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To: Income Maintenance Supervisors
Income Maintenance Lead Workers
Income Maintenance Staff

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2018 Federal Poverty Level Changes for ForwardHealth Programs

CROSS REFERENCE

- BadgerCare Plus Eligibility Handbook, Section 48.1 BadgerCare Plus Premium Tables, and Section 50.1 Federal Poverty Level Table
- Medicaid Eligibility Handbook, Section 39.5 Federal Poverty Level Table, Section 39.10 MAPP Premiums, and Section 39.11 SeniorCare Income Limits and Participation Levels

EFFECTIVE DATE

Refer to the specific effective dates listed with the individual tables below.

PURPOSE

This Operations Memo provides local agencies with information about how to implement the 2018 federal poverty level (FPL) income guidelines for the BadgerCare Plus and Medicaid programs as well as the updated tables, effective dates, and cross references for these programs.

BACKGROUND

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services published its annual update of the Poverty Income Guidelines, also called the Federal Poverty Level Guidelines, in the Federal Register on January 18, 2018. These guidelines are available at the following website: <https://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty-guidelines>.

Income limits and other amounts used in eligibility determinations for BadgerCare Plus and certain categories of Medicaid are based on the FPL. The increase in the FPL will result in changes to the BadgerCare Plus and Medicaid income limits as specified in this Memo.

BadgerCare Plus children-only premiums are not changing. The rates for the BadgerCare Plus adult premiums for 2018 are not changing; however, due to the income limits increasing, some of the caps on BadgerCare Plus premiums will increase.

POLICY

Income limits and other amounts based on the FPL will be effective on the dates provided with each individual table. The BadgerCare Plus Eligibility Handbook and Medicaid Eligibility Handbook will be updated in the future to reflect these changes.

When ongoing cases are updated in CARES with the new income limits, the first affected benefit month will be March 2018. Workers who become aware of cases that could have benefited from the higher limits in February should redetermine eligibility with the 2018 FPL limits listed in the tables below.

BADGERCARE PLUS AND PREMIUMS

The updated BadgerCare Plus income limits (based on the 2018 FPL guidelines) are effective on February 1, 2018. As a result of the updated income limits, effective March 1, 2018, a portion of the BadgerCare Plus families who pay premiums will no longer owe premiums or will owe lower premiums for March.

The 2018 BadgerCare Plus premiums for adults and the 5 percent premium caps for children's premiums for newly eligible individuals will be effective February 1, 2018, for those individuals confirmed on or after February 1, 2018. For ongoing cases, the 2018 premiums and premium caps will not take effect until March 1, 2018, in order to meet notice requirements.

MEDICARE SAVINGS PROGRAMS, MEDICAID PURCHASE PLAN, AND COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENT DISREGARD

For Medicare Savings Program categories and Medicaid Purchase Plan (MAPP), the new income limits based on the 2018 FPL guidelines are effective February 1, 2018.

A few Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiaries may become eligible as Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries due to the increase in the income limits. The Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS) will send local agencies a report listing the people who need to have their eligibility run online and new benefits confirmed.

A few Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary Plus (SLMB+) members may become eligible as Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiaries due to the increase in the income limits. Individuals who are open under the Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary assistance group will have their eligibility redetermined using the new FPLs automatically as part of the annual FPL mass change.

A few SLMB+ members who were terminated effective January 31, 2018, because they were enrolled in full-benefit Medicaid may become eligible as a Specified Low-Income Beneficiary due to the increase in the income limits. A few individuals who applied in January and were denied SLMB+ benefits may also become eligible for SLMB due to the increased income limits. DHS will send local agencies a report listing these people who need to have their eligibility run online and new benefits confirmed.

SPOUSAL IMPOVERISHMENT COMMUNITY SPOUSE INCOME ALLOWANCE AND SPOUSAL IMPOVERISHMENT FAMILY MEMBER INCOME ALLOWANCE

Changes to the spousal impoverishment community spouse income allowance minimum allocation, shelter base amount, and spousal impoverishment family member income allowance are effective July 1, 2018. A separate Operations Memo will be issued in late spring 2018 with information about the changed amounts and the mass change that will affect July benefits.

