#### **Representing the Elder Unmarried Couple**

#### **Attachments to PowerPoint**

- 1) 2016 NYS Income and Resource Standards and Federal Poverty Levels (FPL) [Form MAPDR-01]
- 2) Excerpt from Medicaid Reference Guide: Categorical Factors Legally Recognized Same Sex Marriages [page 5]
- 3) Spousal Refusal Forms: Applicant/Recipient Declaration Concerning the Legally Responsible Relative's Income/Resources [Form MAP-2161) and Declaration of Legally Responsible Relative [Form Map-2161(a)]
- 4) GIS 98 MA/024 Retirement Funds owned by Medicaid Applicants/Recipients
- 5) GIS 06 MA/004 Treatment of Community Spouses' Retirement Funds
- 6) GIS 16 MA/10 2015 Update to the Actuarial Life Expectancy Table
- 7) IRS Publication 590-B Appendix B Table III Uniform Lifetime Table
- 8) Excerpt from Medicaid Reference Guide: Resources Transfer of Assets Annuities [pages 452-454]
- 9) Consumer Intent to Return / Not to Return Home [Form MAP-259H] and Discharge Alert [Form MAP-259d]
- 10) Notice of Intent to Impose a Lien on Real Property (Institutionalized Individual)
- 11) Notice of Lien
- 12) Satisfaction of Mortgage/Lien
- 13) Sample Notice of Acceptance and Budget Explanation forms
- 14) Sample Spousal Contribution Letters and Attorney Response

# 2016 NYS INCOME AND RESOURCE STANDARDS AND FEDERAL POVERTY LEVELS (FPL)

Reference Documents: SA 2015-00031 -01, GIS 14 MA/029, GIS14 MA/08, GIS 15 MA/01, GIS 15 MA/03, GIS 15 MA/10 ,GIS 15 MA/21, MBL-Transmittal 14-5, WLM-2015-00344-00R1, OTDA 15-INF-10, WLM-2016-0065



### Financial Levels for Medicaid and Related Program Eligibility

1.	Non-M	AGI Med	icaid Level	s (SSI and	SSI-Relat	ed Consum	ers With o	r Without	A Surplus)		TITE
Family Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Each Additional Person
Monthly Income	\$825	\$1,209	\$1,390	\$1,571	\$1,753	\$1,934	\$2,115	\$2,296	\$2,478	\$2,659	\$182

2.	Non-MAGI Resource Levels									Hall the	
Family Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Each Additional Person
Resource Level	\$14,850	\$21,750	\$25,013	\$28,275	\$31,538	\$34,800	\$38,063	\$41,325	\$44,588	\$47,850	\$3,263

3.		
Income (MMMNA) - \$2,980.50	Resources – (Minimum) - \$74,820	Family Member Allowance Formula: Use - \$1, 992
(Inst Spouse) - \$50	(Maximum) - \$119, 220	\$664 is the maximum family member allowance
	(Inst Spouse) - \$14,850	

4. Med	icare Savings Pr	ogram (Buy-In)		5. Other Important Figures					
		Income	17	Medicare Part A Premium: \$224.00 (30-39 Qu	arters)				
	Fan	nily of 1	Family of 2	\$407.00 (Less than 30 Quarters)					
	Annual	\$11,880	\$16,020	<ul> <li>Medicare Part B Premium: (Rates based upon 2014 income tax fil</li> <li>\$104.90 for most Medicare Part B recipients in receipt of benefit before 12/31/2015. This includes individuals with an annual income.</li> </ul>					
QMB 100% FPL	Monthly	\$990	\$1,335	\$85,000 or less and couples with joint annual incomes of \$170,000 less  • \$121.80 for persons in receipt of Medicare Part B benefits as of Janua 1, 2016, who are either individuals with an annual income of \$85,00 or less and couples with joint annual incomes of \$170,000 or less  • \$194.90 for persons in receipt of Medicare Part B benefits as of Janua 1, 2016, who are either individuals with an annual income of more the \$160,000 but no more than \$214,0000 and couples with joint annuincomes of more than \$320,000 but no more than \$428,000  • \$268.00 for persons in receipt of Medicare Part B benefits as of Janua 1, 2016, who are either individuals with an annual income of more the \$214,0000 and couples with joint annual incomes of more the \$428,000  Standard Allocation: From non-SSI-related parent to non-SSI- related hild \$384  PASS-THROUGH FACTORS: .968 and .160					
SLIMB	Annual	\$14,256	\$19,224	Family Size	1	2			
120% FPL	Monthly	\$1,188	\$1,602	COBRA (100% FPL)	\$990	\$1,335			
QI-1	Annual	\$16,038	\$21,627	AIDS Health Ins. Program (AHIP) (185% FPL)	\$1,832	\$2,470			
135% FPL	Monthly	\$1,337	\$1,803	QWDI (200% FPL)	\$1,980	\$2,670			
NO PES	OURCE TEST FO	R ANY MSP PROG	RAM	COBRA, QWDI (Resource Level)	\$4,000	\$6,000			
110 RES		KANI MSI I KOO		Pickle/DAC/SSI (Resource Level)	\$2,000	\$3,000			

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6. MBI-WPD (Persons 16-64)		
Family Size	1	2
Monthly Income 250% FPL	\$2,475	\$3,338
Resources	\$20,000	\$30,000

7. Family Plan	nning Benefit P	rogram Incom	e Levels (No Ro	esource Test)	ET BE		
Family Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	Each Additional Person
FPBP 223% FPL (Child Bearing Age)	\$2,208	\$2,978	\$3,747	\$4,516	\$5,286	\$6,055	\$774

**Note**: FPBP eligibility is to be determined using only the applicant's income. The applicant's income is then compared to 223% of the federal poverty level for the appropriate family size. Family size continues to be determined using legal responsibility.

8. Monthly Regional Nursing Home Rates (Use the rate for the region in which the facility is located)							
NEW YORK CITY (All boroughs) - \$12,029	LONG ISLAND - \$12,633 Nassau, Suffolk						
NORTHEASTERN - \$9,806 Albany, Clinton, Columbia, Delaware, Essex, Franklin, Fulton, Greene, Hamilton, Montgomery, Otsego, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Warren, Washington	NORTHERN METROPOLITAN - \$11,768 Duchess, Orange, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster, Westchester						
WESTERN - \$9,630 Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Erie, Genesee, Niagara, Orleans, Wyoming	ROCHESTER - \$11,145 Chemung, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Schuyler, Seneca, Steuben, Wayne, Yates						
CENTRAL - \$9,252 Broome, Cayuga, Chenango, Cortland, Herkimer, Jefferson, Lewis, Madis Tompkins	son, Oneida, Onondaga, Oswego, St. Lawrence, Tioga,						

9. Fair Market Regional Rates (Averages)	THE RESERVE OF THE PARTY OF THE
NEW YORK CITY (All boroughs) (Shelter = 59) - \$1094	<b>LONG ISLAND</b> (Shelter = 60) - \$1060
NORTHEASTERN (Shelter = 54) - \$445	NORTHERN METROPOLITAN (Shelter = 58) - \$837
<b>WESTERN</b> (Shelter = 57) - \$341	<b>ROCHESTER</b> (Shelter = 56) - \$400
<b>CENTRAL</b> (Shelter = 55) - \$384	
CONGREGATE CARE LEVEL III - (42+ Regional Rate for Count	ty) - \$1768 - \$2487

In determining the community resource allowance on and after January 1, 2016, the community spouse is permitted to retain resources in an amount equal to the greater of the following: \$74,820 or the amount of the spousal share up to \$119,220. The spousal share is the amount equal to one-half of the total value of the countable resources of the couple as of the beginning of the most recent continuous period of institutionalization of the institutionalized spouse. The look-back period is anchored in the month the A/R is both institutionalized and applying for MA.

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10.	HE	MAGI	Levels for	Medicaid	and Relat	ed Progran	n Eligibil	ity	3		
Family Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Each Add'l Person
Pregnant Women and Infants Under Age 1 (223% FPL)	\$2,208	\$2,978	\$3,747	\$4,516	\$5,286	\$6,055	\$6,826	\$7,599	\$8,373	\$9,147	\$774
Infants Under Age 1 223% FPL	\$2,208	\$2,978	\$3,747	\$4,516	\$5,286	\$6,055	\$6,826	\$7,599	\$8,373	\$9,147	\$774
Children Age 1-5 154% FPL	\$1,525	\$2,056	\$2,588	\$3,119	\$3,650	\$4,182	\$4,714	\$5,248	\$5,782	\$6,316	\$534
Children Age 6 -19 110% FPL	\$1,089	\$1,469	\$1,848	\$2,228	\$2,607	\$2,987	\$3,367	\$3,749	\$4,131	\$4,512	\$382
Children Age 6-19 (Expanded - 154% FPL)	\$1,525	\$2,056	\$2,588	\$3,119	\$3,650	\$4,182	\$4,714	\$5,248	\$5,782	\$6,316	\$534
Parents and Caretaker Relatives 138% FPL	\$1,367	\$1,843	\$2,319	\$2,795	\$3,271	\$3,747	\$4,224	\$4,703	\$5,182	\$5,661	\$479
19 and 20 Year Olds Living With Parents 138% FPL	\$1,367	\$1,843	\$2,319	\$2,795	\$3,271	\$3,747	\$4,224	\$4,703	\$5,182	\$5,661	\$479
19 and 20 Year Olds Living With Parents (Expanded - 155% FPL)	\$1,535	\$2,070	\$2,604	\$3,139	\$3,674	\$4,209	\$4,745	\$5,282	\$5,820	\$6,358	\$538
S/CCs and 19 and 20 Year Olds Living Alone (100% FPL)	\$990	\$1,335	\$1,680	\$2,025	\$2,370	\$2,715	\$3,061	\$3,408	\$3,755	\$4,102	\$347
S/CCs and 19 and 20 Year Olds Living Alone (Expanded 138% FPL)	\$1,367	\$1,843	\$2,319	\$2,795	\$3,271	\$3,747	\$4,224	\$4,703	\$5,182	\$5,661	\$479

11.		Chi	ldren's M	edicaid In	come Eligi	bility Leve	ls	35.	1000
Family Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Each Additional Person
Children Under 1 year; Pregnant Women*	\$2,208	\$2,978	\$3,747	\$4,516	\$5,286	\$6,055	\$6,826	\$7,599	\$774
Children 1-18 Years	\$1,525	\$2,056	\$2,588	\$3,119	\$3,650	\$4,182	\$4,714	\$5,248	\$534
Note: *Pregnant women h	ousehold size	e calculation i	includes all ex	spected childre	en.				

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12. Child Health Plus Premium Levels	- Monthly l	Income by F	amily Size	(Children U	nder 19 Not	Medicaid E	ligible)
Premium Categories	1	2	3	4	5	6	Each Add'l Person
Free Insurance (under 222% FPL)	\$1,583	\$2,135	\$2,687	\$3,239	\$3,791	\$4,343	\$554
\$9 per child per month (Max. \$27 per family) (222% - 249% FPL)	\$2,198	\$2,964	\$3,730	\$4,496	\$5,262	\$6,028	\$770
\$15 per child per month (Max \$45/Family) (250% - 299% FPL)	\$2,475	\$3,338	\$4,200	\$5,063	\$5,925	\$6,788	\$867
\$30 per child per month (Max. \$90 per family) (300% - 349% FPL)	\$2,970	\$4,005	\$5,040	\$6,075	\$7,110	\$8,145	\$1,040
\$45 per child per month (Max. \$135 per family) (350% - 399% FPL)	\$3,465	\$4,673	\$5,880	\$7,088	\$8,295	\$9,503	\$1,214
\$60 per child per month (Max. \$180 per family) (400% FPL)	\$3,960	\$5,340	\$6,720	\$8,100	\$9,480	\$10,860	\$1,387
Full Premium per child/month if over 400% FPL (Premium amount varies from plan to plan)	Over \$3,960	Over \$5,340	Over \$6,720	Over \$8,100	Over \$9,480	Over \$10,860	

3.	Disabled Adult Children (DAC) Lev	vels			
Living Arrangements	Shelter Types	Amount			
1	15	\$999.48			
1	28	\$961.48			
1	16	\$1,168.00			
1	29	\$1,138.00			
1	42	\$1,427.00			
1 or 5	Other than: 15, 16, 28, 29 or 42	\$820.00			
2	15	\$1,998.96			
2	28	\$1,922.96			
2	16	\$2,336.00			
2	29	\$2,276.00			
2	42	\$2,854.00			
2 or 6	Other than: 15, 16, 28, 29 or 42	\$1,204.00			
3	All	\$961.48			
4	All	\$999.48			

14. Congregate Care Level I, II and III Levels				
Shelter Codes	PNA	Shelter Amount		
15 - (NYC, Nassau, Suffolk, Westchester, Rockland Counties) Level I	\$141.00	\$858.48		
16 - (NYC, Nassau, Suffolk, Westchester, Rockland Counties) Level II	\$163.00	\$1,005.00		
28 - (Rest of State) Level I	\$141.00	\$820.48		
29 - (Rest of State) Level II	\$163.00	\$975.00		
42 - (NYC, Nassau, Suffolk, Westchester, Rockland Counties) Level III	\$193.00	\$1,234.00		
42 - (Rest of State) Level III	\$193.00	\$1,234.00		

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15. SSI Levels						
SSI Consumer		Ar	nount			
Allocation Amount (The difference between the regular Medicaid levels for a household of two [\$1,209.00] and a household of one [\$825.00])	\$384.00					
Personal Needs Allowance (Certain waiver participants subject to spousal impoverishment budgeting)	\$384.00					
Maximum Social Security Benefit at Full Retirement Age	\$2,639					
State Supplement	Individual \$87.00 Couple \$104.0			\$104.00		
Federal Benefit Rate	Individual	\$733.00	Couple	\$1,100.00		
SSI Resource Levels	Individual	\$2,000.00	Couple	\$3,000.00		
SSI Related Student Earned Income Disregard	Monthly	\$1,780.00	Annual Max.	\$7,180.00		

16. Substantial Gainful Activity (SGA) Levels					
Category	Amount	Payment Occurrence			
Non-Blind	\$1,130.00	Monthly			
Blind	\$1,820.00	Monthly			
Month Trial Work Period	\$810.00	Monthly			

17.	Home Equity Maximum
Medicaid Coverage Limit (RVI 1 and 2 cases)	\$828,000

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#### **CATEGORICAL FACTORS**

### LEGALLY RECOGNIZED SAME SEX MARRIAGES

Policy:

Individuals who declare that they have been legally married in a jurisdiction that recognizes and performs same-sex unions must, regardless of gender, receive full faith, credit and comity as all other legally married persons when a district makes any Medicaid eligibility and case decision in New York State.

References:

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Interpretation:

Individuals of the same sex who have been married in a jurisdiction that recognizes and performs same-sex unions must receive equal treatment and recognition of such marriage. Equal treatment means that terms such as "husband", "wife" and "spouse" are construed in a manner that encompasses legal same-sex marriages. Factors including but not limited to the following must be evaluated in the same manner for all legally performed marriages:

- Required signatures on applications;
- Household composition and size;
- Budgeting methodology;
- Determination of Legally Responsible Relatives;
- Spousal and Child Support issues
- Health insurance premium payments;
- Chronic/long term care budgeting issues, including transfers of resources for SSI-related A/Rs;
- Income from trusts;
- Homestead and resource exemptions for SSI-related A/Rs
- Burial funds;
- Estates; and
- Liens and recoveries.

Disposition:

Individuals who have been legally married in a same-sex union will have their eligibility for Medicaid and related programs determined in the same manner as individuals who are legally married that are not of the same sex.

Documentation:

Documentation of a legally recognized same-sex marriage is only necessary in the same limited circumstances as documentation of any other marriage (for example, when an individual seeks spousal budgeting for long term care).

# APPLICANT/RECIPIENT DECLARATION CONCERNING THE LEGALLY RESPONSIBLE RELATIVE'S INCOME/RESOURCES



		DATE:		
		CASE NAME:		
		CASE NUMBER:		
		If you have any o	questions, call I 718-557-1399	IRA Infoline
This form is to be completed by the applicant or recipient to make income and/or resources available for the cost of spouses (e.g. husband for wife, wife for husband) and pare	necessary	medical care and service	sible Relative (LR es. Legally Respo	RR) who has refused nsible Relatives are:
The Legally Responsible Relative is not absolved from pr Department of Social Services expects the legally respor and resources of the responsible relative in order to dete pay. Legally Responsible Relatives may be taken to c provide requested financial information may also result in	nsible relat ermine the <b>ourt for f</b> a	ive to cooperate with the amounts the Legally Re allure to support their s	process of substa esponsible Relative pouses or minor	antiating the income e will be required to
Complete the table below, including your signature and the	e date, and	return this entire form in	the enclosed env	elope within 10 days
l (Print name)(First)		(Last)		_ declare that my
☐ Spouse ☐ Parent ☐ Other, specify: has refused to make his/her income and/or resources average the above and understand that the process of financial relative begins when I sign this form.	∕ailable for	the cost of necessary medical	edical care and se aid debt from my	ervices. I have read legally responsible
Name of Legally Responsible Relative:(l	First)	(L	ast)	
Social Security Number of Legally Responsible Relative:				
In consideration of the determination of my eligibility for York City Human Resources Administration (Department relative named above.	Medical A	Assistance, I hereby assign Assistance, I hereby assign all Services), my right of	gn, to the Commi support from the	ssioner of the New legally responsible
Name of Legally Responsible Relative's Health Care Pla	n (if applica	able)		
Type of Health Care Coverage (i.e. Long-Term Care):				
Policy Number (if applicable):				
Contact Number: ( )(Area Code)				
Signature of Applicant/ Recipient:			Date:	
Worker's Name	Title		Section	
Supervisor's Name (Print)		Supervisor's Name (Sign)	1	

### DECLARATION OF THE LEGALLY RESPONSIBLE RELATIVE



	DATE:	
	CASE NAME:	
-	CASE NUMBER:	
***************************************	<del></del> s	HRA InfoLine: 718-557-1399
Dear		
An application/recertification for Medicaid has identified as the Legally Responsible Relative		named above. You have been
If found eligible, Medicaid will cover that part o of the Legally Responsible Relative to make and services.	f the consumer's care for which s/he is unab available income and/or resources for the o	le to pay because of the refusal cost of necessary medical care
Legally Responsible Relatives are: a husband	for his wife, a wife for her husband, and pare	ents for children under 21.
IMPORTANT NOTICE: Legally Respons spouses or minor children.  Complete the table below, including your sign within 10 days.		
Name:(First)		
Relationship to the Medicaid Applicant/Recip	lent (check box): D Spouse D Parent D	(specify)
Social Security Number:		
Name of your Health Insurance Plan (if applic	cable):	
Type of Health Insurance Coverage (i.e. Long	g-Term Care):	
Policy Number (if applicable):		
Contact Number: ()_		
Area Code		
I declare that I refuse to make my income services for the Medicaid applicant/recipient l	and/or resources available for the cost of isted above.	necessary medical care and
	ət	Date:
Signature of the Legally Responsible Relative		Date
If you have any questions, contact:		Date

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#### GENERAL INFORMATION SYSTEM

**DIVISION:** Office of Medicaid Management

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TO: Local District Commissioners, Medicaid Directors

FROM: Betty Rice, Director

Division of Consumer and Local District Relations

SUBJECT: Retirement Funds owned by Medicaid Applicants/Recipients

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** Immediately

CONTACT PERSON: Wendy Butz (518) 473-5500 or Dennis Boucher

(518) 473-6111

This message is to clarify the Department's policy concerning the treatment of retirement funds for purposes of determining Medicaid eligibility. The clarification reflects the eligibility requirements of the Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program, however, the clarification applies to all Medicaid applicants/recipients.

Retirement funds are annuities or work-related plans for providing income when employment ends (e.g., pension, disability, or other retirement plans administered by an employer or union). Other examples are funds held in an individual retirement account (IRA) and plans for self employed individuals, sometimes referred to as Keogh plans.

#### Treatment as a Resource

A retirement fund owned by an individual is a countable resource if the individual is not entitled to periodic payments, but is allowed to withdraw any of the funds. The value of the resource is the amount of money that the individual can currently withdraw. If there is a penalty for early withdrawal, the value of the resource is the amount available after the Any income taxes due are not deductible in determining penalty deduction. the resource's value.

As advised in 90 ADM-36, retirement funds owned by an ineligible or nonapplying community spouse are countable for purposes of determining the total combined countable resources of the couple. However, the retirement funds are not considered available to the institutionalized spouse. The retirement fund owned by the community spouse is counted first toward the maximum community spouse resource allowance.

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#### Periodic Payments

Medicaid A/Rs who are eligible for periodic retirement benefits must apply for such benefits as a condition of eligibility. If there are a variety of payment options, the individual must choose the maximum income payment that could be made available over the individual's life time. (By federal law, if the Medicaid A/R has a spouse, the maximum income payment option for a married individual will usually be less than the maximum income payment option that is available to a single individual.) Once an individual is receiving periodic payments, the payments are counted as unearned income on a monthly basis, regardless of the actual frequency of the payment. For example, if the periodic benefit is received once a year, the amount is to be divided by twelve to arrive at a monthly income amount.

Once an individual is in receipt of or has applied for periodic payments, the principal in the retirement fund is not a countable resource. includes situations where a Medicaid applicant has already elected less than the maximum periodic payment amount and this election is irrevocable. such situations, only the periodic payment amount received is counted as income and the principal is disregarded as a resource.

Individuals who have met the minimum benefit duration requirement of a New York State Partnership for Long Term Care policy are not required to maximize income from a retirement fund. In addition, non-applying or ineligible spouses/parents cannot be required to maximize income from a retirement fund.

The above information will be contained in a forthcoming administrative directive.

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TO: Local District Commissioners, Medicaid Directors

FROM: Betty Rice, Director

Division of Consumer & Local District Relations

SUBJECT: Treatment of Community Spouses' Retirement Funds

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2006

CONTACT PERSON: Local District Liaison

Upstate (518) 474-8887 NYC (212) 417-4500

This GIS informs districts of an amendment to Section 360-4.10(a)(9) of Department regulations, regarding the treatment of a community spouse's (CS's) retirement fund for purposes of determining an institutionalized spouse's Medicaid eligibility.

Retirement funds are annuities or work-related plans for providing income when employment ends (e.g., pension, disability, or other retirement plans administered by an employer or union). Additional examples are funds held in an individual retirement account (IRA) and plans for self-employed individuals (e.g., Keogh plans).

In accordance with recent federal notification regarding the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988, retirement funds are not excludable resources for purposes of determining an institutionalized spouse's Medicaid eligibility. Therefore, effective January 1, 2006, if a CS is NOT receiving periodic payments from his/her available retirement fund, the fund is considered a countable resource for purposes of determining the community spouse resource allowance (CSRA) and the institutionalized spouse's Medicaid eligibility. This includes situations where the retirement fund of the CS exceeds the CSRA. Prior to the regulation change, it had been the Department's policy to count the resource amount of any retirement fund belonging to the CS first toward the CSRA and to disregard any amount which exceeded the CSRA. The excess will no longer be disregarded.

This change applies to Medicaid eligibility determinations with a budget "From Date" of January 1, 2006 or after. Undercare cases are not affected by this change.

NOTE: If the community spouse has elected to receive periodic payments from his/her retirement account, the retirement account is not a countable resource in determining the institutionalized spouse's eligibility. However, the periodic payments are countable income for the community spouse.

For purposes of determining Medicaid eligibility for SSI-related individuals who are not subject to spousal impoverishment budgeting, a retirement fund owned by a non-applying or ineligible spouse continues to be excluded as a resource.

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TO:

Local District Commissioners, Medicaid Directors

FROM:

Judith Arnold, Director

Division of Eligibility and Marketplace Integration

SUBJECT:

2015 Update to the Actuarial Life Expectancy Table

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

Immediately

**CONTACT PERSON:** Local District Support Unit

Upstate (518) 474-8887

NYC (212) 417-4500

The purpose of this General Information System (GIS) message is to provide local departments of social services with the updated life expectancy table issued by the Office of the Chief Actuary of the Social Security Administration (SSA).

As advised in Administrative Directive 06 OMM/ADM-5, "Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 - Long-Term Care Medicaid Eligibility," the life expectancy table issued by SSA is required to be used in evaluating whether an annuity purchased by or on behalf of an applicant/recipient on or after February 8, 2006 is actuarially sound. The table is also used in determining whether the repayment term for a promissory note, loan or mortgage is actuarially sound.

The life expectancy table that was attached to 06 OMM/ADM-5 as Attachment VIII, is being updated to reflect the current information obtained from the Office of the Chief Actuary of the Social Security Administration. The revised life expectancy table is provided as an attachment to this GIS. Effective with the release of this GIS, districts must use the revised table.

Please direct any questions to your local district support liaison.

# **2015 Life Expectancy Table**

Ago	Male Life	Female Life Expectancy	Ago	Male Life Expectancy	Female Life Expectancy
Age	Expectancy	80.95	<b>Age</b> 30	47.76	51.92
1	76.18		31	46.83	50.95
2	75.69	80.39	32	45.90	49.99
3	74.72	79.42	33	44.96	49.02
	73.74	78.44		44.03	48.06
4	72.76	77.45	34		47.10
5	71.77	76.47	35	43.10	
6	70.78	75.48	36	42.17	46.15
7	69.79	74.48	37	41.24	45.19
8	68.80	73.49	38	40.31	44.23
9	67.81	72.50	39	39.39	43.28
10	66.82	71.51	40	38.46	42.33
11	65.82	70.51	41	37.54	41.39
12	64.83	69.52	42	36.62	40.45
13	63.84	68.52	43	35.71	39.51
14	62.85	67.53	44	34.81	38.57
15	61.87	66.54	45	33.91	37.65
16	60.90	65.56	46	33.02	36.72
17	59.93	64.57	47	32.13	35.81
18	58.97	63.59	48	31.26	34.89
19	58.02	62.61	49	30.39	33.99
20	57.07	61.63	50	29.53	33.09
21	56.13	60.66	51	28.68	32.19
22	55.20	59.68	52	27.84	31.30
23	54.27	58.71	53	27.01	30.42
24	53.35	57.74	54	26.19	29.54
25	52.42	56.76	55	25.38	28.67
26	51.49	55.79	56	24.57	27.80
27	50.56	54.82	57	23.78	26.93
28	49.63	53.85	58	22.99	26.07
29	48.69	52.88	59	22.21	25.22

# 2015 Life Expectancy Table

	Male Life	Female Life		Male Life	Female Life
Age	Expectancy	Expectancy	Age	Expectancy	
60	21.44	24.37	90	4.00	4.75
61	20.67	23.52	91	3.70	4.40
62	19.90	22.68	92	3.44	4.08
63	19.15	21.85	93	3.19	3.79
64	18.40	21.03	94	2.97	3.53
65	17.66	20.22	95	2.78	3.29
66	16.93	19.42	96	2.61	3.08
67	16.21	18.63	97	2.46	2.89
68	15.51	17.85	98	2.33	2.72
69	14.81	17.09	99	2.21	2.56
70	14.13	16.33	100	2.09	2.41
71	13.47	15.59	101	1.98	2.27
72	12.81	14.86	102	1.88	2.13
73	12.18	14.14	103	1.77	2.00
74	11.55	13.44	104	1.68	1.87
75	10.94	12.76	105	1.58	1.75
76	10.34	12.09	106	1.49	1.64
77	9.76	11.44	107	1.40	1.53
78	9.20	10.80	108	1.32	1.43
79	8.66	10.18	109	1.24	1.33
80	8.13	9.58	110	1.16	1.23
81	7.62	9.00	111	1.09	1.14
82	7.14	8.43	112	1.02	1.06
83	6.68	7.89	113	0.95	0.98
84	6.23	7.37	114	0.89	0.90
85	5.81	6.87	115	0.82	0.83
86	5.40	6.40	116	0.76	0.76
87	5.02	5.94	117	0.71	0.71
88	4.65	5.52	118	0.65	0.65
89	4.31	5.12	119	0.60	0.60

### Appendix B. Uniform Lifetime Table

	Table	III	
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#### (For Use by:

- Unmarried Owners,
- Married Owners Whose Spouses Are Not More Than 10 Years Younger, and
- Married Owners Whose Spouses Are Not the Sole Beneficiaries of Their IRAs)

Age	Distribution Period	Age	Distribution Period
70	27.4	93	9.6
71	26.5	94	9.1
72	25.6	95	8.6
73	24.7	96	8.1
74	23.8	97	7.6
75	22.9	98	7.1
76	22.0	99	6.7
77	21.2	100	6.3
78	20.3	101	5.9
79	19.5	102	5.5
80	18.7	103	5.2
81	17.9	104	4.9
82	17.1	105	4.5
83	16.3	106	4.2
84	15.5	107	3.9
85	14.8	108	3.7
86	14.1	109	3.4
87	13.4	110	3.1
88	12.7	111	2.9
89	12.0	112	2.6
90	11.4	113	2.4
91	10.8	114	2.1
92	10.2	115 and over	1.9

### RESOURCES TRANSFER OF ASSETS

#### **ANNUITIES**

Description:

An annuity is contract with a life insurance company, designed to provide payments on a regular basis either for life or a term of years.

Policy:

As a condition of eligibility, all persons applying for Medicaid coverage of nursing facility services, including requests for an increase in coverage for nursing facility services, must disclose a description of any interest he/she, or his/her spouse, may have in an annuity. The disclosure of interest in an annuity is required regardless of whether the annuity is irrevocable or counted as a resource. Additionally, for annuities purchased by an SSI-related A/R or the A/R's spouse on or after February 8, 2006, the State must be named as a remainder beneficiary in the first position for at least the amount of Medicaid paid on behalf of the institutionalized individual. In cases where there is a community spouse or minor or disabled child of any age, the State must be named the remainder beneficiary in the second position or named in the first position if such spouse or representative of such child disposes of any such remainder for less than fair market value.

**NOTE:** In instances where the annuity has been determined to be a countable resource, the State is NOT named a remainder beneficiary.

The social services district must require a copy of the annuity contract owned by the SSI-related A/R or the A/R's spouse in order to verify that the State has been named the remainder beneficiary. If the SSI-related A/R or the A/R's spouse fails or refuses to provide the necessary documentation, the district must treat the purchase of the annuity as a transfer of assets for less than fair market value.

Individuals who are applying for or receiving care, services or supplies pursuant to a waiver under subsection (c) or (d) of Section 1915 of the Social Security Act (SSA) are **not** subject to these requirements regarding annuities. In New York, such waiver services are provided through the Long Term Home Health Care Program (LTHHCP), Traumatic Brain Injury Waiver Program (TBI), Care at Home Program (CAH), the Office for People with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) Waiver, Home and Community- Based Services Waiver for Children with Serious Emotional Disturbance (Office of Mental Health [OMH]) and the Nursing Home Transition and Diversion Waiver (NHTD).

