted, we have approved the amendment for incorporation into the official Texas State Plan with an effective date change of January 1, 2014. A copy of the CMS-179 and approved plan pages are enclosed with this letter.

If you have questions, please contact Cheryl Rupley at (214) 767-6278.

Sincerely,



Bill Brooks  
Associate Regional Administrator

cc: Becky Brownlee, Policy Development Support

**Medicaid State Plan Eligibility: Summary Page (CMS 179)****State/Territory name:** Texas**Transmittal Number:***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.*

TX-14-0002

**Proposed Effective Date**

01/01/2014

(mm/dd/yyyy)

**Federal Statute/Regulation Citation**

This submission includes a large number of citations. See templates for statute/regulation citation information.

**Federal Budget Impact**

	Federal Fiscal Year	Amount
First Year	2014	\$ 142004194.79
Second Year	2015	\$ 464683540.49

**Subject of Amendment**

The proposed amendments establish that the state is using federally required modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) methodology for determining Medicaid eligibility for children, parents and caretakers, pregnant women, and individuals under age 21 who were formerly under Texas conservatorship. The state also provides coverage for non IV-E adoption assistance and coverage to certain individuals under age 21 who are in certain reasonable classifications, which operate under a waiver that eliminates income tests for eligibility determinations.

The proposed amendments indicate that the state does not opt to provide Medicaid for childless adults under age 65, family planning services, and tuberculosis-only services.

Federal law also requires the state to establish the Former Foster Care Children's (FFCC) program, which provides Medicaid for former foster care children ages 18 to 25 who aged out of foster care while in Texas's conservatorship at age 18 or older and were receiving Medicaid when they aged out of foster care, in accordance with Social Security Act §1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IX), 42 U.S.C. §1396a(a)(10)(A)(i)(IX).

**Governor's Office Review** Governor's office reported no comment Comments of Governor's office received

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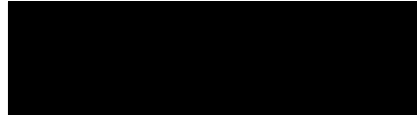
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Sent to Governor's Office this date. Comments, if any, will be forwarded upon receipt.

**Signature of State Agency Official**

<b>Submitted By:</b>	<b>Ashley Fox</b>
<b>Last Revision Date:</b>	<b>Aug 19, 2014</b>
<b>Submit Date:</b>	<b>Mar 31, 2014</b>



Printed Name and Title: BILL BROOKS  
Associate Regional Administrator  
Division of Medicaid & Children's Health

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OMB Control Number 0938-1148

OMB Expiration date: 10/31/2014

**AFDC Income Standards** **S14**

Enter the AFDC Standards below. All states must enter:

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

Entry of other standards is optional.

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

**Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option** **S13a**

The standard is as follows:

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

Enter the standard by living arrangement

Remove Living Arrangement

Name of living arrangement

Description

One Parent/Caretaker

	Household size	Standard (\$)	
+	1	103	X
+	2	196	X
+	3	230	X
+	4	277	X
+	5	310	X
+	6	356	X
+	7	389	X
+	8	441	X

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<b>+</b>	9	476	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	10	527	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	11	562	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	12	613	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	13	648	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	14	700	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	15	734	<b>X</b>

Additional incremental amount

Yes     No

Increment amount \$

**Remove Living Arrangement**

Name of living arrangement

Description

	Household size	Standard (\$)	
<b>+</b>	1		<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	2	161	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	3	251	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	4	285	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	5	332	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	6	367	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	7	412	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	8	447	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	9	500	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	10	535	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	11	587	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	12	622	<b>X</b>

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<b>+</b>	13	675	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	14	710	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	15	762	<b>X</b>

Additional incremental amount  
 Yes    No  
 Increment amount \$

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

Yes    No

## AFDC Payment Standard in Effect As of July 16, 1996

### Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option S13a

The standard is as follows:

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

#### Enter the standard by living arrangement

Name of living arrangement:       Description:

	Household size	Standard (\$)	
<b>+</b>	1	78	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	2	163	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	3	188	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	4	226	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	5	251	<b>X</b>

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<b>+</b>	6	288	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	7	313	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	8	356	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	9	382	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	10	425	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	11	451	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	12	494	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	13	520	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	14	563	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	15	589	<b>X</b>

