

ParaReg Headnotes
400-599 Medi-Cal Paraphrased Regulations

Section 400-410

- 400-1 Medi-Cal regulations are in Title 22, California Code of Regulations (CCR), and cites are to the CCR ([50005](#))
- 400-1A W&IC is the abbreviation for the Welfare & Institutions Code
- 400-1B Hearings are governed by provisions in the Welfare and Institutions Code (W&IC) ([50951\(b\)](#))
- 400-1C Right to hearing on any action relating to Medi-Cal eligibility or benefits; exceptions ([50951\(a\)](#))
- 400-2 Reference to DSS regulations on hearing procedures ([50953](#))
- 400-3 DHS has sole authority for Medi-Cal decisions ([50953\(c\)](#))
- 400-5 Medi-Cal Program administration ([50004](#))
- 400-6 Federal rules at Medicaid hearings ([42 CFR 431.242](#))
- 400-7 Federal rules regarding hearing decisions ([42 CFR 431.244](#))
- 400-8 State must specify a single State agency to administer Medicaid program, and that agency must not delegate to others outside agency authority to exercise administrative discretion, or issue policies, rules, and regulations on program matters ([42 CFR 431.10\(b\),\(c\)](#))
- 400-9 DHS representative and Managed Care representative can make stipulations and agreements at hearing ([MPP 22-073.37](#))
- 401-1 After NOA denying Medi-Cal eligibility due to excess property, applicant may still establish eligibility up to three years later, and county must rescind and issue benefits including NOA if necessary ([ACWDL 97-41](#))
- 404-1 Requirements for denial NOA ([ACWDL 97-48](#))
- 404-2 Required language on NOAs denying due to excess property ([ACWDL 97-41](#))
- 404-3 Required county actions, and required NOA language, after approval of retroactive Principe benefits ([ACWDL 97-41](#))
- 404-4 When an NOA must be sent in regard to “medical services” ([51014.1\(a\)](#))

- 404-4A Contents of the required NOA for reduction or termination of “medical services” ([51014.1\(c\), \(i\)](#))
- 404-4B APP requirements when there is a timely filing after proposed reduction or termination of “medical services” ([51014.2\(a\),\(b\)](#))
- 404-5 NOA requirements when a CalWORKs discontinuance occurs 7/1/01 and following ([ACWDL 01-17](#); SB 87)
- 404-6 BICs have replaced Medi-Cal cards and MC 177 forms as of 6/1/97; NOA is required before discontinuance can occur ([ACWDL 96-06](#); Denti-Cal Bulletin, Vol. 13, No. 13; *Bowman v. Belshé*)
- 404-7 Notice of Action must include a statement of the action that the county intends to take. ([ACWDL 13-13](#))
- 404-8 Requirements for notice of action regarding Medi-Cal application ([ACWDL 13-13](#))
- 404-9 Conditional notices do not meet notice of action requirements ([50179\(f\)](#))
- 404-10 Time frames for mailing notices of action ([50179\(d\)](#))
- 404-11 Required elements of notices of action ([50179\(c\)](#))
- 404-11A Notices of Action regarding failure to supply information must specify the information required in order to be adequate. Notice must also indicate 90 day period for curing the failure ([ACWDL 15-27](#))
- 404-12 Notice to use prescribed form, have contact information, and be added to case file ([50179\(b\)](#) and [ACWDL 13-13](#))
- 404-13 When notice of action required ([50179\(a\)](#))
- 404-14 Notice of Action provisions in Medi-Cal Eligibility Procedures Manual ([MEPM 4-4U](#))
- 406-1 State hearing appeal for Low Income Health Plan must follow an internal county level appeal. ([42 CFR 438.402](#))
- 406-2 Actions subject to appeal for Low Income Health Program (LIHP) applicants and recipients. (DHS Document, April 23, 2011)
- 406-3 No right to hearing on Healthy Families Program administered by Managed Risk Medical Insurance Board prior to January 1, 2013. ([Insurance Code 12693.20](#)) Healthy Families participants became Medi-Cal beneficiaries by operation of law on January 1, 2013. ([ACWDL 12-30](#); [ACWDL 12-33](#))
- 406-4 Processing of appeals regarding Low Income Health Program (LIHP) ([22-004.2](#))
- 410-1 Time period for processing applications; reasons for extension of such limits ([50177\(a\)](#))

- 410-1A County must refer disability application to DED within 10 days ([ACWDL 93-50](#); *Radcliffe v. Cahill*)
- 410-1C After NOA denying Medi-Cal eligibility due to excess property, applicant may still establish eligibility up to three years later, and county must rescind and issue benefits including NOA if necessary ([ACWDL 97-41](#))
- 410-2 Circumstances under which persons other than applicant or spouse may complete application documents ([50163\(a\)](#))
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- 410-2B Definition of “competent” ([50032](#))
- 410-2C Application defined; county duty to complete SAWS I when applicant calls in to apply for Medi-Cal ([50022](#); [ACWDL 00-31](#))
- 410-2D Medi-Cal form 210 available in English and 10 other languages ([ACWDL 01-68](#))
- 410-3 Face-to-face interview necessary only at time of application and not required when adding adults to MFBU; totally eliminated effective July 1, 2000 ([50157\(a\)](#); [ACWDL 99-36](#), [ACWDL 00-17](#), [ACWDL 00-31](#))
- 410-3A Elimination of face-to-face interview except when good cause or fraud exist ([ACWDL 00-31](#))
- 410-3B Beneficiary is a person determined eligible for Medi-Cal ([50024](#))
- 410-3C Requirement for simplified application process, face to face interview only for good cause or fraud ([W&IC 14011.15](#))
- 410-4 Procedure for withdrawal of Medi-Cal application ([50155](#))
- 410-5 Persons who may file an application ([50143\(a\)](#))
- 410-6 County duty to accept and promptly act on applications; who may file applications ([50141](#), [50143](#))
- 410-7 Application as a basis for determination, applicant's duty to provide necessary additional information; county's duty to assist in this process ([50171](#))
- 410-8 County welfare department the agent of CDHS ([50004\(c\)](#))
- 410-9 Requirements to protect applicants' right to apply when welfare offices closed on normal working days ([Blanco v. Anderson and Belshé](#))
- 410-9A Requirement to provide for filing applications on normal working days implemented ([Blanco v. Anderson](#); [ACL 94-108](#), [ACL 95-08](#))

- 410-10 Medi-Cal must continue for beneficiaries discontinued from Title II or SSI at least for 65 days, and if appeal is filed and is subject to federal review, until “FINAL” decision (i.e., no more appeals can be filed) is rendered ([ACWDL 97-28](#))
- 410-11 SSI former recipients are PA recipients until appeal rights are terminated, even if they transfer to AFDC/TANF and then are discontinued from AFDC/TANF ([ACWDL 97-28](#))
- 410-12 No longer disabled SSI/SSP recipients to be treated akin to *Edwards* discontinuances ([ACWDL 97-28](#))
- 410-12A Formerly Healthy Families recipients to be transitioned to Medi-Cal and temporary eligibility provided without a new application. ([ACWDL 12-30](#))
- 410-13 County of responsibility when eligibility is not based on being part of a family or on family income ([50125](#))
- 410-13A County which accepts application, but is not county of responsibility, may still process application with consent of applicant, and initiate ICT ([50135](#))
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- 410-16 Notice to be sent when re-evaluation of Medi-Cal eligibility occurs ([W&IC 14005.31\(b\)](#))
- 410-17 What happens when Medi-Cal benefits are transferred from one program to another, and required notice ([W&IC 14005.32\(a\)](#))
- 410-17A Written TMC notice must be given to CalWORKs and 1931(b) recipients when Medi-Cal eligibility is determined and six months thereafter, or when they are terminated due to failure to meet reporting responsibilities ([ACWDL 01-45](#))
- 410-18 When re-evaluation shall not re-occur after loss of Medi-Cal eligibility; continuation of benefits when evaluation is occurring; required notices ([W&IC 14005.37](#))
- 410-18A County requirements after denying or discontinuing CalWORKs/1931(b) benefits, including ex parte responsibilities ([ACWDL 01-36](#))
- 410-18B Specific mandate to use Form MC 355 as request for information form, contents of the form, time limits, county requirements ([ACWDL 01-39](#))
- 410-18C Required SB 87 procedures for counties evaluating Medi-Cal eligibility ([ACWDL 02-59](#), [ACWDL 07-24](#))
- 410-18D Required MC355 process ([ACWDL 07-24](#))
- 410-18E County must reevaluate eligibility under other Medi-Cal categories if eligibility ceases

under one category; aid pending continues, effective 7/1/01 (50183(a); [MEPM 4-0-3](#); [W&IC 14005.31](#), [W&IC14005.32](#), [W&IC14005.37](#); [ACWDL 02-59](#))

- 410-18F Medi-Cal beneficiary may continue to receive Medi-Cal after SSI/SSP discontinuance based on “no longer disabled” if he/she alleges a new disability ([ACWDL 04-31](#))
- 410-18G Steps county must follow in different circumstances regarding annual redetermination form ([ACWDL 06-16](#))
- 410-18H County must follow SB 87 process if annual redetermination packet is returned as undeliverable ([ACWDL 06-16](#))
- 410-18I If person who no longer has linkage to Medi-Cal program but alleges disability on MC210 RV, county must continue Medi-Cal ([ACWDL 06-17](#))
- 410-19 If county is sure that there is no need to transfer eligibility to another Medi-Cal program, no redetermination necessary but documentation must occur and notice must be sent ([W&IC 14005.39](#))
- 410-20 County requirements for evaluation of non-MAGI eligibility when MAGI eligibility ceases. ([ACWDL 14-18](#))
- 410-21 County requirements for evaluation of MAGI eligibility when non-MAGI eligibility ceases. ([ACWDL 14-18](#))

Section 411-419

- 411-1 Purpose of Medi-Cal Program is to provide, to the extent practicable, health care benefits to eligible persons ([W&IC 14000](#))
- 411-2 County must act with courtesy, consideration, and respect ([W&IC 10500](#))
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- 413-1A Guideposts for counties in providing effective language services to Limited English Proficient (LEP) individuals ([ACWDL 10-03](#))
- 413-1B Counties must use translated forms/NOAs provided by DHCS and not English version for those preferring non-English version; counties must provide interpretation services to LEP individuals upon request to regardless of whether DHCS has translated notices/forms ([ACWDL 10-03](#))
- 413-1C Counties required to ask applicants/beneficiaries their preferred language for oral and written communication ([ACWDL 10-03](#))
- 413-4 Medi-Cal form 210 available in English and 10 other languages ([ACWDL 01-68](#))
- 413-5 At application and renewal counties to provide multilingual notification and if necessary

- provide notice of interpretive services ([MEDIL I-14-54](#))
- 414-1 Duties of counties which have a procedure for screening applicants ([50142](#))
- 414-2 IHSS and AFDC applicants not required to submit separate application. If AFDC or IHSS is approved, Medi-Cal is automatic ([50145](#))
- 414-3 Persons or families denied Medi-Cal under any program other than SSI/SSP shall be reviewed for any other type of eligibility ([50180](#))
- 414-4 County shall set reasonable deadline for returning the Statement of Facts, inform applicant of the deadline, and attempt to contact applicant if Statement is not submitted by deadline ([50165](#))
- 414-4A Requirements for two contacts, then specific NOA, if county is to deny applications for failure to provide information; discontinuance actions governed by SB 87 ([ACWDL 90-07](#), [ACWDL 97-48](#), [ACWDL 02-59](#))
- 414-5 Legislative intent to process nursing facility applications timely, and to encourage nursing facility participation ([SB 635](#))
- 414-5A County may not deny application of LTC person due to non-cooperation of representative, but must do diligent search ([ACWDL 94-62](#))
- 414-6 Nursing facility applicants shall be assisted in applying and have applications processed timely ([W&IC 14110.05](#))
- 414-7 Requirement to outstation EWs at Disproportionate Share Hospitals and Federally Qualified Health Centers ([ACWDL 98-13](#))
- 414-8 Two contacts mandated, and must be documented, when county is proposing to discontinue on redetermination and beneficiary fails to provide information/verification ([ACWDL 97-48](#))
- 414-8A Implementation of two contact requirement applies to mail-in applications ([ACWDL 08-07](#))
- 414-8B Clarification on what constitutes contact ([ACWDL 08-07](#))
- 414-8C Application process reminders ([ACWDL 08-07](#))
- 414-8D Two contact requirement applies to applicants; SB87 process applies to beneficiaries ([ACWDL 08-07](#))
- 414-10 Income maintenance responsibility to make and record eligibility and grant determinations for PA cases, and for MN share of cost cases ([MPP 11-501.1](#))
- 414-11 State law eliminated the requirement that pregnant women and children complete a face-to-face interview ([W&IC 14011.1](#); [ACWDL 98-42](#))

- 414-11A Elimination of face-to-face interview except when good cause or fraud exist ([ACWDL 00-31](#))
- 414-12 County must send informing brochures and forms with redetermination notice, and provide such information to beneficiaries on request ([ACWDL 99-36](#))
- 414-13 Application defined; county duty to complete SAWS I when applicant calls in to apply for Medi-Cal ([50022](#); [ACWDL 00-31](#))
- 414-13A Protecting the date of application in mail-in or walk-in situations; county duty to assist; when applicant need not sign application for Medi-Cal, but must still sign for CalWORKs and CalFresh ([ACWDL 01-06](#))
- 414-13B Information which must be included when an application is mailed to, or handed to, an applicant ([ACWDL 01-06](#))
- 414-13C If application is by voicemail, the date of the call is the date of application. ([MEDIL I 16-01](#))
- 414-14 Counties must provide DHCS 0001 form to applicants and DHCS 0002 form to beneficiaries ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
- 415-1 Denial of application for failure to cooperate ([50175\(a\)](#))
- 415-1A Notices of Action regarding failure to supply information must specify the information required in order to be adequate. Notice must also indicate 90 day period for curing the failure ([ACWDL 15-27](#))
- 415-1B Denial/discontinuance for noncooperation applies only to individual who fails to cooperate and those for whom he/she is responsible ([ACWDL 92-09](#))
- 415-1C Annual Medi-Cal redetermination required by state and federal law ([ACWDL 06-16](#))
- 415-1D Informing beneficiary of annual redetermination requirements ([ACWDL 06-16](#))
- 415-1E Counties must mail only MC 210 RV form along with mandated program information; no need for *ex parte* review prior to sending redetermination packet ([ACWDL 06-16](#))
- 415-1F County must allow beneficiary at least 20 days to complete and return required forms; may not require face-to-face interview unless SB 87 process will not resolve all issues ([ACWDL 06-16](#))
- 415-1G If good cause for failing to return forms within 30 days after Medi-Cal termination, Medi-Cal is reinstated without break in benefits; if no good cause, beneficiary must reapply ([ACWDL 06-16](#))
- 415-1H If annual form returned complete with verification within 30 days of termination, county must determine eligibility as though submitted timely ([ACWDL 06-16](#))

- 415-11 County must evaluate eligibility annually and whenever information is presented. ([W&IC 14005.37\(a\)](#), in pertinent part; [W&IC 14005.39\(a\)](#))
- 415-2 General duty of applicant or beneficiary to cooperate ([50185\(a\)](#))
- 415-2A DA decides whether person has cooperated in identifying the absent parent, securing medical support, and determining paternity, but the county makes the good cause determination ([ACWDL 97-64](#); [MEPM 23E-1](#))
- 415-2B Good cause claim for cooperation re paternity, medical support results in eligibility for Medi-Cal if other conditions are met, and once granted, shall continue until or unless the county decides at redetermination that circumstances have changed ([MEPM 23E-1](#))
- 415-2C Criteria for establishing if good cause for noncooperation with the FSD/DA exists, and evidence which can support claim; good cause determination made by county ([MEPM 23E-2, 3](#))
- 415-2D FSD/DA makes determination of noncooperation in establishing paternity, medical support; necessity to have staff persons readily available; cooperation requirements and factors to consider as to whether cooperation exists ([MEPM 23E-1](#))
- 415-3 Denial or discontinuance due to noncooperation can be rescinded if good cause established ([50175\(b\)\(2\)](#))
- 415-3A Termination to be rescinded if information submitted prior to termination date. ([MEDIL I 15-22E](#))
- 415-4 Good cause for failure to cooperate ([50175\(c\)](#))
- 415-5 Duty to report changes within 10 days ([50185\(a\)\(4\)](#))
- 415-5A Statutory requirement to report significant changes within 10 days. ([W&IC 14005.31\(b\)\(4\)](#))
- 415-6 Applicant or recipient must take action to accept unconditionally available income as a condition of eligibility ([50186](#))
- 415-7 Applicant must attempt to obtain Social Security Number ([50187](#))
- 415-8 Parent, not child, disqualified for parent's failure to cooperate with medical support or identifying an absent parent or determining paternity ([ACWDL 93-56](#), [ACWDL 97-64](#); [50175\(a\)\(7\)](#); [MEPM 23E-1, 2](#); [W&IC 14008.7](#))
- 415-8A Good cause requirements for failure to cooperate in paternity, medical, or child support, or third-party payments ([50771.5\(a\)-\(c\)](#))
- 415-9 Serious physical or emotional harm defined; burden on applicant ([50771.5\(d\)-\(f\)](#))

- 415-10 Claims for good cause for medical support required only once per situation ([ACWDL 93-56](#))
- 415-11 Documentation of U.S. citizenship and identity required ([ACWDL 07-04](#))
- 415-11A Federal law requires CDHS to implement federal citizenship/identity documentation requirements with as much flexibility as allowed ([ACWDL 07-04](#))
- 416-1A Recipients must still report changes of items affecting Medi-Cal eligibility within 10 days ([ACWDL 00-64](#))
- 416-3 Midyear status report requirement and exemptions from that requirement; children under 19 now required to complete MSR ([W&IC 14011.16](#); [ACWDL 03-41](#); [ACWDL 08-56](#))
- 416-4 Groups exempt from MSR requirements ([ACWDL 08-56](#); [W&IC 14011.17](#))
- 416-4A Groups exempt from MSR requirements in addition to the mandated group of exempt beneficiaries ([ACWDL 08-56](#), [W&IC 14011.16](#))
- 416-4B Children under the age 19 must comply with MSR requirements; CEC reduction from 12 months to 6 months suspended from 10/08 through 12/10 ([ACWDL 08-56](#); [ACWDL 09-15](#))
- 416-4C Fact that a beneficiary is exempt from MSR does not affect any other reporting obligations ([ACWDL 08-56](#))
- 416-4D Qualifying for MSR exemption based on pregnancy includes reporting the pregnancy before or during MSR process ([ACWDL 08-56](#))
- 416-4E Counties must Bridge children to the Healthy Families when the MSR documents increased income that would result in a child no longer being eligible for \$0 share of cost Medi-Cal ([ACWDL 08-56](#))
- 416-4F Counties must implement the new MSR requirements effective January 1, 2009; CEC reduction from 12 months to six months suspended from 10/08 through 12/10 ([ACWDL 08-56](#); [ACWDL 09-15](#))
- 416-4G CalWORKs beneficiary who is discontinued from CalWORKs for failure to submit a QR7 is subject to MSR reporting unless otherwise exempt ([ACWDL 08-56](#))
- 416-4H Counties shall continue the current policy to mail the MSR to the non-exempt beneficiary in the sixth month ([ACWDL 08-56](#))
- 416-4I When the beneficiary submits an incomplete MSR, the county must follow the SB 87 process before initiating any discontinuance action ([ACWDL 08-56](#))
- 416-4J MSRs received after discontinuance date ([ACWDL 08-56](#))
- 416-4K When the MSR, or other mail, is returned to the county as undeliverable, the county is

- required to follow the three-step SB 87 process ([ACWDL 08-56](#))
- 416-4L When sending county has sent beneficiary a MSR in the mail, beneficiary has responsibility to submit MSR and sending county continues to be the county of responsibility ([ACWDL 08-56](#))
- 417-1 *Edwards v. Myers* relating to continuing Medi-Cal following the discontinuance of AFDC-related Medi-Cal; re-evaluation for all programs required as of 7/1/01 ([MEPM 40](#); [W&IC 14005.31](#), [W&IC 14005.32](#), [W&IC 14005.37](#))
- 417-1A Refugees are eligible for Medi-Cal for eight months only under RMA/ECA; county must determine eligibility and send application 60 days before eight month period ends ([ACWDL 08-43](#))
- 417-2 All Medi-Cal discontinuances are now subject to the provisions of Senate Bill 87, which requires evaluation of eligibility under all possible Medi-Cal programs ([W&IC 14005.31](#), [W&IC 14005.32](#), [W&IC 14005.37](#))
- 417-2A When recipient of Medi-Cal benefits is no longer eligible for benefits, re-evaluation of eligibility must occur ([W&IC 14005.31\(a\)](#))
- 417-2B Notice to be sent when re-evaluation of Medi-Cal eligibility occurs ([W&IC 14005.31\(b\)](#))
- 417-2C What happens when Medi-Cal benefits are transferred from one program to another, and required notice ([W&IC 14005.32\(a\)](#))
- 417-2D When re-evaluation shall not re-occur after loss of Medi-Cal eligibility; continuation of benefits when evaluation is occurring; required notices ([W&IC 14005.37](#))
- 417-2E If county is sure that there is no need to transfer eligibility to another Medi-Cal program, no redetermination necessary but documentation must occur and notice must be sent ([W&IC 14005.39](#))
- 417-2F Required SB 87 procedures for counties evaluating Medi-Cal eligibility ([ACWDL 02-59](#))
- 417-3 Four-month continuing Medi-Cal benefits for AFDC families terminated because of increased child/spousal support ([50243](#); [ACWDL 90-32](#), [ACWDL 90-33](#), [ACWDL 90-66](#))
- 417-6 TMC eligibility ([MEPM 5B-3, 4](#))
- 417-6A CalWORKs, 1931(b) and *Edwards* benefits count towards TMC eligibility period ([MEPM 5B-11](#))
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- 417-6D Persons who are not eligible for TMC, even if the family lost CalWORKs or 1931(b)

