



State of New Mexico
Human Services Department
Human Services Register



I. DEPARTMENT

NEW MEXICO HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT

II. SUBJECT

8.200.510 GENERAL RECIPIENT POLICIES-RESOURCE STANDARDS

8.200.520 GENERAL RECIPIENT POLICIES-INCOME STANDARDS

8.291.430 AFFORDABLE CARE-FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

III. PROGRAM AFFECTED

(TITLE XIX) MEDICAID

IV. ACTION

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V. BACKGROUND SUMMARY

New Mexico Human Services Register Volume 42, Register 8, dated April 23, 2019, issued the proposed rules, 8.200.510 Resource Standards, 8.200.520 Income Standards, and 8.291.430 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 23, 2019

Hearing Date: May 23, 2019

Adoption Date: Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) changes are effective January 01, 2019.

Federal Poverty Level (FPL) changes are effective April 01, 2019.

Technical Citations: 42 USC Section 9902 (2), Federal SSI and Spousal Impoverishment Standards, and SSA COLA Fact Sheet

A public hearing was held on May 23, 2019, to receive public comments and testimony on these proposed rules. The Human Services Department (the Department) received no 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.aspx>. 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

This rule will have an effective date of January 01, 2019 for the COLA changes and April 01, 2019 for the FPL changes.

VIII. PUBLICATION

Publication of these rules approved by:



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