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#### DIVISION OF MEDICAID & CHILDREN'S HEALTH OPERATIONS

July 11, 2014

Mr. Justin Senior Deputy Secretary for Medicaid 2727 Mahan Drive, MS#8 Tallahassee, Florida 32308

Re: Title XIX State Plan Amendment, FL 13-0021-MM7

Attention: April Cook

Dear Mr. Senior:

Enclosed is an approved copy of Florida's state plan amendment (SPA) 13-0021-MM7, which was originally submitted to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) on November 27, 2013. SPA 13-0021-MM7 establishes that one or more qualified hospitals are determining presumptive eligibility, and that the state is providing coverage for individuals determined presumptively eligible, in accordance with the Affordable Care Act. The SPA was approved on July 10, 2014. The effective date of this SPA is January 1, 2014.

Enclosed is a copy of the new state plan pages and attachments to be incorporated within a separate section at the back of Florida's approved state plan.

If you have any questions, please contact Etta Hawkins at 404-562-7429.

Sincerely,

//s//

Jackie Glaze
Associate Regional Administrator
Division of Medicaid & Children's Health Operations

**Enclosure** 

#### Medicaid State Plan Eligibility: Summary Page (CMS 179)

• State/Territory name:

Florida

#### 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.

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#### Proposed Effective Date

01/01/0014 (mm/dd/yyyy)

#### · Federal Statute/Regulation Citation

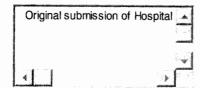
42 CFR 43

#### Federal Budget Impact

	Federal Fiscal Year	Amount
First Year	2014	\$ 117186958
Second Year	2015	\$ 129127995

#### Subject of Amendment

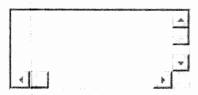
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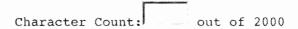
- o Governor's office reported no comment
- o Comments of Governor's office received

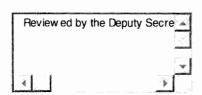
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- o No reply received within 45 days of submittal
- o Other, as specified

Describe:





#### Signature of State Agency Official

o Submitted By:

April Cook

Last Revision Date: Jul 8, 2014

Submit Date: Nov 27, 2013



#### **Medicaid Eligibility**

OMB Control Number 0938-1148

OMB Expiration date: 10/31/2014
Presumptive Eligibility by Hospitals S21
42 CFR 435.1110
One or more qualified hospitals are determining presumptive eligibility under 42 CFR 435.1110, and the state is providing Medicaid coverage for individuals determined presumptively eligible under this provision.
€ Yes CNo
☑ The state attests that presumptive eligibility by hospitals is administered in accordance with the following provisions:
A qualified hospital is a hospital that:
Participates as a provider under the Medicaid state plan or a Medicaid 1115 Demonstration, notifies the Medicaid agency of its election to make presumptive eligibility determinations and agrees to make presumptive eligibility determinations consistent with state policies and procedures.
Has not been disqualified by the Medicaid agency for failure to make presumptive eligibility determinations in accordance with applicable state policies and procedures or for failure to meet any standards that may have been established by the Medicaid agency.
Assists individuals in completing and submitting the full application and understanding any documentation requirements.
● Yes C No
The eligibility groups or populations for which hospitals determine eligibility presumptively are:
■ Pregnant Women
■ Infants and Children under Age 19
■ Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives
Adult Group, if covered by the state
■ Individuals above 133% FPL under Age 65, if covered by the state
■ Individuals Eligible for Family Planning Services, if covered by the state
Former Foster Care Children
Certain Individuals Needing Treatment for Breast or Cervical Cancer, if covered by the state
Other Family/Adult groups:
☐ Eligibility groups for individuals age 65 and over
☐ Eligibility groups for individuals who are blind
☐ Eligibility groups for individuals with disabilities
Other Medicaid state plan eligibility groups
☐ Demonstration populations covered under section 1115
The state establishes standards for qualified hospitals making presumptive eligibility determinations.

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#### **Medicaid Eligibility**

• Yes ONo

Select one or both:

The state has standards that relate to the proportion of individuals determined presumptively eligible who submit a regular application, as described at 42 CFR 435.907, before the end of the presumptive eligibility period.

During the first 18 months of enrollment as a Qualified Hospital:

- 1) An average of 90% of individuals determined to be presumptively eligible by the qualified hospital will submit a regular application before the end of the presumptive eligibility period.
- 2) Average (mean) days from date of presumptive eligibility determination to date of application submission is less than 10 calendar days.

Description of standards:

- After the first 18 months of enrollment as a Qualified Hospital (based on a quarterly review of data):
- 1) 95% of individuals determined to be presumptively eligible will submit a regular application before the end of the presumptively eligible period.
- 2) Average (mean) days from date of the presumptive eligibility determination to date of application submission is less than 10 calendar days.
- The state has standards that relate to the proportion of individuals who are determined eligible for Medicaid based on the submission of an application before the end of the presumptive eligibility period.

#### For the first 18 months:

1) An average of 90% of the individuals who submit an application before the end of the presumptive eligibility period will be determined eligible for regular Medicaid.

After the first 18 months (based on a quarterly review of the data):

1) 97% of the individuals who submit an application before the end of the presumptive eligibility period will be determined eligible for regular Medicaid.

Data Collection:

The Agency will collect basic data (number of PE requests, number of follow-up applications submitted, number of denials based on the full application) for each Qualified Hospital electing to make presumptive eligibility determinations.

Description of standards:

#### Corrective Action:

If a Qualified Hospital fails to meet the established performance standards based on the data collected, the State will notify the Qualified Hospital of the deficiencies and request that the hospital submit a corrective action plan detailing the steps that it will take to remediate the issue(s) along with a time line for completion. If the Qualified Hospital continues to fail to meet the performance standards after the completion of their corrective action plan, the State may terminate their ability to make presumptive eligibility determinations (as outlined in 42 CFR 435.1110) under the Florida Medicaid program. During, for the first 18 months of enrollment as a Qualified Hospital, the State will provide the hospitals with the opportunity to demonstrate continued improvement by establishing a lower standard (as previously described). If the Qualified Hospital fails to meet the established standards after the first 18 months of enrollment, the State will perform quarterly review of the data and will require the hospital to remediate deficiencies (as described above).

- 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

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#### **Medicaid Eligibility**

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.
Periods of presumptive eligibility are limited as follows:
No more than one period within a calendar year.
No more than one period within two calendar years.
No more than one period within a twelve-month period, starting with the effective date of the initial presumptive eligibility period.
Other reasonable limitation:
The state requires that a written application be signed by the applicant, parent or representative, as appropriate.
C Yes  No
The presumptive eligibility determination is based on the following factors:
The individual's categorical or non-financial eligibility for the group for which the individual's presumptive eligibility is being determined (e.g., based on age, pregnancy status, status as a parent/caretaker relative, disability, or other requirements specified in the Medicaid state plan or a Medicaid 1115 demonstration for that group)
Household income must not exceed the applicable income standard for the group for which the individual's presumptive eligibility is being determined, if an income standard is applicable for this group.
State residency
Citizenship, status as a national, or satisfactory immigration status
The state assures that it has communicated the requirements for qualified hospitals, and has provided adequate training to the hospitals. A copy of the training materials has been included.
An attachment is submitted.

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#### Florida Medicaid Qualified Hospital (QH) **Presumptive Eligibility** May 2014

## Florida Medicaid QH Presumptive Eligibility

elect to make presumptive eligibility (PE) determinations in accordance with federal law and state policy. Effective January 1, 2014, Florida Medicaid enrolled hospital providers may

Presumptive eligibility provides temporary Medicaid coverage for individuals who are likely to be eligible for Medicaid.

Qualified hospitals (QH) may make presumptive eligibility determinations for:

- Pregnant women
- ❖ Infants and children under age 19
- ❖ Parents and other caretaker relatives
- ❖ Former foster care children

Recipients will have immediate access to certain Medicaid covered services.

provided during the PE period. Hospitals will be reimbursed according to Medicaid policy for services





# Florida Medicaid QH Presumptive Eligibility

## I. Qualified Hospitals (QH) How to become a QH

#### II. QH Performance Goals Standards for QHs making PE determinations

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# IV. Submitting PE Approvals

How to submit PE determinations using the provider portal





# Florida Medicaid QH Presumptive Eligibility

#### I. Qualified Hospitals (QH) How to become a QH

## 

Standards for QHs making PE determinations

How to submit the determinations using the provider portal





a Qualified Hospital (QH): Hospitals must meet the following criteria to make presumptive eligibility determinations as