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- 417-6E What constitutes “because of” hours of employment or earnings for purposes of potential TMC eligibility ([MEPM 5B-6, 7](#))
- 417-6F Persons receiving TMC are ineligible members of the MFBU of those persons who are not eligible for TMC; the ineligible TMC members may be, e.g., 1931(b) or MI eligible ([MEPM 5B-10](#))
- 417-7 When TMC may be discontinued after initial six-month period ([ACWDL 90-66](#); [MEPM 5B-4, 5](#))
- 417-7A Written TMC notice must be given to CalWORKs and 1931(b) recipients when Medi-Cal eligibility is determined and six months thereafter, or when they are terminated due to failure to meet reporting responsibilities ([ACWDL 01-45](#))
- 417-8A Second year of TMC eliminated ([ACWDL 03-45](#))
- 417-9 County should process case for TMC even if flyer returned late ([ACWDL 99-20](#))
- 417-10 TMC beneficiaries not required to complete annual redetermination ([ACWDL 06-16](#))
- 417-11 CEC program protects zero share of cost children under 19 from discontinuance or an share of cost until the next redetermination, or until they turn 19, whichever is earlier; CEC period reduced from 12 months to six months effective January 1, 2009; Reduction of CEC from 12 months to six is suspended until December 2010 ([ACWDL 01-01](#); [AB 2900](#), ACWDL 08-55; [ACWDL 09-15](#))
- 417-12 Statutory provisions for CEC program ([W&IC 14005.25\(a\)](#))
- 417-13 Child's eligibility under CEC continues through guaranteed period, but may not follow another zero share of cost continuous eligibility program ([ACWDL 01-40](#))
- 417-13A New State law reduced the CEC program period from 12 months to 6 months effective January 1, 2009; Reduction of CEC from 12 months to six is suspended until December 2010 ([ACWDL 08-55](#); [ACWDL 09-15](#))
- 417-13B CEC continues for up to six months from initial eligibility to MSR or from MSR to annual redetermination: Reduction of CEC from 12 months to six is suspended until December 2010 ([ACWDL 08-55](#); [ACWDL 09-15](#))
- 417-14 CEC answers regarding MFBU composition, redeterminations, and SSI/SSP discontinuances ([ACWDL 02-14](#))
- 417-14A Children who are eligible for CEC when added to an existing MFBU continue to retain \$0 share of cost for initial 12-month period even if rest of MFBU has share of cost after annual redetermination ([42 USC 1396a \(e\)\(4\)](#), [ACWDL 11-33](#))
- 417-14B Infant receiving benefits during continuous eligibility (deemed eligibility) remain eligible

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- 417-15 CEC applies to children discontinued from SSI/SSP ([ACWDL 07-11](#))
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- 417-16 “Bridging” program provides one month zero share of cost to children losing full- scope, no-cost Medi-Cal and who are apparently eligible for Healthy Families ([ACWDL 01-57](#))
- 417-16A “Bridging” program provides one month zero share of cost to children losing full-scope, no-cost Medi-Cal and who are apparently eligible for Healthy Families ([ACWDL 07-03](#))
- 418-1 County which accepts application, but is not county of responsibility, may still process application with consent of applicant, and initiate ICT ([50135](#))
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Section 420-429

- 420-1 Person must be citizen or eligible alien. Definition of eligible alien ([50301\(b\)](#))
- 420-1A MC 13 form used to process eligible citizen/immigrant status ([ACWDL 96-34](#))
- 420-2A Unnecessary to obtain MC 13 from persons who claim to be born in the U.S. ([ACWDL 03-14](#))
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- 420-3 Persons automatically U.S. Citizens or nationals if born in specified locations ([ACWDL 03-14](#))
- 421-1 Documentation of U.S. citizenship and identity required ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
- 421-1A Federal law requires CDHS to implement federal citizenship/identity documentation requirements with as much flexibility as allowed ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
- 421-1B County duty to assist in obtaining evidence of citizenship/identity; if otherwise eligible for Medi-Cal, but ineligible for full-scope Medi-Cal for lack of citizenship/identity verification, applicants/beneficiaries eligible for restricted Medi-Cal ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
- 421-1C Documentation of citizenship and identity is a **one-time activity** ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
- 421-1D New applicants are treated differently from ongoing beneficiaries ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
- 421-2 Applicants and beneficiaries who are exempt from citizenship/identity verification ([ACWDL 07-12](#); [ACWDL 08-29](#))

- 421-2A Former SSI or Medicare recipients are not exempt from citizenship/identity requirements ([ACWDL 08-29](#))
- 421-3 Requirement to document citizenship/national status does not apply when presumptive eligibility/accelerated enrollment is established, although is required when ongoing eligibility is determined ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
- 421-4 Counties must provide DHCS 0001 form to applicants and DHCS 0002 form to beneficiaries ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
- 421-4A Five-tier hierarchy of acceptable evidence of citizenship and identity ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
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- 421-5 County must obtain evidence of citizenship/identity for applicants within prescribed time limit that may be extended for “good faith” effort to obtain documentation ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
- 421-5A At redetermination, county must allow beneficiaries time to provide evidence of citizenship/identity as long as beneficiary is making “good faith” effort to obtain documentation ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
- 421-5B Definition of “good faith” effort to obtain documentation of citizenship/identity ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
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- 421-5D County must provide reasonable assistance to persons incapable of obtaining required documents ([ACWDL 07-12](#))
- 422-1 Non-citizen who is PRUCOL is eligible ([50301](#))
- 422-1A MC 13 form used to process eligible immigrant status ([ACWDL 96-34](#))
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- 425-2A Under state law, persons from 21-64 in IMDs are not eligible for Medi-Cal unless there is FFP ([W&IC 14053](#))
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- 426-1 Background to Affordable Care Act and MAGI Medi-Cal ([42 USC 1396a\(a\)\(10\)\(A\)\(i\)\(VIII\)](#), [\(e\)\(14\)\(C\)](#); [42 CFR 435.119](#), [42 CFR 435.603\(d\)\(44\)](#), [\(g\)\(1\)](#); [45 CFR 155.305](#); [Gov't Code §§ 100500-100503](#); [Short Doyle Aid Code Master Chart](#))
- 426-1A Description of Insurance Affordability Program (IAP) ([42 CFR 435.4](#); [W&IC 14057](#); [42 USC 1396a\(a\)\(10\)\(A\)\(ii\)\(XIV\)](#); [42 USC 1396a\(r\)\(2\)](#); [42 USC 1396d\(u\)\(2\)\(B\)](#); [42 USC 1397jj\(b\)](#); [W&IC 14005.26](#); [CA State Plan Amendment 13-005](#))
- 426-1B Individual is ineligible for APTC and CSR if eligible for MAGI Medi-Cal ([26 USC 36B\(b\)\(1\)](#), [\(c\)\(2\)\(B\)](#); [26 CFR §§ 1.36B-2\(a\)\(2\)](#), [45 CFR 155.305\(f\)\(1\)\(ii\)\(B\)](#); [10 CCR 6474\(c\)\(1\)\(B\)](#))
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- 426-2B MAGI Medi-Cal eligibility for children (including OTLIC) ([42 USC 1396a\(a\)\(10\)\(A\)\(ii\)\(XIV\)](#); [42 USC 1396a\(r\)\(2\)](#); [42 USC 1396d\(u\)\(2\)\(B\)](#); [42 USC 1397jj\(b\)](#); [45 CFR 155.305\(c\)](#); [W&IC 14005.26](#); [CA State Plan Amendment 13-005](#); [ACWDL 14-15](#); [ACWDL 14-21](#); [State Medicaid & CHIP Policies 2014](#))
- 426-2C Eligibility of parent/caretaker relatives ([42 USC 1396a\(a\)\(10\)\(A\)\(i\)\(VIII\)](#); [42 CFR 435.110](#), [42 CFR 435.119](#); [42 CFR 435.603\(d\)\(4\)](#); [45 CFR 155.305\(c\)](#); [W&IC 14055](#); [ACWDL 14-15](#); [ACWDL 14-21](#))
- 426-2D Definition of a caretaker relative ([42 CFR 435.4](#); [W&IC 14055](#))
- 426-2E Eligibility of pregnant women ([42 USC 1396a\(a\)\(10\)\(A\)\(i\)\(IV\)](#); [42 USC 1396a\(a\)\(10\)\(A\)\(ii\)\(IX\)](#); [42 USC 1396a\(l\)\(1\)\(A\)](#); [26 CFR 1.5000A-2\(b\)\(2\)\(iii\)](#); [42 CFR 435.116](#); [42 CFR 435.119](#); [45 CFR 155.305\(c\)](#); [W&IC 14005.22](#), [.225](#); [MEDIL I-14-05](#); [MEDIL I-14-31](#); [ACWDL 14-15](#); [MEDIL I-15-25](#))
- 426-2F Limited-Scope Medi-Cal for pregnant women do not constitute minimum essential coverage ([26 CFR 1.5000A-2\(b\)\(2\)\(iii\)](#); [W&IC 14005.37](#); [ACWDL 14-18](#); [CMS](#), Minimum Essential Coverage, SHO #14-002)
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- 426-3E Covered California to transmit applications to counties in three days ([45 CFR 155310\(d\)\(3\)](#); [W&IC 14015.5\(c\)](#); [10 CCR 6476\(e\), \(f\)](#))
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- 426-4A Multiple methods must be allowed for applications ([10 CCR 6470\(j\)](#), [42 USC 18083\(b\)\(1\)](#); [45 CFR 155.405\(c\)\(2\)](#); [W&IC 15926\(b\)](#); [MEDIL I-13-12](#))
- 426-4B Continued use of certain existing applications until January 1, 2016 ([W&IC 15926\(c\)\(4\)\(G\)](#); [MEDIL I-13-12](#))
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- 426-4H Timeline to determine eligibility ([42 USC 1396a\(a\)\(8\)](#); [42 CFR 435.912\(a\)](#); [W&IC 15926\(e\)](#); [22 CCR 50177](#))
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- 427-4G1 Gross income – self-employment income ([26 USC 1402\(a\)](#); [IRS Form 1040, Schedule C \(2015\)](#); [IRS Form 1040 Instructions \(2015\)](#))
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- 427-4M Income considered available if taxpayer has access to it in the taxable year ([26 CFR 1.451-2\(a\)](#))
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- 427-4P Conditions where taxpayer can deduct moving expenses ([26 USC 62\(a\)\(15\)](#); [26 CFR 1.62-1\(c\)](#))
- 427-4Q Five-Percent income disregard allowed in determining whether income is under the MAGI limit ([42 USC §§ 1396a\(e\)\(14\)\(C\)](#), [1396\(e\)\(l\)\(1\)](#); [42 CFR § 435.603\(d\)\(4\),\(g\)\(2\)](#); [W&IC 14005.64\(b\)](#))
- 427-4R No assets or resource test for MAGI eligibility ([42 CFR 435.603\(g\)\(1\)](#))
- 427-5A Applicants use current monthly income and family size, which may be prorated ([42 CFR 435.603\(h\)\(1\)](#), [\(h\)\(3\)](#); [W&IC 14005.65](#); [CA State Plan Amendment 13-0023](#), p. 5)
- 427-5B Beneficiaries may use projected annual income and family size, remainder of calendar year ([42 CFR 435.603\(h\)\(2\)](#), [\(h\)\(3\)](#), [\(h\)\(3\)](#); [W&IC 14005.65](#); [CA State Plan Amendment 13-0023](#), p. 5.)
- 427-5C MAGI Medi-Cal, 2015 Federal Poverty Level applicable beginning January 1, 2015 ([42 USC § 9902\(2\)](#); [42 CFR § 435.4](#); [ACWDL 15-14](#))
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- 427-6E Annual redetermination, Medi-Cal discontinued if beneficiary does not provide information ([W&IC 14005.37\(f\)](#); [ACWDL 14-32](#); *Korean Community Center of the East Bay v. Kent* (Super. Ct. Alameda County, No. RG14748387).)

- 427-6F Annual redetermination, further evaluation if beneficiary provides requested information ([W&IC 14005.37\(f\)](#); [ACWDL 14-32](#))
- 427-6G Annual redetermination, benefits renewed if CalHEERS confirms beneficiary's information ([September ACWDL 14-32](#))
- 427-6H Annual redetermination, CalHEERS determines beneficiary not eligible for MAGI Medi-Cal ([26 USC 5000A\(a\)\(b\)\(c\)](#); [26 CFR 1.5000A-2\(b\)\(2\)\(v\)](#); [45 CFR 155.605\(g\)\(1\)\(iii\)](#); [W&IC 14005.37](#) & [W&IC 15926\(h\)\(1\)](#); [ACWDL 14-18](#); [ACWDL 14-32](#); *Korean Community Center of the East Bay v. Kent* (Super. Ct. Alameda County, No. RG14748387); [IRS Bulletin 2014-9, pp. 605-06](#); [CMS Guidance on Hardship Exemptions](#))
- 427-6I Beneficiary must report changes in circumstances affecting Medi-Cal Eligibility within 10 days ([42 CFR 435.916\(c\)](#); [W&IC 14005.37\(h\)](#))
- 427-6J County duty to redetermine when beneficiary reports change in circumstances ([42 CFR 435.916\(d\)](#); [W&IC 14005.37\(a\), \(e\), \(g\)](#))
- 427-6K Change of circumstances, county and CalHEERS ex parte review of records ([42 CFR 435.916\(a\)](#); [W&IC 14005.37\(e\)](#))
- 427-6L Change of circumstances, ex parte review confirms eligibility ([W&IC 14005.37\(e\)\(4\)](#))
- 427-6M Change of circumstances, request information if CalHEERS cannot confirm eligibility ([W&IC 14005.37\(g\)](#))
- 427-6N Change of circumstances, Medi-Cal discontinued if beneficiary does not provide information ([W&IC 14005.37\(g\)\(3\)](#); *Korean Community Center of the East Bay v. Kent* (Super. Ct. Alameda County, No. RG14748387))
- 427-6O Change of circumstances, further evaluation if beneficiary provides requested information ([W&IC 14005.37\(g\)\(3\)](#); [ACWDL 14-18](#); [ACWDL 14-32](#))
- 427-6P Change of circumstances, beneficiary no longer eligible for MAGI Medi-Cal ([26 USC 5000A-2\(b\)\(2\)\(v\)](#); [26 CFR § 1.5000A-2\(b\)\(2\)\(v\)](#); [42 CFR 435.916\(d\)](#); [45 CFR 155.605\(g\)\(1\)\(iii\)](#); [W&IC 14005.37](#); [W&IC 15926\(h\)\(1\)](#); [ACWDL 14-18](#); [ACWDL 14-32](#); *Korean Community Center of the East Bay v. Kent* (Super. Ct. Alameda County, No. RG14748387); IRS Notice 2014-10, [IRS Bulletin 2014-9](#) pp. 605-06; [CMS](#) Minimum Essential Coverage, SHO #14-002 (Nov. 7, 2014) at pp. 6-7 & 10-11)
- 427-6Q Termination to be rescinded if beneficiary submits information within 90 days ([W&IC 14005.37\(i\), \(j\)](#); California Department of Healthcare Services, [ACWDL 14-18](#) pp. 6-9)
- 427-6R Notification of Process to Cure ([22 CCR 50179 \(c\)\(7\)](#); [W&IC 14005.37\(i\)](#); [ACWDL 14-18](#), pp. 6-9; *Korean Community Center of the East Bay v. Kent* (Super. Ct. Alameda County, No. RG14748387))

- 427-7A Verification of U.S. citizenship or satisfactory immigration status ([42 USC 1396A\(ee\)](#); [42 USC 1396b\(x\)](#); [42 CFR 435.407](#), [42 CFR 435.945\(b\)](#); [42 CFR 435.952](#); [MEDIL I-14-21](#))
- 427-7B Immigration status may not be used to determine state residency ([42 CFR 435.956\(c\)\(2\)](#))
- 427-7C Indefinite suspension of paper verification requirements for residency; verify with attestation ([42 CFR 435.945\(a\)](#); [42 CFR 435.952](#), [42 CFR 435.956\(c\)](#); [MEDIL I-14-44](#))
- 427-7D Self-Attestation of Age, Date of Birth and Household Size ([42 CFR 435.945\(a\)](#); [42 CFR 435.956\(f\)](#); [42 CFR 435.952](#))
- 427-7E Electronic income verification ([42 CFR 435.948](#); [W&IC 14013.3\(a\), \(b\)](#))
- 427-7F Reasonably compatible information, definition ([W&IC 14013.3\(c\)\(3\)](#))
- 427-7G Information accepted if reasonably compatible ([W&IC 14013.3\(c\)\(1\)](#))
- 427-7H Verification process if income information is not reasonably compatible ([W&IC 14013.3\(c\)\(2\)](#); [MEDIL I-14-16](#) p. 1.; [MEDIL I-4-23](#))
- 427-7I County should accept attestation of pregnancy unless in possession of contrary information ([W&IC 14013.3\(d\)](#); [42 CFR 435.952](#); [42 CFR 435.956\(e\)](#))
- 427-7J General verification requirement, other than for income and pregnancy ([42 CFR § 435.952](#); [W&IC 14013.3\(e\)](#))
- 427-7K Limitation on situations when county should require additional information or documentation ([42 CFR 435.952\(c\)](#))
- 427-7L No negative action without seeking additional information or documentation, and providing notice and hearing rights ([42 CFR 435.952\(c\)](#))
- 428-1A Notice of Action; when required ([42 CFR 435.913](#); [42 CFR 431.206\(b\)\(1\)](#), [42 CFR 431.210](#); [22 CCR 50179\(c\)](#); [ACWDL No. 13-13](#))
- 428-1B Conditional notices are not considered a notice of action ([22 CCR 50179\(a\), \(f\)](#))
- 428-1C Required notice of hearing procedures ([42 CFR 431.206\(b\)](#); [22 CFR 431.210\(e\)](#); [22 CCR 50179\(c\)\(5\), \(6\)](#); [ACWDL 13-13](#))
- 428-1D Notice of action must be timely and adequate ([42 CFR 435.919\(a\)](#); [ACWDL 13-13](#))
- 428-1E Adverse action notice of action must be mailed at least 10 days prior to effective date ([42 CFR 211](#); [22 CCR 50179\(d\)\(1\)](#); [ACWDL 13-13](#))
- 428-1F No 10-day notice requirement for non-adverse action notice of action ([42 CFR 431.213](#); [22 CCR 50179\(d\)\(2\)](#); [ACWDL13-13](#))

- 428-1G Five-day notice if probable fraud ([42 CFR § 431.214](#); [ACWDL 13-13](#))
- 428-1H Notice of action must be in the case file ([22 CCR 50179\(b\)](#); [ACWDL 13-13](#))
- 428-2A Appeals may be submitted by multiple methods ([ACL 14-14](#)) Appeals regarding Covered California or MAGI Medi-Cal conducted by CDSS SHD ([10 CCR 6600](#); [10 CCR 6602](#); [ACL 14-14](#) pp. 6-8)
- 428-2B Right to appeal if no eligibility decision within 45 days of application ([Rivera v. Douglas \(DHCS\)Douglas](#), Alameda County Superior Court, Case No. RG1474091, Order Granting Petitioners' Motion for Preliminary Injunction (Jan. 20, 2015) p. 25; [MEDIL I-15-11](#))
- 428-2C An appeal decision may have retroactive effect if appellant is otherwise eligible ([22 USC 100506.4\(i\)](#))
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- 433-1 Establishment of QI program, and interim procedures; QI-2 program discontinued 12/31/02; QI-1 program discontinued 9/30/03 ([ACWDL 97-45](#), [ACWDL 98-15](#), [ACWDL 98-47](#), [ACWDL 03-02](#); [ACWDL 09-52](#))
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- 436-2 Case management services are a benefit under the Short-Doyle Medi-Cal program ([W&IC 14021.3](#))
- 436-3 Community health services defined, and covered by Medi-Cal when provided by Short-

- Doyle Medi-Cal ([51341](#))
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- 437-13 250% Working Disabled participant's Social Security disability income remains exempt if it has been converted to Social Security retirement income. ([W&IC 14007.9](#), [ACWDL 11-38](#))
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- 438-1 General provisions governing the A&D FPL program ([ACWDL 00-57](#), [ACWDL 00-68](#), [ACWDL 02-38](#))
- 438-2 Count parent's income in determining child's eligibility for A&D FPL program; if parent and child tentatively eligible, they are in separate units ([ACWDL 01-18](#))
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- 438-4 IHSS payments are not allowable deductions for A&D FPL purposes ([ACWDL 02-22](#), [ACWDL 02-22E](#); [50551.6](#), [50245](#))
- 438-4A MN deductions, other than IHSS, are allowable in A&D FPL ([ACWDL 02-38](#))
- 438-5 Couples income standard can be no less than SSI/SSP couple payment standard ([W&IC 14005.40\(c\)\(1\)](#); [ACWDL 02-24](#), [ACWDL 02-24E](#))
- 438-6 A&D FPL program is neither PA nor other PA ([ACWDL 02-38](#))
- 438-7 Person cannot qualify for A&D FPL by paying Medicare Part B premium once state "buys in" ([ACWDL 02-38](#))
- 438-8 One spouse can receive A&D FPL, while the other spouse receives MN benefits, or declines Medi-Cal ([ACWDL 02-38](#))
- 438-8A Deduction from income of an aged or disabled person as allocation to ineligible family members. Allocation equals the maintenance need level for ineligible family members. ([ACWDL 00-57](#))
- 438-9 A&D FPL program rules follow the Medically Needy rules including property and income deductions, allocations and exemptions. ([ACWDL 08-42](#))
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- 439-3 Current and prior year TB income standard, resource limit, standard allocation and federal benefit rate ([ACWDL 07-31](#), [ACWDL 08-60](#))
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- 439-5 Effective A&D FPL limit for individual and couples in current and prior year ([ACWDL 08-13](#); [ACWDL 08-24](#), [ACWDL 08-40](#), [ACWDL 08-52](#); [ACWDL 09-08](#);47 [ACWDL 09-20](#))
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- 439-7A Insert FPL (ACWDL_____)
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- 440-1 SSI recipients are eligible, but their eligibility is determined by SSA ([50179.7](#))
- 440-1A Medi-Cal to be terminated if eligibility clearly ends due to death or lack of residence. ([W&IC 14005.39\(a\)](#))
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- 440-3C Pregnant women eligible to full scope Medi-Cal if income less than 138% of FPL ([ACWDL 15-35](#))
- 440-4 County must reevaluate eligibility under other Medi-Cal categories if eligibility ceases under one category; aid pending continues, effective 7/1/01 ([50183\(a\)](#); [MEPM 4-0-3](#); [W&IC 14005.31](#), [W&IC 14005.32](#), [W&IC 14005.37](#); [ACWDL 02-59](#))
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- 440-6 Person is to be given option of Medi-Cal programs ([50153\(c\)](#))
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- 444-1 Medi-Cal eligibility for persons who meet 7/16/96 AFDC requirements, but U- deprivation requires only that PWE work fewer than 100 hours; effective 3/1/00, the PWE may work more than 100 hours if net earnings are at or below the FPL ([ACWDL 98-43](#), [ACWDL 00-04](#); SSA 1931(b); PL 104-193; [AB 1107](#); [MEPM 5S-3\(d\)](#))
- 444-1A 1931(b)-Only Program--persons must first meet nonfinancial, then financial requirements ([ACWDL 98-43](#); [MEPM 5S-2](#))
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- 444-4 MFBU is basic 1931(b) unit, but if there is an share of cost and a *Sneede/Gamma* situation, modified *Sneede* rules must be followed to see if zero (0) share of cost eligibility can be established for any MBU ([ACWDL 98-43](#))
- 444-4A Persons ineligible for CalWORKs (e.g., fleeing felons, work sanctioned, aliens without SIS) may still be 1931(b) eligible ([MEPM 8G-2, 5S-4](#))
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- 444-4C Stepparent may be aided as an essential person for 1931(b) purposes ([MEPM 5S-4](#))
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- 444-5E Rules for determining net income in 1931(b) cases are based on modified Title 22 regulations in draft form, new draft regulations, and Title 22 unmodified regulations, as amended by previous draft regulations ([ACWDL 98-43](#), Attachment 1 and Exhibit B)
- 444-5F Social Security COLAs are not to be applied until new FPLs are issued ([ACWDL 00-53](#))
- 444-6 Property is generally determined under CalFresh rules for personal property and under 7/16/96 AFDC rules for real property, but exceptions exist in, e.g., automobile evaluation, and because certain Medi-Cal property rules and court cases are used in evaluating eligibility ([ACWDL 98-43](#), Attachment 2; [W&IC 11155\(b\),\(c\)](#))
- 444-6A Property limit for one in 1931(b) is \$3000, and for two and more is MN limit ([ACWDL 98-43](#); [MEPM 5S-5](#))
- 444-6B Motor vehicles with equity value of \$1500 or less are exempt in 1931(b) ([ACWDL 01-62](#), eff. 6/1/01)
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- 445-1 Disability may be verified in accordance with procedures established by DDSD formerly known as DAPD, and previously known as DED ([50167\(a\)\(1\)\(D\)](#); [ACWDL 97-54](#), [ACWDL 06-28E](#))
- 445-2 Disability may be verified through signed statement from SSA ([50167\(a\)\(1\)\(B\)](#))
- 445-3 If applicant does not have good reason for failing to attend consultative examination, he/she is subject to a determination of no disability ([20 CFR 416.918](#))
- 445-4 SSI/SSP is a PA program, and retroactive coverage may be available for one year prior to request month ([50148](#), [50078](#); [ACWDL 95-81](#))
- 445-5 Presumptive disability criteria ([MEPM 22C-3.6](#), revised 3/9/07)
- 445-5A SP-DAPD (formerly DED) can grant Presumptive Disability, but neither SP-DAPD nor county can grant retroactively; aid pending appropriate if timely filing ([MEPM 22C-3.1, 3.2](#); [ACWDL 97-54](#))
- 445-6 Disability determinations by other private or public groups not binding on SSA ([POMS DI 24515.011](#))
- 445-9 County must refer disability application to DED within 10 days ([ACWDL 93-50](#); *Radcliffe v. Cahill*)

- 445-10 Medi-Cal must continue for beneficiaries discontinued from Title II or SSI at least for 65 days, and if appeal is filed and is subject to federal review, until “FINAL” decision (i.e., no more appeals can be filed) is rendered ([ACWDL 97-28](#))
- 445-12 No longer disabled SSI/SSP recipients to be treated akin to Edwards discontinuances ([ACWDL 97-28](#))
- 445-13 SSI former recipients are PA recipients until appeal rights are terminated, even if they transfer to AFDC/TANF and then are discontinued from AFDC/TANF ([ACWDL 97-28](#))
- 445-14 Social Security Administration disability decision binding for 12 months, exceptions ([42 CFR 435.541](#))
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- 446-3A County must determine eligibility and send application 60 days before eight-month period ends. ([ACWDL 08-43](#))
- 446-4 RMA individuals are eligible for three-month retroactive Medi-Cal ([ACWDL 09-40](#))
- 447-4 Pickle eligibility (Pickle Handbook, 15; [Lynch v. Rank](#))
- 447-4A Actual receipt of SSI/SSP required, but only entitlement to RSDI required, for potential Pickle Eligibility (Pickle Handbook, 2)
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- 447-5 Resource eligibility for Pickle persons (Pickle Handbook, 15)
- 447-6 Pickle person disregard multiplier (Pickle Handbook, 15; [ACWDL 05-35](#))
- 447-6A No changes on July 1, 2009, to SSI/SSP payment standards used to establish eligibility for the Pickle, Disabled Adult Children, Disabled Widow(er)s and 250 Percent Working Disabled Programs; Counties should use May 1, 2009 levels ([ACWDL 09-28](#))
- 447-7 Pickle income is established on a monthly basis (Pickle Handbook, 15)
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- 447-11 Disabled widow(er) eligibility under Pickle (Pickle Handbook §5-1 through-5-4)
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- 449-3A SB 87 procedures to be applied to Craig (discontinued SSI persons) beneficiaries ([ACWDL 03-24](#))
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- 483-1 Separate property and share of community property of any person in MFBU shall be considered in determining eligibility ([50403](#))
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- 512-3A *Principe v. Belshé* does not modify overpayment rules for beneficiaries who have failed to report property holdings ([ACWDL 97-41](#))
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- 563-3 Services limited to 283 hours monthly; no dollar limit ([51350\(b\)](#); [MPP Handbook 30-780.2\(b\)](#); ACL 95-42)
- 563-3B Non-severely impaired recipients of PCSP and CFCO who require protective supervision are entitled to the maximum of 195 hours plus any authorized need in addition to protective supervision up to a maximum of 283 hours. (ACIN I-28-06, [ACL 14-60](#))

