



State of New Mexico
Human Services Department
Human Services Register



I. DEPARTMENT
NEW MEXICO HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT

II. SUBJECT
IMPLEMENTATION OF 2021 FEDERAL POVERTY
GUIDELINES IN AFFECTED MEDICAID CATEGORIES/SSI AND SPOUSAL
IMPOVERISHMENT STANDARDS

III. PROGRAM AFFECTED
(TITLE XIX) MEDICAID

IV. ACTION
FINAL RULES

V. BACKGROUND SUMMARY

The New Mexico Human Services Register Volume 44, Register 10, dated April 20, 2021, issued the proposed New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC) rules, 8.200.510, *Medicaid Eligibility – General Recipient Polices, Resource Standards*, 8.200.520, *Medicaid Eligibility – General Recipient Rules, Income Standards* and 8.291.430, *Medicaid Eligibility – Affordable Care, Financial Responsibility Requirements*.

Section 9-8-6 NMSA 1978, authorizes the Department Secretary to promulgate rules and regulations that may be necessary to carry out the duties of the Department and its divisions.

Notice Date: April 20, 2021
Hearing Date: May 20, 2021
Adoption Date: September 1, 2021
Technical Citations: CFR does not apply.

A public hearing was held on May 20, 2021 to receive public comments and testimony on these proposed rules. The Human Services Department (the Department) did not receive any oral or written comments. These rules are being implemented as proposed.

VI. RULES

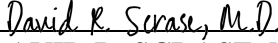
These amendments will be contained in 8.200.510, 8.200.520 and 8.291.430 NMAC. The final register and rule languages are available on the HSD website at: <https://www.hsd.state.nm.us/lookingforinformation/registers/> and <https://www.hsd.state.nm.us/lookingforinformation/medical-assistance-division-1/>. If you do not have internet access, a copy of the final register and rules may be requested by contacting the Medical Assistance Division at (505) 827-1337.

VII. EFFECTIVE DATE

These rules will have an effective date of September 1, 2021.

VIII. PUBLICATION

Publication of these rules approved by:

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HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT