## INCOME

## <u>MEDICAID BUY-IN PROGRAM</u> FOR WORKING PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES (MBI-WPD)

Policy:

The federal poverty level is used to determine eligibility for MBI-WPD. The net countable income of the A/R is compared to 250% of the federal poverty level for the appropriate family size of a household for one or two.

SSI-related budgeting, including, disregards, allocation and deeming, is used for determining net available income. See pages 174 - 209 for a discussion of SSI-related budgeting.

Reference:

See pages 34.1, 325.1 and 399.1 for a discussion of other eligibility criteria for MBI-WPD.

SSL Sect. 366(1)(a)(12) & (13)

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Note: See page 120.3 for a chart displaying the Medicaid Levels and Federal Poverty Levels.

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