**NOTE:** Treatment of annuities for Partnership policy/certificate holders with Total Asset Protection <u>OR</u> Dollar for Dollar Asset Protection plans is discussed in **RESOURCES** <u>NEW YORK STATE</u> PARTNERSHIP FOR LONG TERM CARE.

### RESOURCES TRANSFER OF ASSETS

#### **ANNUITIES**

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#### Interpretation:

The purchase of an annuity that does not name the State as a remainder beneficiary in the first position (or in the second position as explained above) will be treated as an uncompensated transfer of assets for SSI-related A/Rs. In addition, if an annuity is purchased by or on behalf of an SSI-related A/R, the purchase will be treated as a transfer of assets for less than fair market value unless the annuity is:

- An annuity described in subsection (b) or (q) of Section 408 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; or
- Purchased with the proceeds from an account or trust, described in subsection (a), (c), or (p) of Section 408 of such Code; a simplified employee pension (within the meaning of Section 408 (k) of such Code); or a Roth IRA described in Section 408A of such Code; or

## RESOURCES TRANSFER OF ASSETS

#### **ANNUITIES**

The annuity is:

- Irrevocable and non-assignable;
- Is actuarially sound (as determined in accordance with actuarial publications of the Office of the Chief Actuary of the Social Security Administration);
- Provides for payments in equal amounts during the term of the annuity with no deferral and no balloon payments made.

**NOTE**: These provisions apply to transactions, including purchases which occur on or after February 8, 2006. Transactions subject to these provisions include any action by the individual that changes the course of payment from the annuity or that changes the treatment of the income or principal of the annuity. These transactions include additions of principal, elective withdrawals, requests to change the distribution of the annuity, elections to annuitize the contract and similar actions.





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□ 나의 앱으도 놀아될 게획이 없습니다		
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#### **DISCHARGE ALERT**

Non-Chronic Budget
Fee-for-Service and Managed Long Term Care Only



		Date
TO:	FROM:	
Medical Assistance Program NHED - Expedited Discharge Unit	NAME OF FACILITY	
P.O. Box 24210 Brooklyn, NY 11202-9810	ADDRESS	
	PROVIDER NUMBER	
	CONTACT PERSON	TELEPHONE
		ubmit this form with the application conversion packet.
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	CIN
Upon completion of a rehabilitation program the		· · · · · ·
Anticipated discharge date		
PLANNED LIVING ARRANGEMENTS:		
Own Home/Apartment	☐ Relativ	e's Home
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I, do certify that all the medical information cor and is supported by medical records on file at	ntained within this form is both the facility. I may be contacte	n true and complete to the best of my knowledge d for further clarification.
PHYSICIAN'S NAME (Print)	SPECIALITY	PHYSICIAN'S SIGNATURE
DATE FORM SIGNED	LICENSE NO.	TELEPHONE NO.

DO NOT FAX THIS FORM. The original must be mailed. EDITS Nursing Home submitters must retain the original in the consumer's record.

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### NOTICE OF INTENT TO IMPOSE A LIEN ON REAL PROPERTY (INSTITUTIONALIZED INDIVIDUAL)

NOTICE DATE:	August 4,	2014		NAME AND ADDRESS OF AGENC Division of Liens	Y/CENTER OR DISTICT OFFICE
CASE NUMBER		CIN/RID NUMBER		Real Property & F 250 Church Street -	Asset Unit
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amount of Medical Assistance paid or to be paid on your behalf, we will redetermine your Medical Assistance eligibility based

on your income and resources at that time,

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The LAWS and REGÜLATIONS which allow us to do this are Sections 389.1 and 369.2 of Social Services Law and 18 NYCRR 360-7.11.

REGULATIONS REQUIRE THAT YOU IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THIS DEPARTMENT OF ANY CHANGE IN NEEDS, INCOME, RESOURCES, LIVING ARRANGEMENTS OR ADDRESS

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO APPEAL THIS DECISION BE SURE TO READ THE BACK OF THIS NOTICE ON HOW TO APPEAL THIS DECISION 3

#### NOTICE OF LIEN

Pursuant to Section 369 of the New York State Social Services Law and Title 18 of the New York Codes Rules Regulations, Section 360-7.11

THE CITY OF NEW YORK - DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

KINDLY RECORD

**HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION** 

AND RETURN TO:

INVESTIGATION, REVENUE AND ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION

LIENS AND RECOVERY DIVISION 250 CHURCH STREET, 7TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10013 TELEPHONE: (212) 274-4707

10/17/2014

DATE

TO:

THE CLERK OF THE COUNTY OF KINGS, CITY OF NEW YORK: CITY REGISTER, COUNTY OF KINGS, CITY OF NEW YORK: STATE OF NEW YORK

AND ALL OTHERS TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT the Department of Social Services of the City of New York acting by and through the Commissioner of Social Services of the City of New York with offices located at 180 Water Street, New York, New York 10038 has claims a lien pursuant to Social Services Law Section 369 and 18 NYCRR 360-7.11, upon the house, building and appurtenances, and upon the lot, premises and parcel of land upon which the same may stand, hereinafter mentioned, for medical assistance paid or to be paid on behalf of the owner of said real property, pursuant to Title 11 of Article 5 of the Social Services Law of the State of New York, and hereby states:

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First

Middle

Last

2. ADDRESS OF PROPERTY.

CINN #

 BLOCK AND LOT NUMBER OF PROPERTY Tax Map of County of KINGS

BLOCK #

LOT #

4. LIENOR'S ATTORNEY

Martha A. Calhoun, General Counsel, 180 Water Street, New York, New York 10038.

This lien is for medicaid coverage in the nursing home commencing (date pending) through the present date, at the monthly regional rate of \$9375.00, which sum continues to accrue.

5. NAME (8) AND ADDRESS (ES) FACILITY (IES)

The name and address of the nursing facility, intermediate care facility for the mentally retarded, or other medical institution in which said owner is an inpatient and from which said owner is not reasonably expected to be discharged and to return home are:

DITMAS PARK REHABILITATION 2107 DITMAS AVENUE BROOKLYN , NY 11226

and or such facility at which the recipient is now or has resided.