NEW INCOME LIMITS

The following tables show the new income limits for BadgerCare Plus and specific categories of Medicaid.

QUALIFIED MEDICARE BENEFICIARY

- **Effective Date:** February 1, 2018
- **Cross Reference:** [Medicaid Eligibility Handbook, Section 39.5 Federal Poverty Level Table](#)

Group Size	2017 Limit (100%)	2018 Limit (100%)
1	\$1,005.00	\$1,011.67
2	\$1,353.33	\$1,371.67

QUALIFIED DISABLED AND WORKING INDIVIDUAL

- **Effective Date:** February 1, 2018
- **Cross Reference:** [Medicaid Eligibility Handbook, Section 39.5 Federal Poverty Level Table](#)

Group Size	2017 Limit (200%)	2018 Limit (200%)
1	\$2,010.00	\$2,023.34
2	\$2,706.66	\$2,743.34

SPECIFIED LOW-INCOME MEDICARE BENEFICIARY

- **Effective Date:** February 1, 2018
- **Cross Reference:** [Medicaid Eligibility Handbook, Section 39.5 Federal Poverty Level Table](#)

Group Size	2017 Limit (120%)	2018 Limit (120%)
1	\$1,206.00	\$1,214.00
2	\$1,624.00	\$1,646.00

SPECIFIED LOW-INCOME MEDICARE BENEFICIARY PLUS

- **Effective Date:** February 1, 2018
- **Cross Reference:** [Medicaid Eligibility Handbook, Section 39.5 Federal Poverty Level Table](#)

Group Size	2017 Limit (135%)	2018 Limit (135%)
1	\$1,356.75	\$1,365.75
2	\$1,827.00	\$1,851.75

MEDICAID PURCHASE PLAN

- **Effective Date:** February 1, 2018
- **Cross Reference:** [Medicaid Eligibility Handbook, Section 39.5 Federal Poverty Level Table](#)

Income limits for MAPP are based on 250 percent of the FPL for applicants and members. Individuals above 150 percent of the FPL may need to pay a premium in order to participate in the MAPP program.

Group Size	2017 Limit (250%)	2018 Limit (250%)	2017 MAPP Cutoff Premium Payment (150%)	2018 MAPP Cutoff Premium Payment (150%)
1	\$2,512.50	\$2,529.18	\$1,507.50	\$1,517.51
2	\$3,383.33	\$3,429.18	\$2,030.00	\$2,057.51
3	\$4,254.18	\$4,329.18	\$2,552.51	\$2,597.51
4	\$5,125.00	\$5,229.18	\$3,075.00	\$3,137.51
5	\$5,995.83	\$6,129.18	\$3,597.50	\$3,677.51
6	\$6,866.68	\$7,029.18	\$4,120.01	\$4,217.51
7	\$7,737.50	\$7,929.18	\$4,642.50	\$4,757.51
8	\$8,608.33	\$8,829.18	\$5,165.00	\$5,297.51
9	\$9,479.18	\$9,729.18	\$5,687.51	\$5,837.51
10	\$10,350.00	\$10,629.18	\$6,210.00	\$6,377.51
For each additional person	+ \$870.83	+ \$900.00	+ \$522.50	+ \$540.00

FAMILY PLANNING ONLY SERVICES AND FAMILY PLANNING ONLY SERVICES PRESUMPTIVE ELIGIBILITY

- **Effective Date:** February 1, 2018
- **Cross Reference:** [BadgerCare Plus Eligibility Handbook, Section 50.1 Federal Poverty Level Table](#)

Group Size	2018 Limit Family Planning Only Services (FPOS) and FPOS Presumptive Eligibility (306%)
1	\$3,095.71

BADGERCARE PLUS INCOME LIMITS FOR MODIFIED ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME-BASED ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATIONS

- **Effective Date:** February 1, 2018 (for applications filed on or after February 1, 2018)
- **Cross Reference:** BadgerCare Plus Eligibility Handbook, [Section 7.1.2 Health Insurance Conditions of Eligibility Under MAGI Rules](#), [Section 16.1.3 Income Under MAGI Rules](#), [Section 19.1 BadgerCare Plus Premiums](#), and [Section 25.8.1 Backdated Eligibility](#))

Group Size	2018 Limit Adults (100%)	2018 Limit Children Over Age 5 (156%)	2018 Limit Children Ages 1 to 5 (191%)	2018 Limit Children's Premium Payment Cutoff (201%)	2018 Limit Eligibility Limit for Pregnant Women and Children (306%)
1	\$1,011.67	\$1,578.21	\$1,932.29	\$2,033.46	\$3,095.71
2	\$1,371.67	\$2,139.81	\$2,619.89	\$2,757.06	\$4,197.31
3	\$1,731.67	\$2,701.41	\$3,307.49	\$3,480.66	\$5,298.91
4	\$2,091.67	\$3,263.01	\$3,995.09	\$4,204.26	\$6,400.51
5	\$2,451.67	\$3,824.61	\$4,682.69	\$4,927.86	\$7,502.11
6	\$2,811.67	\$4,386.21	\$5,370.29	\$5,651.46	\$8,603.71
7	\$3,171.67	\$4,947.81	\$6,057.89	\$6,375.06	\$9,705.31
8	\$3,531.67	\$5,509.41	\$6,745.49	\$7,098.66	\$10,806.91
9	\$3,891.67	\$6,071.01	\$7,433.09	\$7,822.26	\$11,908.51
10	\$4,251.67	\$6,632.61	\$8,120.69	\$8,545.86	\$13,010.11
For each additional person	+ \$360.00	+ \$561.60	+ \$687.60	+ \$723.60	+ \$1,101.60

SENIORCARE

- **Effective Date:** February 1, 2018
- **Cross Reference:** [Medicaid Eligibility Handbook, Section 39.11 SeniorCare Income Limits and Participation Levels](#)

Level 1 Annual Income No Greater Than 160 Percent of the Federal Poverty Level

Group Size	2017 (160%)	2018 (160%)
1	\$19,296	\$19,424
2	\$25,984	\$26,336

Level 2a Annual Income Above 160 Percent But No Greater Than 200 Percent of the Federal Poverty Level

Group Size	2017 160%–200%	2018 160%–200%
1	\$19,297 to \$24,120	\$19,425 to \$24,280
2	\$25,985 to \$32,480	\$26,337 to \$32,920

Level 2b Annual Income Above 200 Percent But No Greater Than 240 Percent of the Federal Poverty Level

Group Size	2017 200%–240%	2018 200%–240%
1	\$24,121 to \$28,944	\$24,281 to \$29,136
2	\$32,481 to \$38,976	\$32,921 to \$39,504

Level 3 Annual Income Above 240 Percent of the Federal Poverty Level

Group Size	2017 > 240%	2018 > 240%
1	\$28,945 or greater	\$29,137 or greater
2	\$38,977 or greater	\$39,505 or greater

BADGERCARE PLUS PREMIUMS

Ongoing Cases

The increase in the premium caps is effective March 1, 2018, to allow a negative notice to be sent. If eligibility needs to be determined for a case for February benefits, confirmation for BadgerCare Plus in CARES is not possible, and a manual certification is needed for newly added individuals.

New Applications

Effective February 1, 2018, the new FPL will be used to determine February benefits and forward.

Five Percent Premium Caps for Children

- **Effective Date:** February 1, 2018
- **Cross Reference:** [BadgerCare Plus Eligibility Handbook, Section 48.1.3 Five Percent Premium Caps for Children](#)

Note: Premiums for families with incomes below 300 percent are rounded down to the nearest dollar.

Group Size	201– 211%	211– 221%	221– 231%	231– 241%	241– 251%	251– 261%	261– 271%	271– 281%	281– 291%	291– 301%	301%– 306%
1	101.00	106.00	111.00	116.00	121.00	126.00	132.00	137.00	142.00	147.00	152.00
2	137.00	144.00	151.00	158.00	165.00	172.00	179.00	185.00	192.00	199.00	206.00
3	174.00	182.00	191.00	200.00	208.00	217.00	225.00	234.00	243.00	251.00	260.00
4	210.00	220.00	231.00	241.00	252.00	262.00	272.00	283.00	293.00	304.00	314.00
5	246.00	258.00	270.00	283.00	295.00	307.00	319.00	332.00	344.00	356.00	368.00
6	282.00	296.00	310.00	324.00	338.00	352.00	366.00	380.00	395.00	409.00	423.00

Group Size	201– 211%	211– 221%	221– 231%	231– 241%	241– 251%	251– 261%	261– 271%	271– 281%	281– 291%	291– 301%	301%– 306%
7	318.00	334.00	350.00	366.00	382.00	398.00	413.00	429.00	445.00	461.00	477.00
8	354.00	372.00	390.00	407.00	425.00	443.00	460.00	478.00	496.00	513.00	531.00
9	391.00	410.00	430.00	449.00	468.00	488.00	507.00	527.00	546.00	566.00	585.00
10	427.00	448.00	469.00	491.00	512.00	533.00	554.00	576.00	597.00	618.00	639.00
11	463.00	486.00	509.00	532.00	555.00	578.00	601.00	624.00	647.00	670.00	694.00
12	499.00	524.00	549.00	574.00	599.00	623.00	648.00	673.00	698.00	723.00	748.00
13	535.00	562.00	589.00	615.00	642.00	669.00	695.00	722.00	749.00	775.00	802.00
14	572.00	600.00	628.00	657.00	685.00	714.00	742.00	771.00	799.00	828.00	856.00

Premiums for Adults

- **Effective Date:** February 1, 2018
- **Cross Reference:** [BadgerCare Plus Eligibility Handbook, Section 48.1.2 Premiums for Adults](#)

Note: The tables below provide the range of premiums, based on family size and income level, for parents and caretaker relatives in BadgerCare Plus Extensions.

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
1	100.01–133%	\$1,011.68 - 1,345.52	2.0%	\$20 - 27
	133.01–139.99%	\$1,345.53 - 1,416.33	3.0%	\$40 - 42
	140–149.99%	\$1,416.34 - 1,517.50	3.5%	\$50 - 53
	150–159.99%	\$1,517.51 - 1,618.66	4.0%	\$61 - 65
	160–169.99%	\$1,618.67 - 1,719.83	4.5%	\$73 - 77
	170–179.99%	\$1,719.84 - 1,821.00	4.9%	\$84 - 89
	180–189.99%	\$1,821.01 - 1,922.16	5.4%	\$98 - 104
	190–199.99%	\$1,922.17 - 2,023.33	5.8%	\$111 - 117
	200–209.99%	\$2,023.34 - 2,124.50	6.3%	\$127 - 134
	210–219.99%	\$2,124.51 - 2,225.66	6.7%	\$142 - 149
	220–229.99%	\$2,225.67 - 2,326.83	7.0%	\$156 - 163
	230–239.99%	\$2,326.84 - 2,428.00	7.4%	\$172 - 180
	240–249.99%	\$2,428.01 - 2,529.17	7.7%	\$187 - 195
	250–259.99%	\$2,529.18 - 2,630.33	8.1%	\$205 - 213
	260–269.99%	\$2,630.34 - 2,731.50	8.3%	\$218 - 227
	270–279.99%	\$2,731.51 - 2,832.67	8.6%	\$235 - 244
	280–289.99%	\$2,832.68 - 2,933.83	8.9%	\$252 - 261
290–299.99%	\$2,933.84 - 3,035.00	9.2%	\$270 - 279	
	300%+	\$3,035.01+	9.5%	\$288+

For incomes over 300 percent of the FPL, multiply the net income times .095 and round to the nearest dollar to get the premium amount.

