

BROADCAST DMAS-16

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TO: Local directors and Medicaid staff

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SUBJECT: Medicaid – Income Limits and LTC Spousal Impoverishment Standard
Changes Effective July 1, 2017

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The income limits for Families and Children (F&C) and Aged, Blind or Disabled (ABD) Medically Needy, Low Income Families with Children (LIFC), and Individuals Under Age 21 covered groups increased effective July 1, 2017. The new income limits are attached to this broadcast.

Additionally, the following Long-term Care (LTC) Spousal Impoverishment Standards have changed effective July 1, 2017:

- The Minimum Monthly Maintenance Needs Allowance (MMMNA) is \$2,030.00.
- The Community Spouse's Monthly Housing Allowance (also known as the Excess Shelter Standard) is \$609.00.

The Virginia Case Management System (VaCMS) has been updated with these amounts.

**F&C AND ABD MEDICALLY NEEDY
INCOME LIMITS**

EFFECTIVE 7/1/17

GROUP I			GROUP II		GROUP III	
# of Persons in Family/Budget Unit	Semi-Annual Income	Monthly Income	Semi-Annual Income	Monthly Income	Semi-Annual Income	Monthly Income
1	1,867.21	311.20	2,154.48	359.08	2,800.83	466.80
2	2,377.24	396.20	2,653.01	442.16	3,376.83	562.80
3	2,800.83	466.80	3,088.08	514.68	3,806.27	634.37
4	3,159.92	526.65	3,447.20	574.53	4,165.39	694.23
5	3,519.01	586.50	3,806.27	634.37	4,524.45	754.07
6	3,878.09	646.34	4,165.36	694.22	4,883.53	813.92
7	4,237.17	706.19	4,524.45	754.07	5,242.62	873.77
8	4,668.08	778.01	4,955.35	825.89	5,601.71	933.61
9	5,098.98	849.83	5,438.00	906.33	6,122.01	1,020.33
10	5,601.71	933.61	5,888.98	981.49	6,535.34	1,089.22
Each add'l person add	482.57	80.42	482.57	80.42	482.57	80.42

LIFC INCOME LIMITS

EFFECTIVE 7/1/17

Group I

Household Size	Income Limit
1	\$245
2	373
3	474
4	575
5	678
6	764
7	862
8	965
Each additional person add	101

Group II

Household Size	Income Limit
1	\$320
2	459
3	577
4	690
5	811
6	914
7	1,024
8	1,143
Each additional person add	114

Group III

Household Size	Income Limit
1	\$483
2	646
3	791
4	928
5	1,097
6	1,220
7	1,358
8	1,501
Each additional person add	139

**INDIVIDUALS UNDER AGE 21
INCOME LIMITS**

EFFECTIVE 7/1/17

Group I

Household Size	Income Limit
1	\$234
2	363
3	465
4	564
5	664
6	745
7	843
8	946
Each additional person add	97

Group II

Household Size	
1	\$317
2	460
3	576
4	691
5	815
6	1,005
7	1,024
8	1,142
Each additional person add	112

Group III

Household Size	
1	\$422
2	566
3	686
4	802
5	948
6	1,047
7	1,160
8	1,277
Each additional person add	113