- Be enrolled in the Florida Medicaid program as a hospital provider (provider type
- 2 Hospitals Electing to Make Presumptive Eligibility Determinations Complete and submit the Institutional Medicaid Provider Agreement for Qualified
- documentation of these certifications in a central location determinations complete the training certification requirements and maintain Ensure all employees who are authorized to make presumptive eligibility
- 4 Make PE determinations consistent with state policies and procedures
- S supporting documentation within certain timeframes Assist individuals with submitting full Medicaid eligibility applications and
- 6 Continually meet the established performance standards





Be enrolled in the Florida Medicaid program as a hospital provider (provider type 01)

To enroll as a Florida Medicaid provider:

Visit <a href="http://mymedicaid-florida.com">http://mymedicaid-florida.com</a>

then select Enrollment select Public Information for Providers





> Complete and submit the: <u>Institutional Medicaid Provider</u> Agreement for Qualified Hospitals Electing to Make Presumptive Eligibility Determinations

A copy of the Agreement can be found at: http://ahca.myflorida.com/Medicaid/QHPE/index.shtml

Submit the signed copy to:

QH Enrollment Coordinator
Agency for Health Care Administration
2727 Mahan Drive, Mail Stop 20
Tallahassee, Florida 32308



- Be enrolled in the Florida Medicald program as a hospital provider
- Qualified Hospitals electing to make Presumptive Eligibility determination Complete and submit the Institutional Medicaid Provider Agreement for
- Ensure all employees who are authorized to make documentation of these certifications in a central location training certification requirements and maintain presumptive eligibility determinations complete the
- a. Authorized Agents
- Florida Medicaid QH Presumptive Eligibility Training
- c. Certification Requirements





## How to become a QH a- Authorized Agents

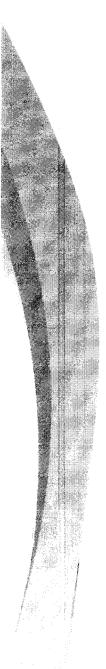
QH may designate employees to make PE determinations as Authorized Agents.

PE determinations cannot be made by:

- × non-hospital staff
- × third party vendors
- × contractors

determinations Authorized Agents must be trained and certified prior to making PE





## How to become a QH b- Florida Medicaid QH Presumptive Eligibility Training

content of this presentation: At the minimum, QH employees must review and understand the

I. Qualified Hospitals (QH)

How to become a QH

II. QH Performance Goals

Standards for QHs making PE determinations

III. Presumptive Eligibility (PE)

How to determine PE

IV. Submitting Presumptive Eligibility Determinations

How to submit PE determinations using the provider portal





## How to become a QH c- Certification Requirements

certificate to the QH manager Once training is complete, hospital employees must submit the signed training

employee PE training certificate. A QH employee is an Authorized Agent when the QH manager signs the

Authorized Agents must renew training certificates at least every 6 months.

central location. QH must maintain documentation of Authorized Agent training certificates in a





# Qualified Hospital Presumptive Eligibility Authorized Agent Training Certificate

D:	Date:	QH Manager signature:
ed by 42 CFR 435.1110) and of presumptive eligibility for	is a qualified hospital (as defined by 42 CFR 435.1110) and authority to make determinations of presumptive eligibility fo	is antsis antsauthor
	Date:	Employee signature:
etermination based on true eating, receiving, maintaining or	gs and provide an accurate determ laws and regulations when creating	will conduct all presumptive eligibility screenings and provide an accurate determination based on true answers to the best of my knowledge. will comply with appropriate federal and state laws and regulations when creating, receiving, maintaining or ransmitting confidential information.
as a qualified	disqualification of	understand that failure to comply may result in disqualification of hospital.
presumptive eligibility	and nave received authorization front in the design of the populations. and state policies for making presumand state policies for making presumand state policies.	l am currently employed by a qualified nospital and nave received authorization from the nospital to provide determinations of presumptive eligibility for Medicaid eligible populations. I agree to abide by the regulatory requirements and state policies for making presumptive eligibility determinations.
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d Hospital (QH) Presumptive	have completed the Florida Medicaid Qualified Hosp	

- Be enrolled in the Florida Medicard program as a hospital provider
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- maintain documentation of these certifications in a central location determinations complete the training certification requirements and Ensure all employees who are authorized to make presumptive eligibility
- Make determinations consistent with state eligibility policy

See III. Presumptive Eligibility (PE)





- Be enrolled in the Florida Medicaid program as a hospital provider
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- Make determinations consistent with state eligibility policy
- Assist individuals with submitting full Medicaid eligibility applications and supporting documentation within certain timetrames

# See III. Presumptive Eligibility (PE)





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## See II. QH Performance Goals





# Florida Medicaid QH Presumptive Eligibility

# II. QH Performance Goals

Standards for QHs making PE determinations





# Standards for QHs making PE determinations

determinations consistent with state policies and procedures Each QH will be granted 18 months to demonstrate the ability to make PE

The Agency sets forth the following as performance goals for QH:

- 95% of individuals determined to be presumptively eligible will submit a regular application before the end of the presumptive eligibility period.
- 90% of the individuals who submit an application before the end of the presumptive eligibility period will be determined eligible for regular Medicaid.

goals will lose QH status. progress in meeting those goals. Any QH that fails to meet corrective action Agency will work with the QH to identify corrective action goals and monitor After the initial 18 months, if the QH fails to meet performance goals, the





# Florida Medicaid QH Presumptive Eligibility

## III. Presumptive Eligibility (PE) How to determine PE

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# **Individual Applicants must:**

- ✓ Be US citizens or qualified noncitizens
- ✓ Be Florida residents
- ✓ Fall into one of the following groups:
- ☐ Pregnant women
- ☐ Infants and children under age 19
- ☐ Parents and other caretaker relatives
- ☐ Former foster care children
- ✓ Meet income eligibility requirements





# **Individual Applicants must not:**

- × Be currently enrolled in Medicaid
- × Have been determined eligible as PE in the last 12
- Be an inmate of a public institution, including care and custody of the Department of Juvenile Justice
- × Be enrolled in another state Medicaid program





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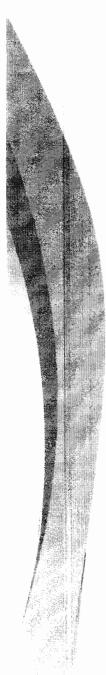
attestation for all information QH must accept individual applicant's self-



documentation to support PE determination, QH cannot ask individuals to provide including:

- medical verification of pregnancy
- birth certificate
- Social Security card





QH Authorized Agents can make PE determinations using the following steps:

- Verify applicant is not currently enrolled in Medicaid
- Determine applicant's residence and citizenship status
- 3. Determine applicant's eligibility category
- 4. Determine applicant's income eligibility
- Submit eligible applicant information and PE coverage in the Provider
- 6. Explain PE benefits and coverage span
- Provide applicant with a written notice of eligibility
- Assist applicant with completing and submitting the full Medicaid



## Medicaid ➤Verify applicant is not currently enrolled in

and Date of Service. as Recipient ID, Birth Date, Gender, Social Security Number, Recipient Name, Recipient eligibility status may be determined by using basic information such

Portal: Learn how to verify eligibility using the provider Web

http://portal.flmmis.com/FLPublic/Portals/0/StaticContent/Public/Training/Web Portal CBT Lesson 4 - Eligibility.exe





> Determine applicant's residence and citizenship status





## How to determine PE Determine applicant's residence and citizenship status

## intend to remain? Do you currently live in Florida and

**XES** Continue with determination

Ineligible





## How to determine PE Determine applicant's residence and citizenship status

#### noncitizen? Are you a US citizen or qualified

#### YES Continue with determination



#### Ineligible

https://www.healthcare.gov/immigration-status-and-the-marketplace/ Use this link to help evaluate noncitizen status:





- > Identify the applicant's eligibility category
- ☐ Parents and other caretaker relatives
- ☐ Pregnant Women
- ☐ Infants and Children under Age 19
- ☐ Former foster care children





#### Identify the applicant's eligibility category How to determine PE

#### 18? caring for a child or children under age Are you a parent or other relative

**YES** Parent or other caretaker relatives





#### How to determine PE Identify the applicant's eligibility category

**50.** 180. 180. 180. Are you a parent or other careaskor relative of dependent children No.

# Are you a pregnant woman?

YES Pregnant Women





## Identify the applicant's appropriate eligibility category How to determine PE

Are you a purent or other careaker relative of dependent children



Are you a pregnant woman?



# Are you under age 19?

Infants and Children under Age 19





## Identify the applicant's eligibility category How to determine PE



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Are you under age 197



# Are you a former foster care child?

# YES Former Foster Care Child

To qualify applicant must be under age 26 and previously enrolled in Florida Medicaid when aged out of foster care.





## Identify the applicant's eligibility category How to determine PE

categories, then the applicant is not eligible. If the applicant does not fall into any of these

children under age 18? Are you a parent or other caretaker relative of dependent

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Are you a pregnant woman?

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Are you under age 19?

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Are you a former foster care child?

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## complete: applicant is PE determination is

# > Determine the applicant's income eligibility

Determine household size



## How to determine PE Determine household size

Count the following individuals in determining household

step) Applicant + spouse + children < 19 (natural, adoptive,

If applicant is a child < 19, count:

siblings < 19 (natural, adoptive, step) Applicant + parents (natural, adoptive, and/or step) +

bables If applicant is pregnant, count the number of expected



> Determine the applicant's income eligibility

Determine total household income



## How to determine PE Determine monthly household income

taxes for individuals considered to be part of the household Monthly household income = total monthly income **before** 

### Count:

- ✓ Job income (for example, wages, salaries, self-employment)
- Other income (for example, unemployment, alimony, disability payments from Social Security)

## DO NOT count:

- Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payments
- Child support payments





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# > Determine the applicant's income eligibility

- Determine if applicant is eligible based on income





## Determine if applicant is eligible based on income How to determine PE

- Find the income standard for the applicant's eligibility category and household size on the PE Income and Deduction Chart.
- income standard: Determine if the applicant's household income is equal to or less than the

From the income standard, subtract the following:

- monthly household income,
- standard disregard (unless applicant is a child age 6-18), and
- MAGI income
- KES If the remaining income is equal to or less than the income standard, the applicant is eligible



## How to determine PE Charts and forms

## You MUST:

> Use the Presumptive Eligibility Income and Disregards each eligibility category **chart** to determine the appropriate Income standard for

## You MAY:

> Use the Presumptive Eligibility Worksheet to assist when making PE determinations





# Presumptive Eligibility Income and Disregards - Effective April 2014

438	11,644	613	11,644	525	17,509	525	16,196	978	1,601	24
421	11,194	589	11,194	505	16,832	505	15,570	940	1,539	23
404	10,744	565	10,744	485	16,155	485	14,944	902	1,477	22
387	10,294	542	10,294	464	15,479	464	14,318	864	1,415	21
370	9,844	518	9,844	444	14,802	444	13,692	826	1,353	20
353	9,394	494	9,394	424	14,125	424	13,066	788	1,291	19
336	8,944	471	8,944	404	13,449	404	12,440	750	1,229	18
319	8,494	447	8,494	383	12,772	383	11,814	712	1,167	17
302	8,044	423	8,044	363	12,095	363	11,188	674	1,105	16
286	7,594	400	7,594	343	11,419	343	10,562	636	1,043	15
269	7,144	376	7,144	322	10,742	322	9,937	598	981	14
252	6,694	352	6,694	302	10,065	302	9,311	560	919	13
235	6,244	329	6,244	282	9,389	282	8,685	522	857	12
218	5,794	305	5,794	261	8,712	261	8,059	484	795	11
201	5,344	281	5,344	241	8,035	241	7,433	446	733	10
184	4,894	258	4,894	221	7,359	221	6,807	408	671	9
167	4,444	234	4,444	200	6,682	200	6,181	371	610	8
150	3,994	210	3,994	180	6,005	180	5,555	333	549	7
133	3,544	187	3,544	160	5,329	160	4,929	296	487	6
116	3,094	163	3,094	140	4,652	140	4,303	258	426	5
99	2,644	139	2,644	119	3,975	119	3,677	221	364	4
83	2,194	116	2,194	99	3,299	99	3,051	183	303	3
66	1,744	92	1,744	79	2,622	79	2,426	146	241	2
49	1,294	68	1,294	58	1,945	58	1,800	109	180	1
Disregard	Standard	Disregard	Standard	Disregard	Standard	Disregard	Standard	Disregard	Standard	Size
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All Groups		Children		ts < 1	infants < 1	Women	Pregnant Women	aretakers	Parents & Caretakers	



Submit eligible applicant information and PE coverage in the Provider Portal

See IV. Submitting Presumptive Eligibility **Determinations** 





Explain the PE benefits and coverage span

PE Medicaid coverage ends on either: Coverage begins on the day the QH makes the PE determination

- The date the eligibility determination for full Medicaid is made by DCF,
- The last day of the following month in which the QH made the PE determination (if a full Medicaid application is not filed by the individual)
- Example: PE determined 1/2/2014. PE eligibility period 1/2/14 2/28/14. DCF determines eligibility on 2/15/14. PE ends the date of the approval or denial for full Medicaid (2/15/14).

