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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Medicaid and CHIP Operations Group 601 E. 12th. Room 355 Kansas City, MO 64106



#### **Center for Medicaid & CHIP Services**

June 09, 2023

Jamie Kuhn Medicaid Director Wisconsin Department of Health Services 1 West Wilson Street Madison, WI 53701

Re: Approval of State Plan Amendment WI-23-0005

Dear Director Kuhn,

On March 29, 2023, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) received Wisconsin State Plan Amendment (SPA) WI-23-0005, in which the state proposed to adopt the changes to the eligibility rules for the Former Foster Care Children eligibility group, as enacted by the Substance Use-Disorder Prevention that Promotes Opioid Recovery and Treatment for Patients and Communities (SUPPORT) Act, Pub. L. No. 115-217, section 1002.

We approve Wisconsin State Plan Amendment (SPA) WI-23-0005 with an effective date(s) of January 01, 2023.

If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please contact Mai Le-Yuen at mai.le-yuen@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

James G. Scott

Director, Division of Program Operations

Center for Medicaid & CHIP Services

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#### **State Information**

State/Territory Name: Wisconsin

Medicaid Agency Name: Department of Health Services

## **Submission Component**

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**SPA ID** WI-23-0005

| Reviewable Unit              | Proposed Effective Date | Superseded SPA ID |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Mandatory Eligibility Groups | 1/1/2023                | WI-22-0018        |
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## **Executive Summary**

**Summary Description Including** Wisconsin is updating this SPA per federal guidance to be in compliance with Section 1002(a) of the SUPPORT Act. **Goals and Objectives** 

## **Federal Budget Impact and Statute/Regulation Citation**

#### **Federal Budget Impact**

|        | Federal Fiscal Year | Amount |
|--------|---------------------|--------|
| First  | 2023                | \$0    |
| Second | 2024                | \$0    |

#### Federal Statute / Regulation Citation

1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IX) of the Social Security Act 42 CFR 435.150

Supporting documentation of budget impact is uploaded (optional).

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#### **Governor's Office Review**

No comment

Comments received

No response within 45 days

Other

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# **Medicaid State Plan Eligibility**

## **Mandatory Eligibility Groups**

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### **Mandatory Coverage**

A. The state provides Medicaid to mandatory groups of individuals. The mandatory groups covered are:

#### **Families and Adults**

| Eligibility Group Name  |   | Covered In State Plan | Include RU In Package | Included in Another<br>Submission Package | Source Type 😯 |
|---|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|---|---------------|
| Infants and Children<br>under Age 19  | P | ✓                     |                       | 0   | CONVERTED     |
| Parents and Other<br>Caretaker Relatives  | P | ✓                     |                       | 0   | CONVERTED     |
| Pregnant Women  | P | ✓                     |                       | 0   | CONVERTED     |
| Deemed Newborns   | P | ✓                     |                       | 0   | APPROVED      |
| Children with Title IV-E<br>Adoption Assistance,<br>Foster Care or<br>Guardianship Care | P |                       |                       | 0   | NEW           |
| Former Foster Care<br>Children  | P | ✓                     | $\checkmark$          | 0   | APPROVED      |
| Transitional Medical<br>Assistance  | P | ✓                     |                       | 0   | NEW           |
| Extended Medicaid due<br>to Spousal Support<br>Collections                              | Ø | W                     |                       | 0   | NEW           |

#### Aged, Blind and Disabled

| Eligibility Group Name                    |   | Covered In State Plan | Include RU In Package | Included in Another<br>Submission Package | Source Type 🕢 |
|---|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|---|---------------|
| SSI Beneficiaries                         | P | $\checkmark$          |                       | 0   | NEW           |
| Closed Eligibility<br>Groups              | P | ✓                     |                       | 0   | NEW           |
| Individuals Deemed To<br>Be Receiving SSI | P | <                     |                       | 0   | NEW           |

| Eligibility Group Name                         |   | Covered In State Plan | Include RU In Package | Included in Another<br>Submission Package | Source Type 😯 |
|--|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|---|---------------|
| Working Individuals<br>under 1619(b)           | P | ✓                     |                       | 0   | NEW           |
| Qualified Medicare<br>Beneficiaries            | P | ✓                     |                       | 0   | APPROVED      |
| Qualified Disabled and<br>Working Individuals  | P | ✓                     |                       | 0   | NEW           |
| Specified Low Income<br>Medicare Beneficiaries | P | ✓                     |                       | 0   | APPROVED      |
| Qualifying Individuals                         | P | ✓                     |                       | 0   | APPROVED      |

## **Mandatory Eligibility Groups**

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B. The state elects the Adult Group, described at 42 CFR 435.119.

Yes No

C. Additional Information (optional)

### **Eligibility Groups Deselected from Coverage**

The following eligibility groups were previously covered in the source approved version of the state plan and deselected from coverage as part of this submission package:

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N/A

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## Medicaid State Plan Eligibility

### Eligibility Groups - Mandatory Coverage

#### Former Foster Care Children

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Individuals under the age of 26, who were in foster care and on Medicaid when they turned age 18 or aged out of foster care.

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The state covers the mandatory former foster care children group in accordance with the following provisions:

#### A. Characteristics

Individuals qualifying under this eligibility group must meet the following criteria:

- 1. Are under age 26
- 2. Were in foster care upon attaining age 18 or a higher age at which the state's or Tribe's foster care assistance ends under title IV-E of the Act (up to age 21).
- 3. Are described under either Section B. or C.

#### **B.** Individuals Covered

For individuals who turn 18 before January 1, 2023:

- 1. The state covers individuals who:
- a. Upon attaining age 18 or a higher age at which the state's or Tribe's foster care assistance ends under title IV-E of the Act (up to age 21) were:
  - i. In foster care under the responsibility of the state or a Tribe within the state (including children who were cared for through a grant to the state under the unaccompanied refugee minor program); and
  - ii. Enrolled in Medicaid under the state's Medicaid state plan or 1115 demonstration; and
- b. Are not otherwise eligible for and enrolled for mandatory coverage under the state plan, except that eligibility under this group takes precedence over eligibility under the Adult Group.
- 2. In addition to B.1., the state elects to cover individuals who were in foster care under the responsibility of the state or a Tribe within the state (including children who were cared for through a grant to the state under the unaccompanied refugee minor program) when they turned 18 or a higher age at which the state's or Tribe's foster care assistance ends under title IV-E of the Act, and meet the following criteria:
- 🜌 a. They were enrolled in Medicaid under the state's Medicaid state plan or 1115 demonstration at any time during the foster care period in which they turned 18 or a higher age at which the state's or Tribe's foster care assistance ends.
- b. They were placed by the state or Tribe in another state and were enrolled in Medicaid under the other state's Medicaid state plan or 1115 demonstration project when they turned 18 or a higher age at which the state's or Tribe's foster care assistance ends.
- 📝 c. They were placed by the state or Tribe in another state and were enrolled in Medicaid under the other state's Medicaid state plan or 1115 demonstration project at any time during the foster care period in which they turned 18 or a higher age at which the state's or Tribe's foster care assistance ends.

### C. Individuals Covered

For individuals who turn 18 on or after January 1, 2023:

- 1. The state covers individuals who:
- a. Upon attaining age 18 or a higher age at which the state's or Tribe's foster care assistance ends under title IV-E of the Act (up to age 21) were:
  - i. In foster care under the responsibility of any state or a Tribe within any state (including children who were cared for through a grant to the state under the unaccompanied refugee minor program); and
  - ii. Enrolled in Medicaid under a state's Medicaid state plan or 1115 demonstration; and
- b. Are not enrolled in mandatory coverage under the state plan, except that eligibility under this group takes precedence over eligibility under the Adult Group.

| 2. In addition to C.1., the state elects to cover individuals who were in foster care under the responsibility of any state or a Tribe within any state (including children who were cared for through a grant to a state under the unaccompanied refugee minor program) when they turned 18 or a higher age at which that state's or Tribe's foster care assistance ends under title IV-E of the Act, and meet the following criteria: |
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| a. They were enrolled in Medicaid under a state's Medicaid state plan or 1115 demonstration at any time during the foster care period in which they turned 18 or a higher age at which a state's or Tribe's foster care assistance ends.  |
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#### Former Foster Care Children

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