

NEW HEALTH COVERAGE FOR ADULTS AND FUTURE MEDICAID SUPPORTIVE HOUSING BENEFIT

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Who Medicaid Serves Now

Coverage in Virginia for SFY 2017



Children in Low
Income Families



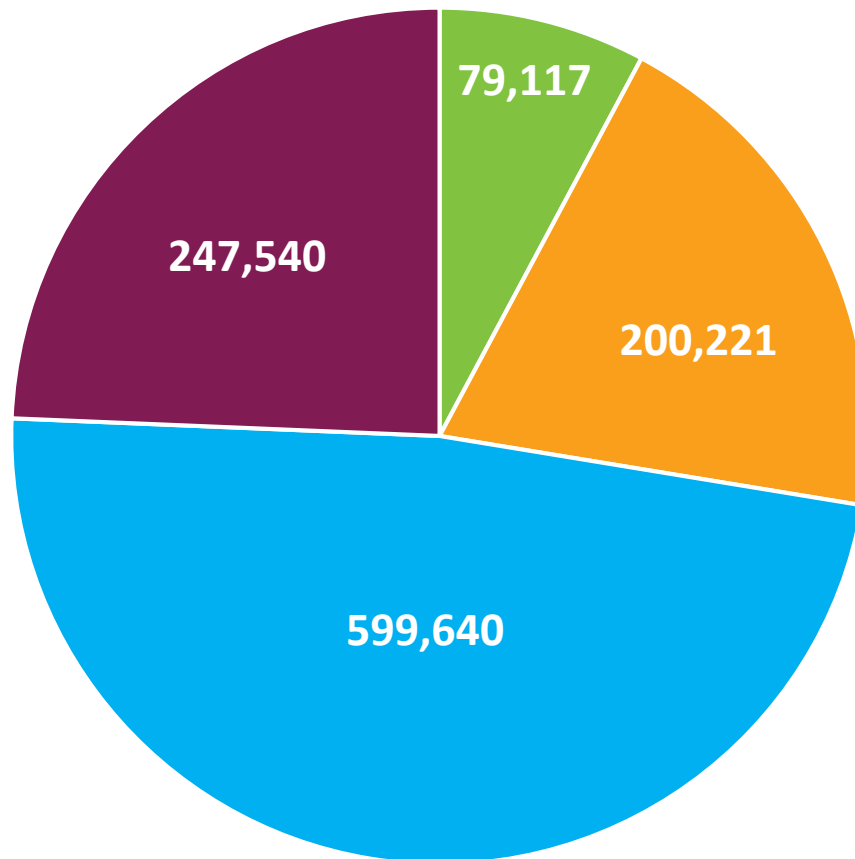
Parents, Caregivers,
and Pregnant
Women



Individuals with
Disabilities



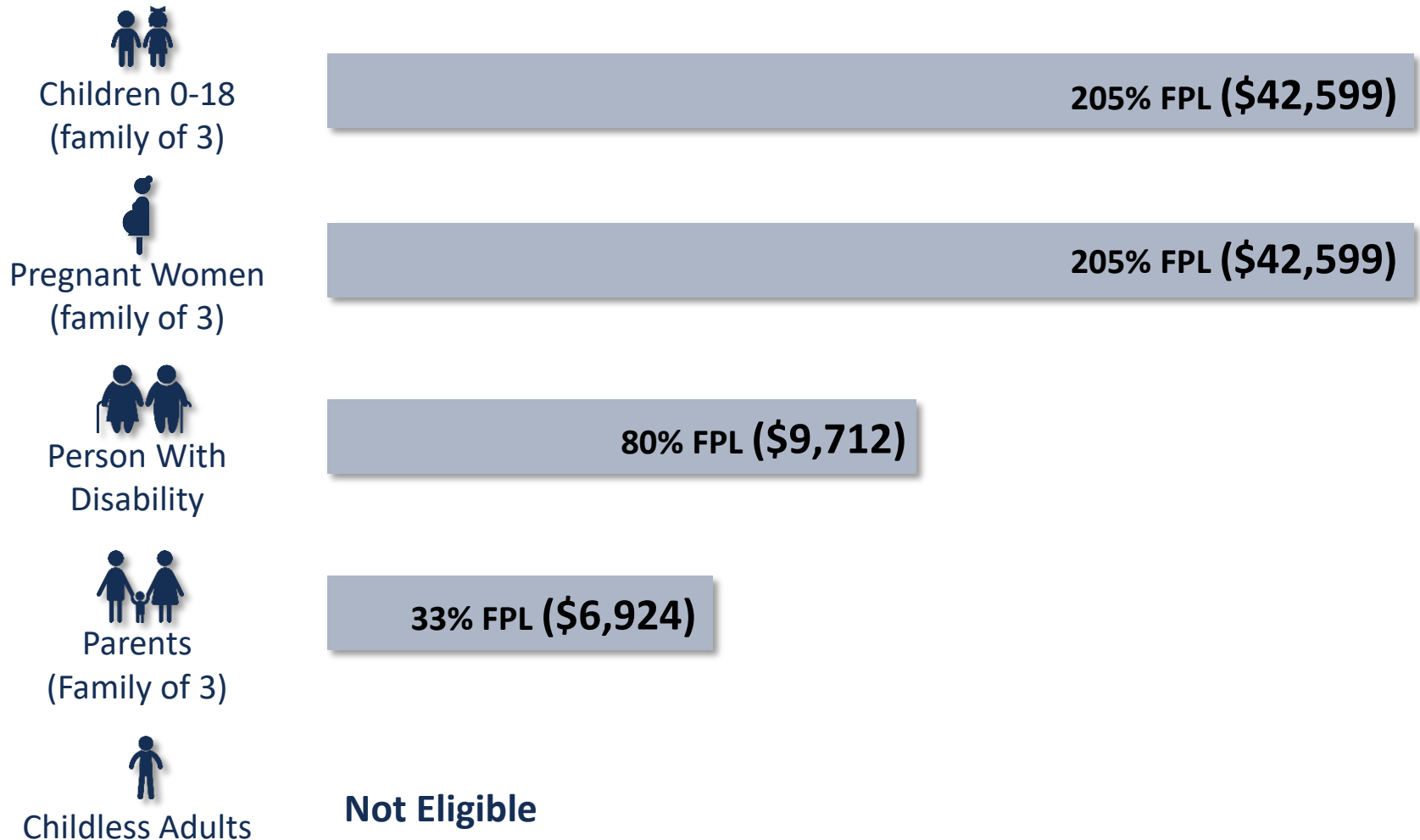
Older Adults



Medicaid plays a critical role in the lives of over 1.3 million Virginians

Who Qualifies for Virginia Medicaid Now?

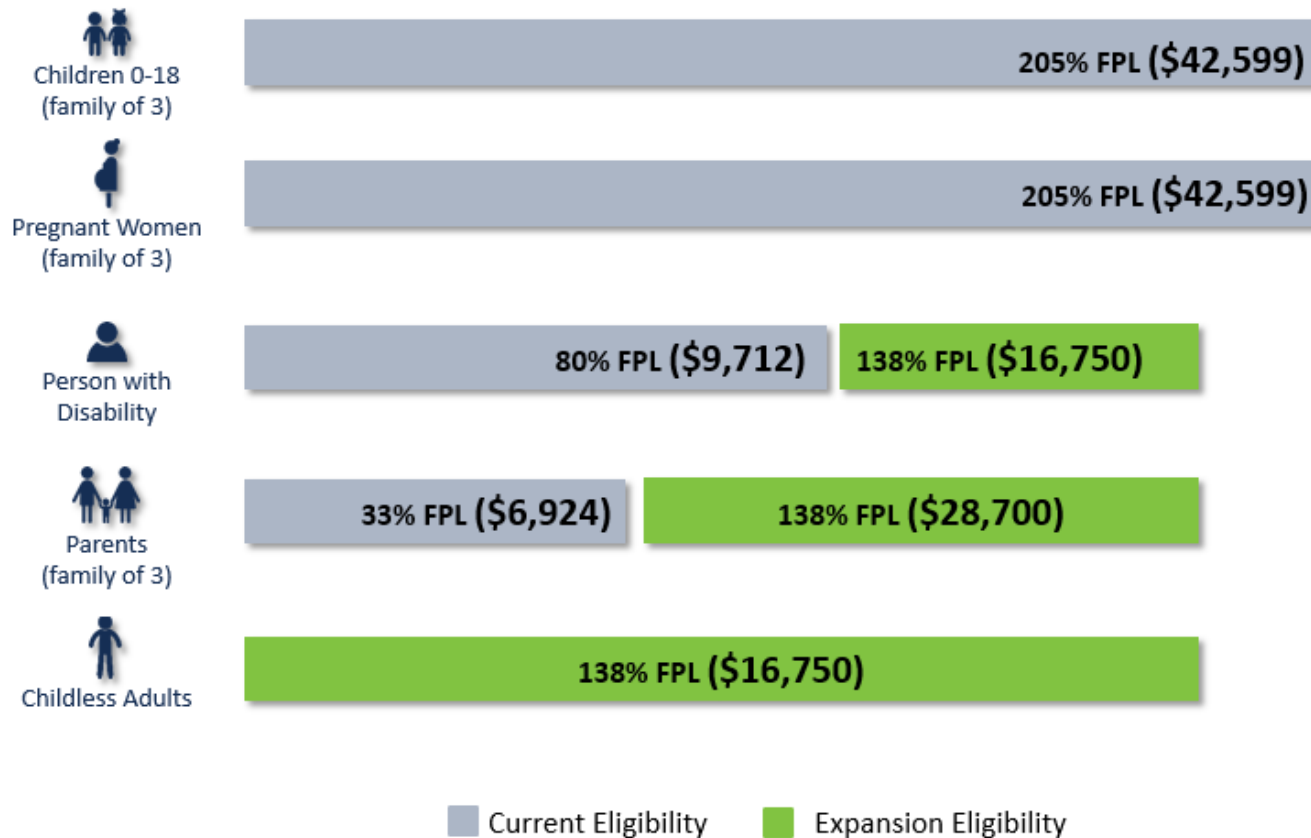
Not all low-income Virginians are eligible



Who Qualifies for Virginia Medicaid Under Expansion?

Medicaid expansion will provide quality, low-cost coverage to ~ 400,000 Virginians

- Adults ages 19 – 64, not Medicare eligible
- Income from 0% to 138% Federal Poverty Level



Overview of New Health Coverage for Adults

- Beginning January 1, 2019
- Approximately 400,000 more Virginia adults will enroll in quality, low-cost health coverage
- People working in retail, construction, childcare, landscaping, food service or other jobs that do not offer health insurance may be eligible
- In similar states such as Ohio and West Virginia:
 - 30% of the expansion population has a mental illness
 - 30% has a Substance Use Disorder

Path to Medicaid Expansion Implementation

The 2018 Appropriations Act directs DMAS to implement new coverage for adults and transform coverage

State Plan Amendments, contracts, or other policy changes

Implement new coverage for adults with incomes up to 138% FPL and implement early reforms for newly eligible individuals

§ 1115 Demonstration Waiver

Implement required reforms that transform the Medicaid program for eligible individuals

DMAS is working in parallel to begin the process of applying for a § 1115 waiver while submitting the State Plan Amendments to CMS

Early Medicaid Reforms

Empower individuals to improve their health and well-being and gain employer-sponsored or other commercial coverage, while ensuring fiscal sustainability

Health and Wellness Accounts



- Health and Wellness Accounts
- Healthy Behavior Incentives

Work Referrals



- Referrals to job training, education, and job placement assistance for all unemployed, able-bodied adults

Appropriate Utilization of Services



- Appropriate Utilization of ED Services
- Enhanced Fraud Prevention Efforts

Future Medicaid Reforms (Under § 1115 Waiver)

Required Medicaid reforms for populations earning 100-138% FPL will promote healthy behaviors and foster personal responsibility

Healthy Behavior Incentives



- Cost-sharing to promote healthy behaviors (e.g. avoidance of tobacco use)
- Cost-sharing reductions for compliance with healthy behaviors

Personal Responsibility



- Monthly premiums, copayments, and deductibles
- Cost-sharing to encourage accountability for service utilization (e.g. appropriate ED use)
- Waiting period prior to re-enrollment if premium not paid

Future Medicaid Reforms (Under § 1115 Waiver)

The Training, Enrollment, Education, Employment and Opportunity Program (TEEOP) will increase the health and well-being of able-bodied adults through community engagement

Gradually Increasing Participation



- Participation in community engagement activities increases gradually to at least 80 hours per month

Community Engagement Activities



- Employment
- Job Skills Training
- Education
- Volunteering
- Job Search Activities
- Caregiving

Certain Populations Are Exempt



- Medically Complex
- Children < Age 18
- Individuals > Age 55
- Primary Caregivers with a Dependent Child < Age 18
- Others

Future Medicaid Reforms (Under § 1115 Waiver)

The Supportive Employment and Housing Benefit will help high-risk Medicaid beneficiaries obtain and maintain employment and stable housing

High-Risk Medicaid Beneficiaries



Targeting high-risk beneficiaries:

- With mental illness, substance use disorder, or other complex, chronic conditions
- Who need intensive, ongoing support to obtain and maintain employment and stable housing

Supportive Employment Services



**Possible services could include:*

- Vocational/job-related discovery or assessment;
- Person-centered employment planning;
- Job placement or development;
- Other services

Supportive Housing Services



**Possible services could include:*

- Screening and housing assessment;
- Developing an individual housing support plan;
- Other services

Who Are Virginia's Uninsured?

Recent focus groups with uninsured adults in Virginia who have incomes below 138% FPL offered key findings:

- Cost has been the main barrier to coverage as well as working in jobs or for employers that do not offer coverage
- Most have been putting off getting health care services, paying out of pocket at a clinic when sick, or going to ERs when they become seriously ill
- The new adult population has a strong interest in enrolling in Medicaid and almost all say they will apply
- Most are unaware that Virginia will expand Medicaid
- Many fear “rejection” if they apply, as they have been unsuccessful in the past

New Adult Coverage Uses Current Managed Care Plans

Coverage will be provided for over 90% of Medicaid enrollees through the Medallion 4.0 and Commonwealth Coordinated Care Plus (CCC Plus) managed care programs

Medicaid Delivery Systems

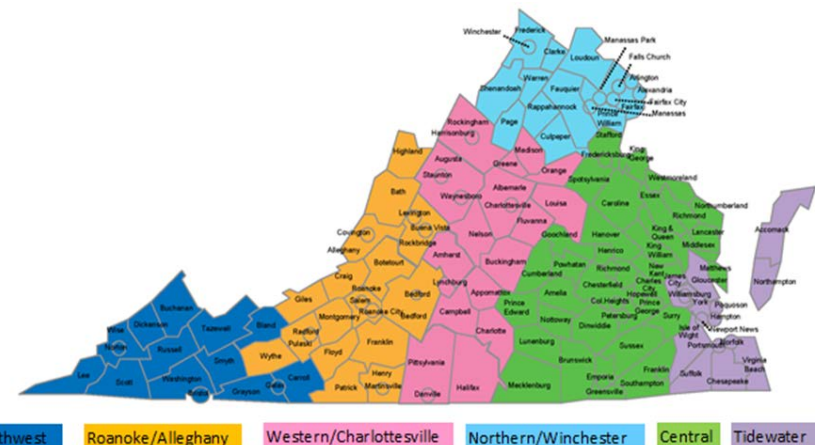
Commonwealth Coordinated Care Plus (CCC Plus) will serve populations who are *medically complex* (individuals with a complex behavioral or medical condition and functional impairment)

Medallion 4.0 will serve populations other than those who are medically complex

Fee for Service will serve populations until they are enrolled in an MCO and the populations and services that are excluded from managed care

6 Health Plans Contracted Statewide

1. Aetna Better Health of Virginia
2. Anthem HealthKeepers Plus
3. Magellan Complete Care of Virginia
4. Optima Health
5. United Healthcare
6. Virginia Premier Health Plan

