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

April 25, 2025

William Hanna Medicaid Director Wisconsin Department of Health Services 1 West Wilson Street Madison, WI 53701

Re: Approval of State Plan Amendment WI-25-0006-A

Dear Director Hanna:

On March 28, 2025, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) received Wisconsin State Plan Amendment (SPA) WI-25-0006-A, in which the state proposed to memorialize the new income standards for its optional state supplement program, the beneficiaries of which are eligible for Medicaid under Wisconsin's state

We approve Wisconsin State Plan Amendment (SPA) WI-25-0006-A with an effective date(s) of January 01, 2025.

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

Sincerely,

Ruth A. Hughes on behalf of Courtney Miller, MCOG Director Center for Medicaid & CHIP Services

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## **Executive Summary**

Summary Description Including This amendment modifies the income limits of the Optional State Supplement Beneficiaries to reflect the Social Security Goals and Objectives Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA)

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

#### **Federal Budget Impact**

	Federal Fiscal Year	Amount
First	2025	\$0
Second	2026	\$0

#### Federal Statute / Regulation Citation

Section 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XI) of the Act / 42 CFR 435.234

Supporting documentation of budget impact is uploaded (optional).

Name	Date Created
No ite	ms available

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

No comment

Ocomments received

No response within 45 days

Other

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# **Medicaid State Plan Eligibility**

## **Optional Eligibility Groups**

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## **A. Options for Coverage**

The state provides Medicaid to specified optional groups of individuals.

Yes No

The optional eligibility groups covered in the state plan are (elections made in this screen may not be comprehensive during the transition period from the paperbased state plan to MACPro):

#### **Families and Adults**

Eligibility Group Name		Covered In State Plan	Include RU In Package	Included in Another Submission Package	Source Type 😯
Optional Coverage of Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives	Ø			0	NEW
Reasonable Classifications of Individuals under Age 21	Ø	<u> </u>		0	CONVERTED
Children with Non-IV-E Adoption Assistance	P	~		0	CONVERTED
Independent Foster Care Adolescents	P	~		0	CONVERTED
Optional Targeted Low Income Children	P	<b>✓</b>		0	CONVERTED
Individuals above 133% FPL under Age 65	P			0	NEW
Individuals Needing Treatment for Breast or Cervical Cancer	Ø	<u>~</u>		0	NEW
Individuals Eligible for Family Planning Services	P	✓		0	CONVERTED
Individuals with Tuberculosis	P	~		0	CONVERTED
Individuals Electing COBRA Continuation Coverage	P			0	NEW

### Aged, Blind and Disabled

Eligibility Group Name		Covered In State Plan	Include RU In Package	Included in Another Submission Package	Source Type 😯
Individuals Eligible for but Not Receiving Cash Assistance	Ø	<b>▽</b>		•	APPROVED
Individuals Eligible for Cash Except for Institutionalization	<b>®</b>	<b>✓</b>		•	APPROVED
Individuals Receiving Home and Community- Based Waiver Services under Institutional Rules	Ø	✓		0	APPROVED
Optional State Supplement Beneficiaries	Ø	<b>✓</b>	~	0	APPROVED
Individuals in Institutions Eligible under a Special Income Level	ø	<b>▽</b>		•	APPROVED
PACE Participants	<b>(2)</b>	<b>✓</b>		0	NEW
Individuals Receiving Hospice	Ø	<b>✓</b>		0	NEW
Children under Age 19 with a Disability	Ø	<b>✓</b>		0	APPROVED
Age and Disability- Related Poverty Level	ø			0	NEW
Work Incentives	9	<b>✓</b>		•	APPROVED
Ticket to Work Basic	9			0	NEW
Ticket to Work Medical mprovements	ø			0	NEW
Family Opportunity Act Children with a Disability	Ø			0	NEW
Individuals Receiving State Plan Home and Community-Based Services	Ø			0	NEW
ndividuals Receiving State Plan Home and Community-Based Services Who Are Otherwise Eligible for HCBS Waivers	<b>9</b>			0	NEW

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## **B.** Medically Needy Options for Coverage

The state provides Medicaid to specified groups of individuals who are medically needy.

Yes No

The medically needy eligibility groups covered in the state plan are:

## 1. Mandatory Medically Needy:

#### **Families and Adults**

Eligibility Group Name		Covered In State Plan	Include RU In Package	Included in Another Submission Package	Source Type 😯
Medically Needy Pregnant Women	P	~		0	APPROVED
Medically Needy Children under Age 18	P	~		0	APPROVED

### Aged, Blind and Disabled

Eligibility Group Name		Covered In State Plan	Include RU In Package	Included in Another Submission Package	Source Type 🕢
Protected Medically Needy Individuals Who Were Eligible in 1973	9	✓		0	NEW

## 2. Optional Medically Needy:

### **Families and Adults**

Eligibility Group Name		Covered In State Plan	Include RU In Package	Included in Another Submission Package	Source Type 😯
Medically Needy Reasonable Classifications of Individuals under Age 21	9	✓		0	NEW
Medically Needy Parents and Other Caretaker Relatives	9			0	NEW

### Aged, Blind and Disabled

Eligibility Group Name		Covered In State Plan	Include RU In Package	Included in Another Submission Package	Source Type 😯
Medically Needy Populations Based on Age, Blindness or Disability	P	✓		•	APPROVED

## **Optional Eligibility Groups**

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### 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:

N/A

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Eligibility Groups - Options for Coverage

## **Optional State Supplement Beneficiaries**

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Individuals who receive an optional state supplementary payment.

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The state covers the Optional State Supplement Beneficiaries eligibility group in accordance with the following provisions:

#### A. Characteristics

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

- 1. Receive an optional state supplement that meets the conditions described in sections C and D.
- 2. Except for income, would be eligible for SSI.
- 3. Do not have gross income exceeding 300% of the SSI Federal Benefit Rate (FBR).

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## **B.** Individuals Covered

1. The state covers all individuals who meet the characteristics described in section A.

Yes

No

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## **C. Optional State Supplement Program**

- 1. The optional state supplement program is administered:
  - a. Solely by the federal government. The state has an agreement with the Social Security Administration under section 1616 of the Act regarding the administration of optional state supplementary payments.
  - b. By a combination of federal and state administration. The state has an agreement with the Social Security
    Administration under section 1616 of the Act regarding the administration of optional state supplementary payments
    for some classifications of individuals, while state supplementary payments for other classifications of individuals are
    administered by the state.
  - c. Solely by the state.
- 2. Payments under the optional state supplement program are:
  - a. Based on need and paid in cash on a regular basis;
  - b. Equal to the difference between the individual's countable income and the income standard used to determine eligibility for supplement; and
  - c. Available to all individuals in each population selected in section B.

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## **D. Income Standard of Optional State Supplement Program**

1. The income standard for the optional state sup
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- a. Varies by political subdivision.
- Yes
- No
- b. Varies by payment classification.
- Yes
- No

#### **Income Standard**

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\$10	82.0
50.7	5
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## **E. Additional Information (optional)**

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