> Provide applicant with a written notice of eligibility

made, including: QH must provide individuals with a written notice after the PE determination is

- PE approval or denial
- If approved, beginning and ending dates of the PE period, which will be determined by then extended if the individual files a Medicaid application and full eligibility is not
- application If denied, the reason for the denial and the option to submit a regular Medicaid





Assist the applicant with completing and submitting the full

Medicaid application

Applications for full Medicaid coverage can be submitted online in the DCF ACCESS System.

Instructions can be found at

http://www.myflfamilies.com/service-programs/access-florida-food-medical-assistance-cash





# How to determine PE Checklist

- ☐ 1. Verify applicant is not currently enrolled in Medicaid
- 2. Determine applicant's residence and citizenship status
- 3. Determine the applicant's eligibility category
- ☐ 4. Determine the applicant's income eligibility
- 5. Submit eligible applicant information and PE coverage in the Provider
- 1 6. Explain the PE benefits and coverage span
- ☐ 7. Provide applicant with a written notice of eligibility
- ☐ 8. Assist the applicant with completing and submitting the full Medicaid application



# Florida Medicaid QH Presumptive Eligibility

# IV. Submitting Presumptive Eligibility **Determinations**

How to submit PE determinations using the provider portal





# DCF Presumptive Eligibility



Authorized Agents must log on to FMMIS to enter the Presumptive Eligibility application. Eligibility (PE) request into the system using the DCF Presumptive





For assistance, call 850-298-7123 during normal business hours 8:00 am -5:30 pm Monday - Friday

Privacy | Disclaimer

Sign in to the Florida Medicaid

- Access your applications
- Manage your account
   Change your password

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IMPORTANT: Only enter individuals who have been determined ELIGIBLE

# DCF Presumptive Eligibility



- Authorized Agents must submit applicant eligibility using the DCF Provider View link.
- Select the DCF Presumptive Eligibility link\* to submit a PE determination request

\*link is only accessible by certified Authorized Agents



## 

For assistance, call 850-298-7123 during normal business hours 8:00 am -5:30 pm Monday - Friday

Vijaya Rani, Welcome to Florida Medicaid

Applications	
Application	Description
Account Management	Manages contact information, password, and authorizations for applications
Authorization Request	This is the Authorization Request workflow application
BAM (MO)	BAM for Model Office
BAM (UAT)	BAM (UAT)
Claim App	This application is used for debugging claim data.
Dashboard Reporting (MO)	Dashboard Reporting (MO)
Dashboard Reporting (UAT)	Dashboard Reporting for BAM UAT
DCF Presumptive	Allows access to Department of Children and Families (DCF) site to systematically submit recipient presumptive eligibility applications.
DCF Provider View	This is a link to the Department of Children and Families My ACCESS Account system to review customer Medicaid coverage.
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and submit an existing request. agent to add a new determination request for an applicant or continue The Presumptive Eligibility Request screen will allow the authorized

# Presumptive Eligibility Requests-

This table displays all requests that are saved but not submitted.

## Presumptive Eligibility Requests Not Submitted

02/04/2014	500000229	John Smith
02/04/2014	500000230	Kate Pearson
Date Saved by Provider	PE Request Number	Name



PE requests associated with their individual MEUPS User ID Note: Authorized Agents will only be able to view saved and un-submitted



under the *Details* column. To continue and submit a saved PE request, select the Continue link

was saved, with the most recent at the top of the page. The order of the requests will be listed based on the "Date" the request

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To avoid duplicate determination requests, Authorized Agents should review all un-submitted determination requests prior to beginning a new

one. To create a new request, select ADD from the bottom right corner.

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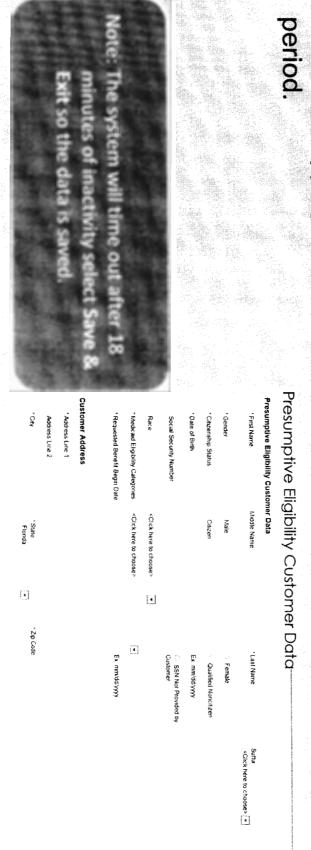
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demographic information about the recipient. On the Presumptive Eligibility Customer Data screen, enter basic

Select the appropriate Medicaid eligibility category and date of the PE



Note: Only one person can be entered on a PE request.



The Presumptive Eligibility Data screen contains the following data fields:

- First Name and Last Name \*
- Gender \*
- Citizenship Status \*
- Date of Birth \*
- Social Security Number (\*check box if SSN not provided)
- Race
- Medicaid eligibility category \*
- PE begin date \*
- Address \*
- \* Mandatory fields

is known to the FLORIDA system This information will be verified against the database to see if the individual



The Medicaid Eligibility Categories drop-down field includes the following:

\* Medicaid Eligibility Categories

<Click here to choose>

## <Click here to choose>

Children age 1 up to 19
Infants aged less than 1 year
Parent/Caretakers
Pregnant Women

Pregnant Women
Prior Foster Care individuals less than 26 years



data entered and re-access it at a later time Select the Save & Exit button on the bottom right of the screen to save the

page Saved requests will appear on the Presumptive Eligibility Request landing

Select the Next button at the bottom right of the screen once the request has been fully completed,

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📋\* The Customer Residency status and other demographics data needed for the Presumptive Eligibility determination has been established

When complete, click NEXT







may indicate where further review or information may be required If additional information is required, an error or informational message



## **Error Messages**

This symbol will appear when additional data before the request can be successfully submitted.

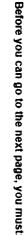
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## Informational Messages

This symbol will appear when information is highlighted prior to submission. These messages can be by-passed, however pay special attention to these messages.

Example:





Please select 'SSN Not Provided by Customer', if SSN is not available



All demographic data matched, except for Last Name.



# Error and Informational Messages may include:

- All demographic data matched. Please enter SSN if available.
- All demographic data matched, except for First Name.
- All demographic data matched, except for Gender.
- All demographic data matched, except for Date of Birth.
- All demographic data matched, except for Last Name.
- All demographic data matched, except for SSN.
- months. The customer has been approved Presumptive Eligibility within the last 12
- The customer already has active Medicaid eligibility.



Example 1:

matched in the database No Social Security Number was provided and other demographic data

appear. If a SSN is not entered on the PE request the following informational message will



All demographic data matched. Please enter the SSN if available.



## Example 2:

Social Security Number matches, but some other demographic data does not match

to continue until the data elements are updated to match the database: The following error messages will appear and the Authorized Agent will not be able



- All demographic data matched, except for First Name.
- All demographic data matched, except for Gender.
- All demographic data matched, except for Date of Birth.



Example 3:

but different Last Name Social Security Number, First Name, Gender and Date of Birth match,

entered on the request. name and the existing data for the individual will be updated with the last name The following informational message will appear if there is a discrepancy in last



All demographic data matched, except for Last Name

This is an informational message, that Authorized Agents may by-pass.



Example 4:

Birth match Social Security Number partial match, but First Name, Gender, and Date of

been entered: a SSN that is a very close match to all of the other demographics that have The following informational message will appear if the Authorized Agent enters



All demographic data matched, except for SSN.

applicable. If the SSN is not updated, the customer will be processed as a new The Authorized Agent can confirm the SSN with the customer and correct if ndividual



when the individual is not eligible 12 months in the ACCESS system. The following message will appear The data submitted is compared to PE requests submitted within the last



The applicant has been approved Presumptive Eligibility within the last

coverage and the following error message will appear. Applicants who have current, active Medicaid eligibility are ineligible for PE

The applicant already has active Medicaid eligibility.



# Entering a PE Request - Address Validation



he system will validate the address.



## Address Validation-

### Address Validation

your benefits may be delayed. The addresses that you entered are being validated through the United States Post Office. If the addresses are not valid, you may not get mail from us or

Living address:

Tallahassee FL 32303 -0000 1950 North Monroe Street

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Select this option if you would like to correct the address that you have Select this option if you want to use the standardized address

When complete, click NEXT



# Entering a PE Request — Submission Confirmation



include the following: The confirmation page for each successfully submitted PE request will

- Applicant's name
- Last 4 digits of SSN (if provided)
- Request Number (ex. 5XXXXXXXXX)
- PIN number if known to FLORIDA



**ACCESS Florida** 

SYSTEM TEST

User ID: PROVIDER

Presumptive Eligibility Request Successfully Completed—

This confirmation page is proof that Presumptive Eligibility has been completed and submitted for George XXX-XX-5555

### Important Information

request number is 500000256

Please provide this information to the customer so that he/she can keep track in his/her records

If you have questions or concerns about your Presumptive Eligibility, please contact the Authorized Agent at the facility where your eligibility was determined or contact the Flonda Medicaid Area Office in your area. http://pontal.flmmis.com/flpublic/Provider\_AreaOffices/labid/37/Default.aspx

Presumptive Eligibility is time limited. In order to determine your ongoing eligibility you must file a paper or on-line application for Medicard. You may apply





# Entering a PE Request – Submission Confirmation



applicant. Print the confirmation page in PDF format to provide a copy to the



## Presumptive Eligibility Confirmation

## Customer Information

PE Eligibility Begin Date: 2/10/2014 Date of Birth: 2/13/2000 Name: George Anne Social Security Number: XXX-XX-5555

PE Request Submitted Date: 2/20/2014

PE Request Number: 500000256

http://portal.flmmis.com/fipublic/Provider\_AreaOffices/tabid37/Default.aspx your eligibility was determined or contact the Florida Medicard Area Office in your area. If you have questions or concerns about your Presumptive Eligibility, please contact the Authorized Agent at the facility where

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### Questions, Concerns, Comments...

Please contact your local Medicaid Area Office

### AHCA Presumptive Eligibility

### 1. Introduction

- Discusses who can determine eligibility for PE and the recipients that qualify for PE.
- The steps used by the Authorized Agents to determine eligibility.
- The log in page that the Authorized Agents will use when logging in.
- Thelink to select for eligibility and the next link to enter PE request.

### 2. Processing Presumptive Eligibility Request

- Slide of what the Authorized agent will see once DCF PE link is selected.
- Opening a request that has been started and saved with slide. All request requests should be viewed and verified before a new one is generated
- Steps to create a new request
- Information needed to complete request and title of fields to enter it. Information will be verified against FLORIDA system.
- Reason for eligibility
- Explains when PE begins and ends depending on the approval of eligibility.
- Authorized Agent has to acknowledge request before submitting or save and exit
  the system to keep the entered information. The Agent can also go back to the
  previous page.
- Gives scenarios that may ask for more validation or if some fields match with existing data but discrepancies with other demographics.
- Symbols for and actual error messages to amend or to make aware of prior.
- Address validation with USPS and option to change it after being provided options.
- Conformation page and the information displayed.

### 3. PE Coverage Periods for Pending Family-Related Medicaid

- If a person applies for regular Medicaid, the system will check if there is an open PE case to determine their eligibility
- If eligible for regular Medicaid, PE will end. Regular Medicaid will not be retroactive but continue in future months. Authorization date will be current date. If ineligible for regular Medicaid, the PE will close effective the end day of current month
- Scenarios on if the person is determined eligible or ineligible for regular Medicaid.
- Open PE cases will be closed in batches once it is determined that a person is eligible or ineligible for regular Medicaid (Reason code 520 will be used)
- Persons with other benefit account cannot link those benefits to the PE

# Presumptive Eligibility Income and Disregards - Effective April 2014

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### Presumptive Eligibility Worksheet

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PE Determination Completed By

**Date Completed** 

### Instructions for Presumptive Eligibility Worksheet

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0	Applicant Name	Enter name of individual for whom presumptive eligibility is being determined.
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4	Is Applicant pregnant?	Enter Y or N to indicate whether applicant states she is pregnant.  If applicant is pregnant, enter the number of children expected to be born.  (Note: Be sure to count any unborn children when determining household size.)
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4	Countable Net Income:	Subtract item ③ from item ② and enter result.  Compare result to item ①, Income Standard for Household Size.  If item ④ is less than or equal to item ①, the individual is eligible based on income; skip to item ⑦.  If item ④ is greater than item ①, continue with item ⑤.
(5)	MAGI Disregard:	Based on the eligibility group and household size, enter the appropriate MAGI Disregard amount from the PE Income Standards and Disregards Chart.
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### **•PRESUMPTIVE ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION RESULTS**

7	Eligibility Determination:	Circle the result of the applicant's presumptive eligibility determination.
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PE Determination Completed By

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Reason:

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**Date Completed** 

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