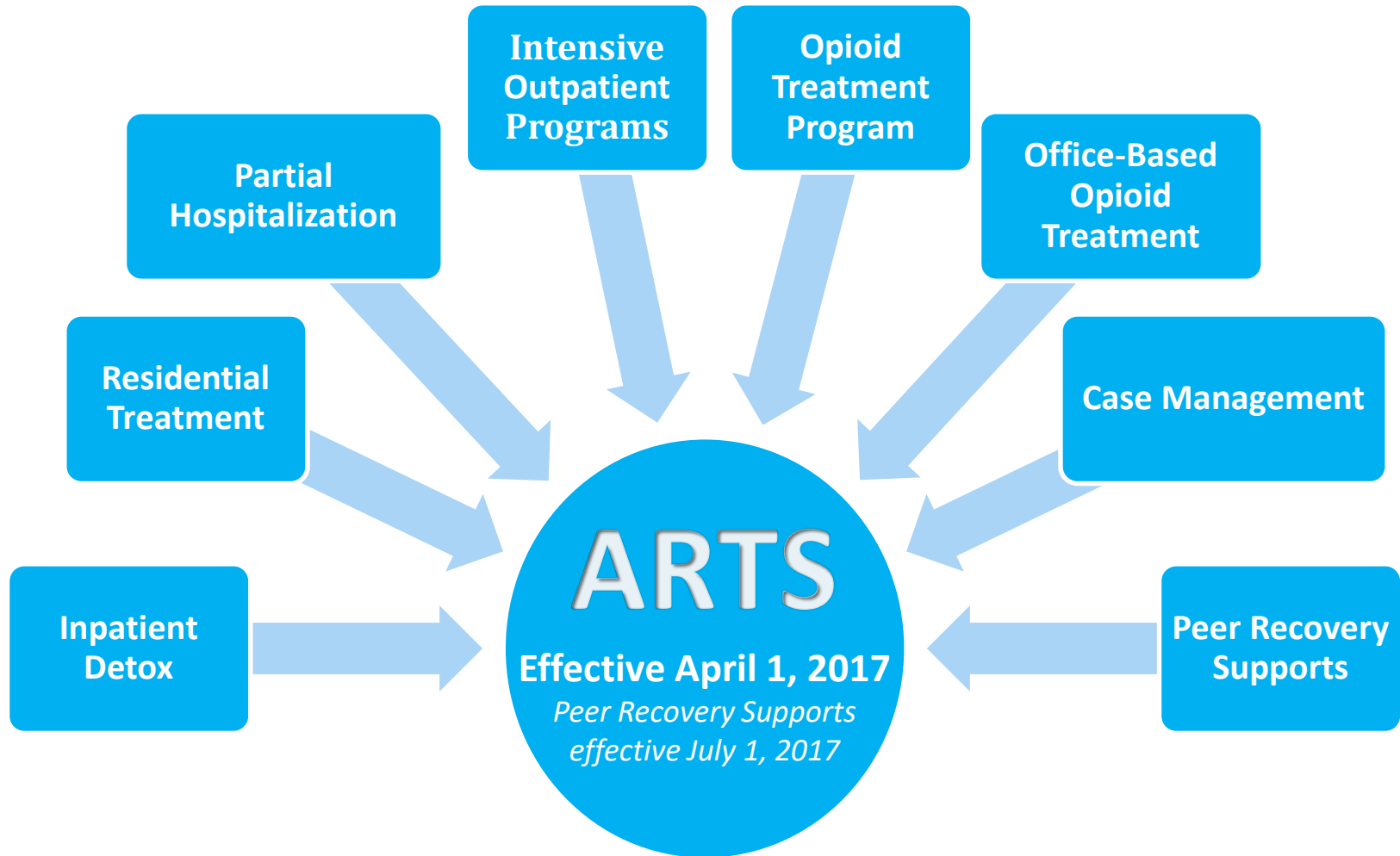


What Services are Covered?

New enrollees will receive coverage for all Medicaid covered services and additional evidence-based, preventive services

- Doctor, hospital and emergency services, including primary and specialty care
- Prescription drugs
- Laboratory and X-ray services
- Maternity and newborn care
- Home health services
- Behavioral health services, including addiction & recovery treatment services
- Rehabilitative services, including physical, occupational and speech therapies
- Family planning services
- Medical equipment and supplies
- Preventive and wellness services, including annual wellness exams, immunizations, smoking cessation and nutritional counseling
- And more

Addiction and Recovery Treatment Services (ARTS)



ARTS creates a fully integrated physical and behavioral health continuum of care

Regular Updates

Visit the Cover VA Website at www.coverva.org
or call **1-855-242-8282**
for information and regular updates



Coming Soon: New Health Coverage for Adults

Beginning January 1, 2019, more adults living in Virginia will have access to quality, low-cost health coverage.

Get more information at coverva.org

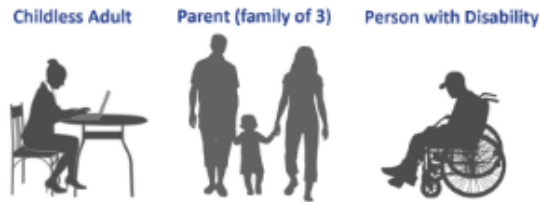


New Cover Virginia Expansion Webpage



Virginia's New Health Coverage for Adults

Who Qualifies for Virginia Medicaid?



	Childless Adult	Parent (family of 3)	Person with Disability
Currently:	Not Eligible	Eligible with annual income at or below \$6,900	Eligible with annual income at or below \$9,700
Beginning 2019:	Eligible with annual income at or below \$16,754	Eligible with annual income at or below \$28,677	Eligible with annual income at or below \$16,754

Thousands of Virginians aged 19 to 64 will soon be able to sign up for new health coverage that will give them access to services at low cost. Starting January 1, 2019, eligible adults will be able to visit their doctor for help with preventing illness and improving their health. We'll continue to share new information over the coming months, so visit this website often.

Get answers to [Frequently Asked Questions](#)

Do you qualify for health benefits? Check out these tools to see if you may be eligible.

You may be eligible if you make less than:

Family Size	Yearly*	Monthly*
1	\$16,754	\$1,397
2	\$22,715	\$1,894
3	\$28,677	\$2,391
4	\$34,638	\$2,887
5	\$40,600	\$3,384
6	\$46,562	\$3,881
7	\$52,523	\$4,378
8	\$58,485	\$4,875

* includes 5% FPL Disregard

Open the [Eligibility Screening Tool](#)



*This tool is only for the purpose of estimating eligibility. Actual eligibility cannot be determined until the time when you apply.