Implementation Guide:
Medicaid State Plan Eligibility
Eligibility Groups – Mandatory Coverage
SSI Beneficiaries

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POLICY CITATION

Statute: 1902(a) (10) (A) (i) (ii), 42 C.F.R. §435.120

BACKGROUND

Overview
This reviewable unit (RU) describes the Medicaid eligibility group for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) beneficiaries. All states, except those electing the authority described in section 1902(f) of the Act (the 209(b) option) to apply more restrictive eligibility criteria, must provide Medicaid to all individuals who receive benefits under the SSI program.

INSTRUCTIONS

A. Characteristics
There are statements describing the characteristics of this eligibility group.

B. Additional Information (optional)
Except in limited circumstances, this field remains blank. Please consult with CMS before adding any additional information concerning this RU.

REVIEW CRITERIA

No specific review criteria are needed.