Additional incremental amount

Yes     No

Increment amount \$

**Remove Living Arrangement**

Name of living arrangement

Description

	Household size	Standard (\$)	
<b>+</b>	1		<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	2	125	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	3	206	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	4	231	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	5	268	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	6	294	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	7	330	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	8	356	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	9	399	<b>X</b>

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<b>+</b>	10	425	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	11	468	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	12	494	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	13	537	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	14	563	<b>X</b>
<b>+</b>	15	606	<b>X</b>

Additional incremental amount  
 Yes    No  
 Increment amount \$

**Add Living Arrangement**

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year  
 Yes    No

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

### Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option S13a

The standard is as follows:

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

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year  
 Yes    No

## AFDC Need Standard in Effect As of July 16, 1996

### Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option S13a

The standard is as follows:

- Statewide standard
- Standard varies by region
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Standard varies in some other way

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

Yes  No

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

### Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option

S13a

The standard is as follows:

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

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

Yes  No

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

### Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option

S13a

The standard is as follows:

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

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

Yes  No

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## TANF payment standard

### Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option

S13a

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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

## MAGI-equivalent TANF payment standard

### Income Standard Entry - Dollar Amount - Automatic Increase Option

S13a

The standard is as follows:

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

The dollar amounts increase automatically each year

- Yes
- No

### PRA Disclosure Statement

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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):

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

Definition of domestic partner:

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

Description of other relatives:

A person meets the relationship requirement if the person is by law, marriage, or adoption a child's father or mother; grandparent, to the degree of a "great, great, great" grandparent; brother or sister; uncle or aunt, to the degree of a "great, great" uncle or aunt; first cousin; nephew or niece, to the degree of a "great, great" nephew or niece; stepfather or stepmother; stepbrother or stepsister; or first cousin once removed.

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

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

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

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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

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:

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- 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

There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

Presumptive Eligibility

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

- Yes     No

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## Eligibility Groups - Mandatory Coverage S28

### Pregnant Women

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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)  
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**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

The presumptive period begins on the date the determination is made.

The end date of the presumptive period is the earlier of:

The date the eligibility determination for regular Medicaid is made, if an application for Medicaid is filed by the last day of the month following the month in which the determination of presumptive eligibility is made; or

The last day of the month following the month in which the determination of presumptive eligibility is made, if no application for Medicaid is filed by that date.

There may be no more than one period of presumptive eligibility per pregnancy.

A written application must be signed by the applicant or representative.

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Yes  No

- The state uses a single application form for Medicaid and presumptive eligibility, approved by CMS.
- The state uses a separate application form for presumptive eligibility, approved by CMS. A copy of the application form is included.

**An attachment is submitted.**

- The presumptive eligibility determination is based on the following factors:
  - The woman must be pregnant
  - Household income must not exceed the applicable income standard at 42 CFR 435.116.
  - State residency
  - Citizenship, status as a national, or satisfactory immigration status
- The state uses qualified entities, as defined in section 1920A of the Act, to determine eligibility presumptively for this eligibility group.

## List of Qualified Entities

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A qualified entity is an entity that is determined by the agency to be capable of making presumptive eligibility determinations based on an individual's household income and other requirements, and that meets at least one of the following requirements. Select one or more of the following types of entities used to determine presumptive eligibility for this eligibility group:

- Furnishes health care items or services covered under the state's approved Medicaid state plan and is eligible to receive payments under the plan
- Is authorized to determine a child's eligibility to participate in a Head Start program under the Head Start Act
- Is authorized to determine a child's eligibility to receive child care services for which financial assistance is provided under the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 1990
- Is authorized to determine a child's eligibility to receive assistance under the Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC) under section 17 of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966
- Is authorized to determine a child's eligibility under the Medicaid state plan or for child health assistance under the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)
- Is an elementary or secondary school, as defined in section 14101 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 8801)
- Is an elementary or secondary school operated or supported by the Bureau of Indian Affairs
- Is a state or Tribal child support enforcement agency under title IV-D of the Act
- Is an organization that provides emergency food and shelter under a grant under the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act
- Is a state or Tribal office or entity involved in enrollment in the program under Medicaid, CHIP, or title IV-A of the Act

