



State of New Mexico
Human Services Department
Human Services Register



I. DEPARTMENT
NEW MEXICO HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT

II. SUBJECT
PREGNANCY RELATED MEDICAID AND FAMILY PLANNING

III. PROGRAM AFFECTED
(TITLE XIX) MEDICAID

IV. ACTION
FINAL REGULATIONS

V. BACKGROUND SUMMARY

Proposed regulations were issued in the New Mexico Human Services Register Vol. 29. No. 13 dated May 16, 2006. These regulations allow for an income disregard equivalent to the difference between 185% and 235% of the applicable Federal Poverty Level for the pregnant woman's household size. The same disregard applies to Family Planning eligibility criteria. A public hearing was held July 14, 2006 to receive public comment. No comments, either verbal or written were received.

The final regulations are adopted as proposed.

VI. REGULATIONS

These regulations will be contained in 8.235.500 NMAC of the Medical Assistance Division Eligibility Manual. A copy of the regulations may be requested by contacting the Medical Assistance Division at 827-3156 or they can be found on our Website at www.state.nm.us/hsd/mad.html.

VII. EFFECTIVE DATE

These regulations are effective October 1, 2006.

VIII. PUBLICATION

Publication of these regulations approved by:

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HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT