

OPERATIONAL MEMO

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Purpose and Audience:

The purpose for this memo is to notify County Departments of Social/Human Services and Medical Assistance (MA) Site staff of the income guidelines for the Modified Adjusted Gross Income (MAGI) Medicaid program and the Child Health Plan *Plus* (CHP+) program effective April 1, 2019.

Background:

The income limits for the MAGI Medicaid and CHP+ programs are based on Federal Poverty Level (FPL) guidelines that are updated annually. The income guidelines are used to determine eligibility for the MAGI Medicaid programs and the CHP+ program and are subject to change annually as the FPL is adjusted.

Information/Procedure:

Colorado Benefits Management System (CBMS) has been updated to reflect the new income guidelines for MAGI-Medicaid and CHP+ according to the charts.

Attachment(s):

April 2019 CHP + Income Chart Final

April 2019 Medicaid Income Chart

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