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- Is an organization that determines eligibility for any assistance or benefits provided under any program of public or assisted housing that receives Federal funds, including the program under section 8 or any other section of the United States Housing Act of 1937 (42 U.S.C. 1437) or under the Native American Housing Assistance and Self Determination Act of 1996 (25 U.S.C. 4101 et seq.)
- Is a health facility operated by the Indian Health Service, a Tribe, or Tribal organization, or an Urban Indian Organization
- Other entity the agency determines is capable of making presumptive eligibility determinations:

	Name of entity	Description	
<b>+</b>	Family planning agency		<b>X</b>

- The state assures that it has communicated the requirements for qualified entities, at 1920A(b)(3) of the Act,  and has provided adequate training to the entities and organizations involved. A copy of the training materials has been included.

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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

Enter the amount of the maximum income standard:  % FPL

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Income standard chosen

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

- The maximum income standard

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

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

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

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

Income standard for children age one through age five, inclusive

Minimum income standard

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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.
- six through eighteen to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for children age six through age eighteen.

**An attachment is submitted.**

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

- The state's highest effective income level for coverage of children age six through eighteen under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VII) (mandatory poverty level-related children age six through eighteen) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- The state's highest effective income level for coverage of children age six through eighteen under sections 1931 (low-income families), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) (qualified children), 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VII) (mandatory poverty level-related children age six through eighteen) and 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) (institutionalized children), in effect under the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- The state's effective income level for any population of children age six through eighteen under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- The state's effective income level for any population of children age six through eighteen under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.
- 133% FPL

Income standard chosen

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

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The maximum income standard

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

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

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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 six through eighteen under a Medicaid 1115 demonstration as of December 31, 2013, converted to a MAGI-equivalent percent of FPL.

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

There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

Presumptive Eligibility

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

Yes  No

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<b>Eligibility Groups - Mandatory Coverage</b>	<b>S32</b>
<b>Adult Group</b>	
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**

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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<b>Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage</b> <b>Individuals above 133% FPL</b>	<b>S50</b>
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XX) 1902(hh) 42 CFR 435.218	
<b>Individuals above 133% FPL</b> - 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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<b>Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage</b>	<b>S51</b>
<b>Optional Coverage of Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives</b>	
42 CFR 435.220 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(I)	
<p><b>Optional Coverage of Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives</b> - 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.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes    <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</p>	

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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 as March 23, 2010 and are not less restrictive than used in the Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013 or under a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010 or December 31, 2013.

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

**Reasonable Classifications of Children S11**

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

Individuals placed in foster care homes by public agencies

Indicate the age which applies:

Under age 21  Under age 20  Under age 19  Under age 18

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

Indicate the age which applies:

Under age 21  Under age 20  Under age 19  Under age 18

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

Indicate the age which applies:

Under age 21  Under age 20  Under age 19  Under age 18

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

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- 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	
+	AFDC	Children in the community who are under the age of 18 (or under age 19 if expected to graduate by their 19th birthday and who live with relative(s)) within the Aid for Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) required degree of relationship.	Under age 19	X
+	TJJD	Children under the age of 21 who have been committed to the custody of the Texas Juvenile Justice Department.	Under age 21	X
+	Jurisdiction of juvenile court	Children ages 10 through 17 who are under the continuing jurisdiction of the juvenile court and who are placed in a setting such as a group home, a residential treatment facility, or a foster home which will permit children to receive Medicaid services.	Under age 18	X

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.

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### 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

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- 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.  
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 A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010.  
 A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013.

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

- Income standard chosen

Individuals qualify under this classification under the following income standard:

- This classification does not use an income test (all income is disregarded).  
 The minimum standard.  
 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.

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

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

(check all that apply)

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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).
- The minimum standard.
- 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.

## Individuals placed in private institutions by public agencies

Income standard used

Minimum income standard

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

Maximum income standard

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

Yes    No

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

(check all that apply)

- The Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010.
- The Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013.

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

Income standard chosen

Individuals qualify under this classification under the following income standard:

- This classification does not use an income test (all income is disregarded).
- The minimum standard.

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- 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.

## Individuals placed in private institutions by private, non-profit 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

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

(check all that apply)

- The Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010.
- The Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013.

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

#### Income standard chosen

Individuals qualify under this classification under the following income standard:

- This classification does not use an income test (all income is disregarded).
- The minimum standard.
- 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.

