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State Plan Amendment (SPA) #: 13-0030

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
601 East 12th Street, Suite 355
Kansas City, Missouri 64106



Division of Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

December 9, 2014

Brian Kinkade, Director
Department of Social Services
Broadway State Office Building
PO Box 1527
Jefferson City, MO 65102-1527

Dear Mr. Kinkade:

On December 31, 2013, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received Missouri's state plan amendment (SPA), transmittal #13-0030, which increases the income limit for children aged 6-18.

SPA 13-0030 was approved on December 8, 2014, with an effective date of December 31, 2013, as requested by the State. Enclosed is a copy of the CMS-179 and approved SPA page for incorporation into the Missouri Medicaid State Plan.

If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please contact Karen Hatcher or Deborah Read at (816) 426-5925.

Sincerely,

//s//

Leticia Barraza
Acting Associate Regional Administrator
for Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

Enclosure

cc: Joe Parks, M.D.

TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL		1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER: <u>13-30</u>	2. STATE Missouri
		3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT (MEDICAID)	
FOR: HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION		4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE January 1, 2014 December 31, 2013 **	
TO: REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES		5. TYPE OF PLAN MATERIAL (Check One): <input type="checkbox"/> NEW STATE PLAN ** <input type="checkbox"/> AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS NEW PLAN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AMENDMENT**	
COMPLETE BLOCKS 6 THRU 10 IF THIS IS AN AMENDMENT (Separate Transmittal for each amendment)			
6. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION: 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)		7. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT: a. FFY 13 \$0 b. FFY 14 \$0	
8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT: Supplement 8a to Attachment 2.6A, Page 6		9. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable):	
10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT: establishes Modified Adjusted Gross Income (MAGI)-equivalent standards for calculating income for infants and children under age 19 covered by MO HealthNet based on current MO HealthNet income standards. This increase in income limit is for children aged 6 -18. **			
11. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT <input type="checkbox"/> COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED <input type="checkbox"/> NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL		<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER, AS SPECIFIED:	
12. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL:		16. RETURN TO:	
13. TYPED NAME: Brian Kinkade		Alyson Campbell, Director Family Support Division P.O. Box 2320 Jefferson City, MO 65103	
14. TITLE: Acting Director, Department of Social Services			
15. DATE SUBMITTED: <u>12-31-13</u>			
FOR REGIONAL OFFICE USE ONLY			
17. DATE RECEIVED: December 31, 2013		18. DATE APPROVED: December 8, 2014	
PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED			
19. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL: December 31, 2103		20. SIGNATURE OF REGIONAL OFFICIAL: //s//	
21. TYPED NAME: Leticia Barraza		22. TITLE: Acting Associate Regional Administrator for Medicaid and Children's Health Operations	

23. REMARKS:

** Pen and Ink changes per letter and e-mail from state dated 11.26.14 and 12.04.14.

Revision: Revised 11.26.14

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Citation(s)
1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VII)

**More Liberal Methods of Treating Income
Under Section 1902 (r)(2) OF THE ACT**

Coverage of Children age six through eighteen under section 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VII) (mandatory poverty-level related children age six through eighteen) - Income above the state's net income standard of 100% federal poverty standard (as revised annually in the federal register) but that does not exceed a gross income limit of 148% of the federal poverty level for the household size is disregarded.

TN No. MS-13-30

Approval Date December 8, 2014 Effective Date 12-31-2013

Supersedes TN No. _____