

REFERENCE

CATEGORICAL FACTORS

**REDUCTION FACTORS FOR CALCULATING MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY
UNDER PICKLE AMENDMENT**

<i>If SSI was terminated during this period:</i>	Multiply 2009 Social Security income by:	<i>If SS was terminated during this period:</i>	Multiply 2009 Social Security income by:
May – June 1977	.267	Jan. 1993 – Dec. 1993	.645
July 1977 – June 1978	.282	Jan. 1994 – Dec. 1994	.661
July 1978 – June 1979	.301	Jan. 1995 – Dec. 1995	.680
July 1979 – June 1980	.330	Jan. 1996 – Dec. 1996	.698
July 1980 – June 1981	.378	Jan. 1997 – Dec. 1997	.718
July 1981 – June 1982	.420	Jan. 1998 – Dec. 1998	.733
July 1982 – Dec. 1983	.451	Jan. 1999 – Dec. 1999	.742
Jan. 1984 – Dec. 1984	.467	Jan. 2000 – Dec. 2000	.761
Jan. 1985 – Dec. 1985	.483	Jan. 2001 – Dec. 2001	.788
Jan. 1986 – Dec. 1986	.498	Jan. 2002 – Dec. 2002	.808
Jan. 1987 – Dec. 1987	.505	Jan. 2003 – Dec. 2003	.819
Jan. 1988 – Dec. 1988	.526	Jan. 2004 – Dec. 2004	.837
Jan. 1989 – Dec. 1989	.547	Jan. 2005 – Dec. 2005	.859
Jan. 1990 – Dec. 1990	.573	Jan. 2006 – Dec. 2006	.894
Jan. 1991 – Dec. 1991	.604	Jan. 2007 – Dec. 2007	.924
Jan. 1992 – Dec. 1992	.626	Jan. 2008 – Dec. 2008	.944
		Jan.2009 – Dec. 2009	1.00

To determine the countable SSA income to be used in determining eligibility under the Pickle Amendment:

- Locate the month in which the person last received SSI and the corresponding Reduction factor.
- Multiply the individual's (and/or spouse's)
- current Social Security benefit by the applicable Reduction factor.
- The result is the countable SSA income to be used. This figure should be added to any other countable income.
- If the resulting total (minus \$20.00 SSI-related income disregard) is less than the current SSI income standard and resources are less than the current SSI resource level, the individual is financially eligible for Medicaid under the Pickle amendment.