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
2	100.01–133%	\$1,371.68 - 1,824.32	2.0%	\$27 - 36
	133.01–139.99%	\$1,824.33 - 1,920.33	3.0%	\$55 - 58
	140–149.99%	\$1,920.34 - 2,057.50	3.5%	\$67 - 72
	150–159.99%	\$2,057.51 - 2,194.66	4.0%	\$82 - 88
	160–169.99%	\$2,194.67 - 2,331.83	4.5%	\$99 - 105
	170–179.99%	\$2,331.84 - 2,469.00	4.9%	\$114 - 121
	180–189.99%	\$2,469.01 - 2,606.16	5.4%	\$133 - 141
	190–199.99%	\$2,606.17 - 2,743.33	5.8%	\$151 - 159
	200–209.99%	\$2,743.34 - 2,880.50	6.3%	\$173 - 181
	210–219.99%	\$2,880.51 - 3,017.66	6.7%	\$193 - 202
	220–229.99%	\$3,017.67 - 3,154.83	7.0%	\$211 - 221
	230–239.99%	\$3,154.84 - 3,292.00	7.4%	\$233 - 244
	240–249.99%	\$3,292.01 - 3,429.17	7.7%	\$253 - 264
	250–259.99%	\$3,429.18 - 3,566.33	8.1%	\$278 - 289
	260–269.99%	\$3,566.34 - 3,703.50	8.3%	\$296 - 307
	270–279.99%	\$3,703.51 - 3,840.67	8.6%	\$319 - 330
	280–289.99%	\$3,840.68 - 3,977.83	8.9%	\$342 - 354
	290–299.99%	\$3,977.84 - 4,115.00	9.2%	\$366 - 379
	300%+	\$4,115.01+	9.5%	\$391+

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
3	100.01–133%	\$1,731.68 - 2,303.12	2.0%	\$35 - 46
	133.01–139.99%	\$2,303.13 - 2,424.33	3.0%	\$69 - 73
	140–149.99%	\$2,424.34 - 2,597.50	3.5%	\$85 - 91
	150–159.99%	\$2,597.51 - 2,770.66	4.0%	\$104 - 111
	160–169.99%	\$2,770.67 - 2,943.83	4.5%	\$125 - 132
	170–179.99%	\$2,943.84 - 3,117.00	4.9%	\$144 - 153
	180–189.99%	\$3,117.01 - 3,290.16	5.4%	\$168 - 178
	190–199.99%	\$3,290.17 - 3,463.33	5.8%	\$191 - 201
	200–209.99%	\$3,463.34 - 3,636.50	6.3%	\$218 - 229
	210–219.99%	\$3,636.51 - 3,809.66	6.7%	\$244 - 255
	220–229.99%	\$3,809.67 - 3,982.83	7.0%	\$267 - 279
	230–239.99%	\$3,982.84 - 4,156.00	7.4%	\$295 - 308
	240–249.99%	\$4,156.01 - 4,329.17	7.7%	\$320 - 333
	250–259.99%	\$4,329.18 - 4,502.33	8.1%	\$351 - 365
	260–269.99%	\$4,502.34 - 4,675.50	8.3%	\$374 - 388
	270–279.99%	\$4,675.51 - 4,848.67	8.6%	\$402 - 417

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
	280–289.99%	\$4,848.68 - 5,021.83	8.9%	\$432 - 447
	290–299.99%	\$5,021.84 - 5,195.00	9.2%	\$462 - 478
	300%+	\$5,195.01+	9.5%	\$494+

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
4	100.01–133%	\$2,091.68 - 2,781.92	2.0%	\$42 - 56
	133.01–139.99%	\$2,781.93 - 2,928.33	3.0%	\$83 - 88
	140–149.99%	\$2,928.34 - 3,137.50	3.5%	\$102 - 110
	150–159.99%	\$3,137.51 - 3,346.66	4.0%	\$126 - 134
	160–169.99%	\$3,346.67 - 3,555.83	4.5%	\$151 - 160
	170–179.99%	\$3,555.84 - 3,765.00	4.9%	\$174 - 184
	180–189.99%	\$3,765.01 - 3,974.16	5.4%	\$203 - 215
	190–199.99%	\$3,974.17 - 4,183.33	5.8%	\$231 - 243
	200–209.99%	\$4,183.34 - 4,392.50	6.3%	\$264 - 277
	210–219.99%	\$4,392.51 - 4,601.66	6.7%	\$294 - 308
	220–229.99%	\$4,601.67 - 4,810.83	7.0%	\$322 - 337
	230–239.99%	\$4,810.84 - 5,020.00	7.4%	\$356 - 371
	240–249.99%	\$5,020.01 - 5,229.17	7.7%	\$387 - 403
	250–259.99%	\$5,229.18 - 5,438.33	8.1%	\$424 - 441
	260–269.99%	\$5,438.34 - 5,647.50	8.3%	\$451 - 469
	270–279.99%	\$5,647.51 - 5,856.67	8.6%	\$486 - 504
	280% - 289.99%	\$5,856.68 - 6,065.83	8.9%	\$521 - 540
290% - 299.99%	\$6,065.84 - 6,275.00	9.2%	\$558 - 577	
300%+	\$6,275.01+	9.5%	\$596+	

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
5	100.01–133%	\$2,451.68 - 3,260.72	2.0%	\$49 - 65
	133.01–139.99%	\$3,260.73 - 3,432.33	3.0%	\$98 - 103
	140–149.99%	\$3,432.34 - 3,677.50	3.5%	\$120 - 129
	150–159.99%	\$3,677.51 - 3,922.66	4.0%	\$147 - 157
	160–169.99%	\$3,922.67 - 4,167.83	4.5%	\$177 - 188
	170–179.99%	\$4,167.84 - 4,413.00	4.9%	\$204 - 216
	180–189.99%	\$4,413.01 - 4,658.16	5.4%	\$238 - 252
	190–199.99%	\$4,658.17 - 4,903.33	5.8%	\$270 - 284
	200–209.99%	\$4,903.34 - 5,148.50	6.3%	\$309 - 324
	210–219.99%	\$5,148.51 - 5,393.66	6.7%	\$345 - 361
	220–229.99%	\$5,393.67 - 5,638.83	7.0%	\$378 - 395
	230–239.99%	\$5,638.84 - 5,884.00	7.4%	\$417 - 435

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
	240–249.99%	\$5,884.01 - 6,129.17	7.7%	\$453 - 472
	250–259.99%	\$6,129.18 - 6,374.33	8.1%	\$496 - 516
	260–269.99%	\$6,374.34 - 6,619.50	8.3%	\$529 - 549
	270–279.99%	\$6,619.51 - 6,864.67	8.6%	\$569 - 590
	280–289.99%	\$6,864.68 - 7,109.83	8.9%	\$611 - 633
	290–299.99%	\$7,109.84 - 7,355.00	9.2%	\$654 - 677
	300%+	\$7,355.01+	9.5%	\$699+

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
6	100.01–133%	\$2,811.68 - 3,739.52	2.0%	\$56 - 75
	133.01–139.99%	\$3,739.53 - 3,936.33	3.0%	\$112 - 118
	140–149.99%	\$3,936.34 - 4,217.50	3.5%	\$138 - 148
	150–159.99%	\$4,217.51 - 4,498.66	4.0%	\$169 - 180
	160–169.99%	\$4,498.67 - 4,779.83	4.5%	\$202 - 215
	170–179.99%	\$4,779.84 - 5,061.00	4.9%	\$234 - 248
	180–189.99%	\$5,061.01 - 5,342.16	5.4%	\$273 - 288
	190–199.99%	\$5,342.17 - 5,623.33	5.8%	\$310 - 326
	200–209.99%	\$5,623.34 - 5,904.50	6.3%	\$354 - 372
	210–219.99%	\$5,904.51 - 6,185.66	6.7%	\$396 - 414
	220–229.99%	\$6,185.67 - 6,466.83	7.0%	\$433 - 453
	230–239.99%	\$6,466.84 - 6,748.00	7.4%	\$479 - 499
	240–249.99%	\$6,748.01 - 7,029.17	7.7%	\$520 - 541
	250–259.99%	\$7,029.18 - 7,310.33	8.1%	\$569 - 592
	260–269.99%	\$7,310.34 - 7,591.50	8.3%	\$607 - 630
	270–279.99%	\$7,591.51 - 7,872.67	8.6%	\$653 - 677
	280–289.99%	\$7,872.68 - 8,153.83	8.9%	\$701 - 726
290–299.99%	\$8,153.84 - 8,435.00	9.2%	\$750 - 776	
300%+	\$8,435.01+	9.5%	\$801+	

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
7	100.01–133%	\$3,171.68 - 4,218.32	2.0%	\$63 - 84
	133.01–139.99%	\$4,218.33 - 4,440.33	3.0%	\$127 - 133
	140–149.99%	\$4,440.34 - 4,757.50	3.5%	\$155 - 167
	150–159.99%	\$4,757.51 - 5,074.66	4.0%	\$190 - 203
	160–169.99%	\$5,074.67 - 5,391.83	4.5%	\$228 - 243
	170–179.99%	\$5,391.84 - 5,709.00	4.9%	\$264 - 280
	180–189.99%	\$5,709.01 - 6,026.16	5.4%	\$308 - 325
	190–199.99%	\$6,026.17 - 6,343.33	5.8%	\$350 - 368

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
	200–209.99%	\$6,343.34 - 6,660.50	6.3%	\$400 - 420
	210–219.99%	\$6,660.51 - 6,977.66	6.7%	\$446 - 468
	220–229.99%	\$6,977.67 - 7,294.83	7.0%	\$488 - 511
	230–239.99%	\$7,294.84 - 7,612.00	7.4%	\$540 - 563
	240–249.99%	\$7,612.01 - 7,929.17	7.7%	\$586 - 611
	250–259.99%	\$7,929.18 - 8,246.33	8.1%	\$642 - 668
	260–269.99%	\$8,246.34 - 8,563.50	8.3%	\$684 - 711
	270–279.99%	\$8,563.51 - 8,880.67	8.6%	\$736 - 764
	280–289.99%	\$8,880.68 - 9,197.83	8.9%	\$790 - 819
	290–299.99%	\$9,197.84 - 9,515.00	9.2%	\$846 - 875
	300%+	\$9,515.01+	9.5%	\$904+

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
8	100.01–133%	\$3,531.68 - 4,697.12	2.0%	\$71 - 94
	133.01–139.99%	\$4,697.13 - 4,944.33	3.0%	\$141 - 148
	140–149.99%	\$4,944.34 - 5,297.50	3.5%	\$173 - 185
	150–159.99%	\$5,297.51 - 5,650.66	4.0%	\$212 - 226
	160–169.99%	\$5,650.67 - 6,003.83	4.5%	\$254 - 270
	170–179.99%	\$6,003.84 - 6,357.00	4.9%	\$294 - 311
	180–189.99%	\$6,357.01 - 6,710.16	5.4%	\$343 - 362
	190–199.99%	\$6,710.17 - 7,063.33	5.8%	\$389 - 410
	200–209.99%	\$7,063.34 - 7,416.50	6.3%	\$445 - 467
	210–219.99%	\$7,416.51 - 7,769.66	6.7%	\$497 - 521
	220–229.99%	\$7,769.67 - 8,122.83	7.0%	\$544 - 569
	230–239.99%	\$8,122.84 - 8,476.00	7.4%	\$601 - 627
	240–249.99%	\$8,476.01 - 8,829.17	7.7%	\$653 - 680
	250–259.99%	\$8,829.18 - 9,182.33	8.1%	\$715 - 744
	260–269.99%	\$9,182.34 - 9,535.50	8.3%	\$762 - 791
	270–279.99%	\$9,535.51 - 9,888.67	8.6%	\$820 - 850
	280–289.99%	\$9,888.68 - 10,241.83	8.9%	\$880 - 912
290–299.99%	\$10,241.84 - 10,595.00	9.2%	\$942 - 975	
	300%+	\$10,595.01+	9.5%	\$1,007+

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
9	100.01–133%	\$3,891.68 - 5,175.92	2.0%	\$78 - 104
	133.01–139.99%	\$5,175.93 - 5,448.33	3.0%	\$155 - 163
	140–149.99%	\$5,448.34 - 5,837.50	3.5%	\$191 - 204
	150–159.99%	\$5,837.51 - 6,226.66	4.0%	\$234 - 249

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
	160–169.99%	\$6,226.67 - 6,615.83	4.5%	\$280 - 298
	170–179.99%	\$6,615.84 - 7,005.00	4.9%	\$324 - 343
	180–189.99%	\$7,005.01 - 7,394.16	5.4%	\$378 - 399
	190–199.99%	\$7,394.17 - 7,783.33	5.8%	\$429 - 451
	200–209.99%	\$7,783.34 - 8,172.50	6.3%	\$490 - 515
	210–219.99%	\$8,172.51 - 8,561.66	6.7%	\$548 - 574
	220–229.99%	\$8,561.67 - 8,950.83	7.0%	\$599 - 627
	230–239.99%	\$8,950.84 - 9,340.00	7.4%	\$662 - 691
	240–249.99%	\$9,340.01 - 9,729.17	7.7%	\$719 - 749
	250–259.99%	\$9,729.18 - 10,118.33	8.1%	\$788 - 820
	260–269.99%	\$10,118.34 - 10,507.50	8.3%	\$840 - 872
	270–279.99%	\$10,507.51 - 10,896.67	8.6%	\$904 - 937
	280–289.99%	\$10,896.68 - 11,285.83	8.9%	\$970 - 1,004
	290–299.99%	\$11,285.84 - 11,675.00	9.2%	\$1,038 - 1,074
	300%+	\$11,675.01+	9.5%	\$1,109+

Family Size	FPL%	Monthly Income	Premium Rate	Monthly Premium Range
10	100.01–133%	\$4,251.68 - 5,654.72	2.0%	\$85 - 113
	133.01–139.99%	\$5,654.73 - 5,952.33	3.0%	\$170 - 179
	140–149.99%	\$5,952.34 - 6,377.50	3.5%	\$208 - 223
	150–159.99%	\$6,377.51 - 6,802.66	4.0%	\$255 - 272
	160–169.99%	\$6,802.67 - 7,227.83	4.5%	\$306 - 325
	170–179.99%	\$7,227.84 - 7,653.00	4.9%	\$354 - 375
	180–189.99%	\$7,653.01 - 8,078.16	5.4%	\$413 - 436
	190–199.99%	\$8,078.17 - 8,503.33	5.8%	\$469 - 493
	200–209.99%	\$8,503.34 - 8,928.50	6.3%	\$536 - 562
	210–219.99%	\$8,928.51 - 9,353.66	6.7%	\$598 - 627
	220–229.99%	\$9,353.67 - 9,778.83	7.0%	\$655 - 685
	230–239.99%	\$9,778.84 - 10,204.00	7.4%	\$724 - 755
	240–249.99%	\$10,204.01 - 10,629.17	7.7%	\$786 - 818
	250–259.99%	\$10,629.18 - 11,054.33	8.1%	\$861 - 895
	260–269.99%	\$11,054.34 - 11,479.50	8.3%	\$918 - 953
	270–279.99%	\$11,479.51 - 11,904.67	8.6%	\$987 - 1,024
	280–289.99%	\$11,904.68 - 12,329.83	8.9%	\$1,060 - 1,097
290–299.99%	\$12,329.84 - 12,755.00	9.2%	\$1,134 - 1,173	
300%+	\$12,755.01+	9.5%	\$1,212+	

CARES

The following CARES tables will be updated by February 1, 2018, to reflect the new FPL values, which are effective February 1, 2018:

- TBCS
- TBPI
- TFPL
- TMEP
- TMST
- TSFL

When running eligibility on or after February 1, 2018, CARES will use the new FPL amounts for any months for which eligibility is being run. When running with dates for current or past months, workers will not be able to confirm eligibility if the FPL changes have a negative impact on the benefits or premium amounts. CARES eligibility redeterminations using the new FPLs will occur automatically as part of the annual FPL mass change. The FPL mass change will occur the weekend of February 3, 2018, and will affect the March benefit month. If a case exceptions out during the batch run, alert 349 will be generated.

ALERT 349

Alert 349 (ELIG NOT DET AT MC/AA RUN SFEX) indicates that a case did not go through mass change or adverse action because it exceptioned out. These cases then appear on the EOS Exception report C306. This report includes cases with overrides, cases with person add or deletes that have not been confirmed, and assistance groups in pending status. These cases are also listed on the monthly mass change report C307. For these cases, workers must run eligibility and confirm benefits when they get the correct determination. If workers do not run eligibility and confirm the benefits before adverse action, they must run eligibility with the recurring month's date.

The new FPL limits will be used for applications or person adds when eligibility is determined in CARES on or after February 1, 2018. For ongoing cases, the new FPL limits will also be used when eligibility is determined retroactively for the month of February 2018.

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