- 6. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary stated herein, the whole of the principle amount due for Medicaid paid to or on behalf of the recipient for Medicaid services provided in in accordance with section 4 of this Notice of, Lien, shall become due and payable upon any one of the following occurrences:
  - the death of the recipient-owner of the property, if not survived by a spouse, and if survived by a spouse, then upon the death of that surviving spouse; or
  - (b) upon the death of the recipient or, upon the death of any care-giving child whichever occurs last;
- (c) upon the recipient, during his/her lifetime in title, or the recipient's care-giving child's lifetime in title, should either vacate or cease to recide at or convey or lease the premises to another, or create a life estate therein, or by any act by which the recipient or recipient's care-giving child transfers any of their interests in the premises, in whole or in part, or by any other act by which the recipient, or the recipient's care-giving child, hinders, liens and encumbers, pledges or assigns the title thereto, or any part thereof; or conveys or leases said described premises to another or others, or becomes tenant(s) of the said premises by reason of a conveyance, or any other acts by which the recipient, or the recipient's resident care-giving child, effects, hinders, liens pledges or assigns the title thereto, or any part thereof.

This lien may not be changed or terminated orally. The covariance contained herein shall run with the land and bind the the recipient, and/or the recipients resident care giving child, their heirs, personal representatives, auccessors and assigns or such recipient and/or resident care taking child, and upon all subsequent owners, encumbrancers, tenants and subtenants of the premises, and shall enure to the benefit of the Department, it successors and assigns.

Department of Social Services of the City of New York

Martha & Calhoun, GENERAL COUNSEL,

of the Department of Social Bervices of the City of New York

STATE OF NEW YORK:

COUNTY OF NEW YORK:

On the 1714 day of October, 2014 before me, the undersigned, personally appeared Martha A. Calhoun, General Counsel personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed same in his capacity, and that by his signature on person upon whose behalf the individual acted, executed the instrument.

**NOTARY PUBLIC** 

Signature and Office of Individual taking acknowledgement

REBECCA A MANU Notary Public, State of New York No. 01MA6210225 Qualified in Bronx County

Commission Expires August 10, 2017

HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION INVESTIGATION, REVENUE AND ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION OFFICE OF REVENUE AND ADMINISTRATION 250 CHURCH STREET, 7<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10013



3.		

Case #

Property Address:

Lien Date: 10/17/2014

Recorded: 11/07/2014

Amount: 950,000.00

Commissioner: steven banks

Reel: Page:

Block: Lot:

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Dear Common Dear

The Department is currently in the process of preparing a "Satisfaction of Mortgage" which must be signed-off by the General Counsel Martha A. Calhoun.

As soon as Ms.Calhoun signs-off on the "Satisfaction of Morgage", the department will forward the instrument to the City Register's ofice in the County of Kings for recording. In addition, upon receipt of the recorded instrument, the original will be forwarded to you.

Thank you for sharing your concerns and if there is any way I can assist you in the future please do not hesitate to telephone me at (212) 274-5503

Sincerely,

Resources Consultant

### NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF YOUR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATION (RVI)

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MAP-2087	1 (E) 07/02/2013
DATE: (3)	13/17

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Th	is decisio	n is ba	sed on Social Services La	w: 366-a (2) and 18 NYCRR 360-2.3	3, 360-4.1, 360-4.4, 360-4.5, 360-4.7, 360-4.8.
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YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO APPEAL THIS DECISION BE SURE TO READ THE ENCLOSED FORM MAP-2086 FOR YOUR RIGHTS ON HOW TO APPEAL THIS DECISION.

## NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF YOUR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATION/RECERTIFICATION

(Home Care Services/Managed Long Term Care)

Brooklyn, My 11208		DATE:  SE NUMBER:  f you have any questions, call HRA Infoline at 718-557-1399
		CHECK PROGRAM AREA  Home Care Services Program  Managed Long Term Care Program
Dear Consumer:		
We are sending you this notice to tell you that the M	Medical Assistance Program wi	П:
ACCEPT your Medicaid application/recertified	ation for full Medicaid coverage	e from:
For the following person(s):		
ACCEPT your Medicaid application/recertifica	ation with a <b>spenddown</b> (exces	s/ surplus income) from:
For the following person(s):		
We have certified that you have a continuing need	for Home Care/Managed Long	Term Care Services.
WE HAVE DETERMINED YOUR SPENDDO	WN AS FOLLOWS:	
A. Total monthly income	s 3/44.19	THIS IS NOT A BILL. DO NOT SEND ANY
B. Total monthly deductions	s 2366.19	MONEY TO MEDICAID. YOU WILL RECEIVE A BILL SHORTLY. FOLLOW
C. Net Medicaid income (line A minus line B)	s 800,00	INSTRUCTIONS ON THE BILL.
D. Medicaid level for your household size	s 809.00	
E. Monthly Excess Income (line C minus line D)	s 0.00	
You are required to pay your full excess (surplu agency providing your Home Care/Managed Long to the date indicated above and may be for more that	Term Care services. You will	he amount of \$each month to the receive your first bill shortly. This bill will be retroactive
This decision is based on Social Services Law or R	egulation: 18ky	C 1K 360 G 3

Human Resources Administration

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO APPEAL THIS DECISION

TITLE

Regulations require that you immediately notify this department of any changes in needs, income, resources, living arrangements, or address.

BE SURE TO READ THE ENCLOSED FORM MAP-2086B FOR YOUR RIGHTS ON HOW TO APPEAL THIS DECISION

#### **BUDGET EXPLANATION**



CASE NAME:

CIN:

We calculated your Medical budget for the period beginning \_\_\_\_\_\_ as follows:

MONTHLY GROSS INCOME	AMOUNT
Employment	\$
Interest Income	\$
Social Security	\$ 1605.90
Child Support	\$
Other (specify): Fridging (IPA)	\$ 1325.00
Other (specify): YENGIN CIRA).	\$ 235.29
Other (specify):	\$ 0
TOTAL MONTHLY GROSS INCOME:	\$ 3/66,19
MONTHLY DEDUCTIONS	AMOUNT
Allowance for disabled, aged or blind persons	\$ 20.00
Work Related Expenses	\$
Family Care Expenses	\$
Health Care Expenses DIGU MELLON NEW MERCHANISM	\$ 97.15
Child Support Exemption Tooled Thus!	\$2,199.19
Other (specify):	\$ 104.90
TOTAL MONTHLY DEDUCTIONS:	\$ 2366.19
TOTAL MONTHLY NET INCOME (gross income minus deductions)	\$ 800.00
MONTHLY ALLOWANCES	AMOUNT
The monthly Medicaid allowance for your household is:	\$ 800.00
The monthly Medicare Savings Program allowance for your household is:	\$
The monthly Family Health Plus allowance for your household is:	\$
The monthly Family Planning Benefit Program allowance for your household is:	\$
The monthly Public Assistance Standard of Need for your household is:	\$
After subtracting the appropriate monthly allowance from your monthly net income, we have de income exceeds this allowance by	A CA

(See back of page for resource details, if applicable)

RESOURCES	
(exempt resources such as money held in a burial fund are not shown below)	AMOUNT
Bank Accounts:	\$ 31,16.03
Other (specify):	\$ 5700.00
Other (specify):	\$
Other (specify):	\$ 000
TOTAL RESOURCES:	\$ 4476.53
RESOURCE ALLOWANCE	AMOUNT
Medicaid Resource Allowance	\$ 14,400.00
Public Assistance Resource Allowance	\$ '
After subtracting the appropriate resource allowance from your non-exempt resources your resources exceed this allowance by:	$\mathcal{A}$
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WORKER (Print) (WORKER (Sign)) SECTION	M478/5H9
SUPERVISOR (Print) SUPERVISOR (Sign) DATE	3/10/14

MAP-2060 (E) 05/28/2013

HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION INVESTIGATION, REVENUE AND ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION DIVISION OF CLAIMS AND COLLECTIONS 250 CHURCH STREET - 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10013





May 21, 2014





This letter will inform you that pursuant to New York State Law, you are required to contribute towards the medical support of your spouse, to the extent that your income and resources exceed the maximum amounts set by New York State regulations, by repaying the Human Resources Administration for Medicaid provided on behalf of your spouse who is a current resident of a nursing facility.

We are conducting a review of the income and resources information that was submitted to the Medical Insurance and Community Services Administration (MICSA) with your spouse's Medicaid application. In order to determine a fair contribution amount, we need to review other pertinent factors, such as your personal living expenses, which may affect your required level of contribution.

Please contact me to schedule an office appointment. If you would like, you may schedule a home visit to discuss this matter.

Please respond within twenty days of receipt of this notice.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours truly,

Fraud Investigator (212)

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HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION INVESTIGATION, REVENUE AND ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION DIVISION OF CLAIMS AND COLLECTIONS 250 CHURCH STREET - 12TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10013





June 11, 2014





You were previously contacted by this office by letter dated, May 21, 2014. You were informed of your potential obligation to provide medical support for your spouse and asked to contact our office to discuss your financial circumstances. You have failed to respond to that letter. Accordingly we have prepared a claim for repayment based on the information that was provided to the Medical Insurance and Community Services Administration (MICSA) as part of your spouse's Medicaid application.

Medicaid was furnished to your spouse effective November 16, 2013. Medicaid benefits expended through May 26, 2014 total \$123,821.80. The Human Resources Administration is authorized by law to seek recovery of medical expenses and an ongoing contribution from a Community spouse whose resources and/or income exceed the amounts set by State Regulation. According to our information, your resources total \$203,637.96 and your monthly income totals \$1,632.90. Under current provisions, a community spouse (the spouse of a Medicaid recipient who resides in a nursing home) is permitted to retain \$117,240.00 in resources and \$2,931.00 in monthly income. If you own a home and it is your primary residence, as an exempt resource, its value has not been included in the calculation of your resources.

We have determined that:

- 1. 25% of your monthly income totals \$0.00.
- 2. Your resources are in excess of the allowable limit by \$86,397.96.

Please find attached a remittance notice and business reply envelope. If applicable, you will receive a statement each month. Follow the instructions on your monthly statement in making future payments. Please contact us if your circumstances change. Our mailing address is:

New York City Human Resources Administration Division of Claims and Collections P.O. Box 414312 Boston, MA 02241-4312

If you dispute the information listed in this document, we invite you to contact the undersigned to discuss this matter. However, if you fail to respond to this letter, or contact the undersigned within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter; this office will have no alternative but to refer the matter for immediate legal action to recover the amount of Medicaid issued on behalf of your spouse, as provided by the New York State Social Services Law.

Yours truly,

Fraud Investigator (212)

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Dear

Make check payable to the Department of Social Services for the following amounts:

- \$123,821.80 representing your excess resources towards the cost of care paid to date for your spouse.
- \$0.00 per month, representing 25% of your excess income.

Please return this notice along with payment within 15 days of the date indicated above, using the enclosed envelope. Write your spouse's name and case number on the check and mail to:

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Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions, please contact the fraud investigator listed below.

Yours truly,

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#### **VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Human Resources Administration Investigation, Revenue and Enforcement Administration Division of Claims and Collections 250 Church Street, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10013 Attn: 1

Re: Case #:

Dear

Please be advised that	this office represents		and his wife
	We are responding in	regards to H	RA's letter to
dated June 11, 201	<ol> <li>After reviewing</li> </ol>	fina	ancial records.
we contend that your office m	iscalculated	resources.	According to
your letter, you calculated	resources to be	\$203,637.96.	

Your calculations resources included the Chase Bank Acct, which belonged to the Applicant. In addition, IRA and 401(K) are both in payout status. These two (2) accounts are not to be included in the calculation towards her resources. Therefore, resources should have been \$143,123.28 (see copy attached of IRA and 401(K) statements.)

pre-need funeral agreements for both herself and her husband for a total of \$28,000 (see copy attached). As a result, total resources of \$115,123.28 did not exceed the \$117,240 community spouse resource level.

Please see below for a breakdown of s resources:

Resources:		\$203,637.96	
Chase Bank Acct (Checking)		(\$5,441.73)	
Chase Bank Acct (IRA)		(\$6,000.80)	
Wells Fargo (401(K)	1	(\$49,072.15)	
Pre-need Funeral Agreement	Example 1	(\$14,821.00)	
Pre-need Funeral Agreement		(\$13,179.00)	
Total Resources:		\$115,123.28	

We kindly ask that you close your agency's claims against her resources did not exceed the amount set by State Regulations. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

GRIMALDI & YEUNG LLP

Pauline Yeung Ha

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