## AFDC

### Income standard used

#### Minimum income standard

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

Maximum income standard

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

Yes     No

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

(check all that apply)

- The Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010.
- The Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013.

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

Income standard chosen

Individuals qualify under this classification under the following income standard:

- This classification does not use an income test (all income is disregarded).
- Another income standard higher than both the minimum income standard and the effective income level for this classification in the state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI equivalent.

## TJJD

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

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

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- The Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013.

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

Income standard chosen

Individuals qualify under this classification under the following income standard:

- This classification does not use an income test (all income is disregarded).
- The minimum standard.
- 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.

## Jurisdiction of juvenile court

Income standard used

Minimum income standard

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

Maximum income standard

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

- Yes     No

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

(check all that apply)

- The Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010.
- The Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013.

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

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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.

Other Reasonable Classifications Previously Covered

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

- Yes
- No

The additional previously covered reasonable classifications to be included are:

Additional Previously Covered Reasonable Classifications Included

**Reasonable Classifications of Children** **S11**

- 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	
+	ICPC	Former foster care youth under the age of 21 who had been placed inside or outside of Texas under the Interstate Compact on the Placement of Children in accordance with Texas Family Code 162.102.	Under age 21	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).

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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

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

(check all that apply)

- The Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010.
- The Medicaid state plan as of December 31, 2013.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of March 23, 2010.
- A Medicaid 1115 Demonstration as of December 31, 2013.

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

Income standard chosen

Individuals qualify under this classification under the following income standard:

- This classification does not use an income test (all income is disregarded).
- The minimum standard.
- 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

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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

Income standard used for this eligibility group

Minimum income standard

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

Maximum income standard

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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, which must be higher than the minimum for this child's age:

- The minimum standard.
- This eligibility group 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 eligibility group in the state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI-equivalent.

There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

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<b>Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage</b>	<b>S54</b>
<b>Optional Targeted Low Income Children</b>	
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XIV) 42 CFR 435.229 and 435.4 1905(u)(2)(B)	
<p><b>Optional Targeted Low Income Children</b> - 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.</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Yes    <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</p>	

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<b>Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage</b>	<b>S55</b>
<b>Individuals with Tuberculosis</b>	
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XII) 1902(z)	
<b>Individuals with Tuberculosis</b> - 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 type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	

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**Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage** **S57**  
**Independent Foster Care Adolescents**

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:

- Individuals for whom foster care maintenance payments or independent living services were furnished under a program funded under title IV-E before the date the individual turned 18 years old.
- Other reasonable classification

Description : Individuals who were in foster care when they left the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services conservatorship on their 18th birthday or later, until they reach age 21.

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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.

Maximum income standard

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

Yes  No

The state certifies that it has submitted and received approval for its converted income standard(s) for

Independent Foster Care Adolescents to MAGI-equivalent standards and the determination of the maximum income standard to be used for individuals under this eligibility group.

An attachment is submitted.

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

The state's effective income level for independent foster care adolescents 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 independent foster care adolescents 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 independent foster care adolescents 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 independent foster care adolescents under the 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 be selected only if Under age 21 or Under age 20 was selected, **and** if the state has not elected to cover the Adult Group.

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

Other dollar amount

Income standard chosen

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

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- The minimum standard.
  - The maximum income standard.
    - If not chosen as the maximum income standard, the state's effective income level for independent foster care adolescents 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 independent foster care adolescents under a 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 independent foster care adolescents 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 independent foster care adolescents under the 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 independent foster care adolescents in the Medicaid state plan as of March 23, 2010, converted to a MAGI equivalent.
- There is no resource test for this eligibility group.

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# Medicaid Eligibility

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<b>Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage</b>	<b>S59</b>
<b>Individuals Eligible for Family Planning Services</b>	
1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XXI) 42 CFR 435.214	
<b>Individuals Eligible for Family Planning Services</b> - 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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The agency continues to apply the waiver of provisions of Part A of Title IV in effect as of July 16, 1996, submitted prior to August 22, 1996, and approved by the Secretary on or before July 1, 1997, which allows removal of the 100-hour rule for meeting the Medicaid deprivation eligibility criteria for two-parent families. Unemployment is defined as an individual working 0 hours. Underemployment is defined as an individual working, but not earning enough to make the household ineligible for Parents and Caretaker Relatives Medicaid.

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