- 563-4 Grooming excludes cutting with scissors or clipping toenails ([51350\(f\)](#); [MPP Handbook 30-780.2\(f\)](#))
- 563-5 Menstrual care for application of sanitary napkins and cleaning ([51350\(g\)](#); [MPP Handbook 30-780.2\(g\)](#))
- 563-6 Paramedical services, specific inclusions ([51350\(g\)](#), (h); [MPP Handbook 30-780.2\(g\)](#), (h))
- 563-7 Range of motion exercises--limitations ([51350\(h\)\(2\)](#); [MPP Handbook 30-780.2\(h\)\(2\)](#))
- 563-8 Regional centers cannot be considered an alternative resource ([ACL 98-53](#); *Arp v. Anderson*)
- 563-9 Non-parent may provide PCSP in home of an institutionally deemed child even if parent is in the home. ([ACL 00-83](#))
- 564-1 PCSP for eligible Medi-Cal beneficiaries is governed by W&IC, CCR, and operated pursuant to MPP ([W&IC 14132.95](#); [MPP 30-700.2](#))
- 564-3 Statutory requirement that IHSS/PCSP recipient must live in his/her home or abode of choice ([W&IC 12300\(a\)](#))
- 564-4 CDHS definition of home ([50044](#))
- 564-5A IHSS and PCSP eligibility determinations made following Medi-Cal rules ([ACWDL 04-27](#))
- 566-2 PCSP list of care services ([51183\(a\)](#))
- 566-3 PCSP list of ancillary services ([51183\(b\)](#))
- 567-1 Intent of legislature that IHSS Plus Waiver be added as a Medi-Cal program; IHSS Plus Waiver population transitioned to IHSS Plus Option (IPO) program effective October 1, 2009 ([W&IC 14132.951\(a\)](#); [ACIN I-33-10](#))
- 567-2 IHSS Plus Waiver incorporates eligibility requirements and benefits of existing IHSS program; IHSS Plus Waiver population transitioned to IHSS Plus Option (IPO) program effective October 1, 2009 ([W&IC 14132.951\(b\)](#); [ACIN I-33-10](#))
- 567-3 To the extent FFP is available, IHSS Plus Waiver is furnished as a Medi-Cal program; IHSS Plus Waiver population transitioned to IHSS Plus Option (IPO) program effective October 1, 2009 ([W&IC 14132.951\(c\)\(d\)](#) [ACIN I-33-10](#))
- 567-3A Services authorized under IHSS Plus Waiver administered under IHSS rules ([W&IC 14132.951\(e\)](#))
- 567-3B IHSS Plus Waiver program services to eligible Medi-Cal beneficiaries; IHSS Plus Waiver population transitioned to IHSS Plus Option (IPO) program effective October 1, 2009 ([30-700.3 and .4](#); [ACIN I-33-10](#))

- 567-3C Eligibility requirements for IHSS Plus Waiver program ([30-785\(a\) and \(b\)](#))
- 567-4 DHS may implement IHSS Plus Waiver through ACWDL or similar publication for up to 18 months ([W&IC 14132.951\(h\)](#))
- 567-5 If conflict exists between terms of IHSS Plus Waiver and ACWDL, regulations or similar publication, terms of waiver controls ([W&IC 14132.951\(i\)](#))
- 567-6 IHSS and PCSP eligibility determinations made following Medi-Cal rules ([ACWDL 04-27](#))
- 567-6A Medi-Cal eligibility determinations on PCSP and IHSS Plus Waiver cases done by Medi-Cal workers following Medi-Cal rules ([ACWDL 05-21](#))
- 567-7 IHSS Plus Waiver recipients ([ACL 05-05](#); [ACWDL 05-21](#))
- 567-7A In IHSS Plus Waiver, presumptive disability determined under Medi-Cal regulations; Medi-Cal eligibility must be established before IHSS Plus Waiver eligibility is established ([30-785\(g\)\(2\) and \(3\)](#))
- 567-8B Supplemental payment program permitting share of cost comparison ([W&IC 12305.1\(a\) and \(b\)](#))
- 567-8C Non-citizens who are not qualified aliens are not eligible for federal full scope Medi-Cal ([ACIN I-18-08](#))
- 567-8D To be eligible for PCSP/IPW, an individual must be eligible for federal full scope Medi-Cal ([ACIN I-18-08](#))
- 567-9 Exemptions under the IHSS Plus Waiver program ([ACWDL 05-29](#))
- 567-9A In-home caregiver wages exempt as income and property if spouse or minor child receive services from spouse or parent provider and services are through federal, state or local program ([ACWDL 07-02](#))
- 567-10 A parent working less than full time may be paid as a provider under IPW; two parents working full time may not be paid providers under IPW (ACIN I-28-06)
- 567-11 ID waiver recipients who meet IPW criteria are eligible for the IPW; parents of minors who receive Medi-Cal under ID waiver may provide services under IPW (ACIN I-28-06)
- 567-11A Children meeting DDS institutional deeming criteria qualify for Medi-Cal regardless of parent's income or resources ([ACL 00-83](#))
- 567-12 Respite care is offered under IPW (ACIN I-28-06)
- 567-13 Under IHSS Plus Waiver, NSI recipients have 195 hour maximum, SI recipients have 283 hour maximum (ACIN I-28-06)

- 567-14 IHSS Plus Waiver overpayments determined under Medi-Cal regulations ([30-785\(o\)](#))
- 567-15 IHSS Plus Waiver population transitioned to IHSS Plus Option (IPO) program effective October 1, 2009 ([ACINI-33-10](#))
- 568-1 Assessing needs under hourly task guidelines based on individual need ([30-757.1\(a\)](#))
- 568-1A Hourly task guidelines and exceptions to those guidelines ([30-757.1\(a\)](#))
- 568-1B General functional index rankings; variable functioning discussed ([ACL 06-34E1](#))
- 568-2A Meal preparation definition ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
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- 568-2E IHSS recipient may choose to eat meals separately from other family members; no health and safety need required ([ACL 08-18](#))
- 568-2F Meal preparation and clean-up must be done in recipient's home; unusual circumstances may necessitate occasional meal preparation and clean-up outside the home ([ACL 08-18](#); [ACL 09-30](#))
- 568-3A Meal cleanup definition ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
- 568-3B Meal cleanup functional index ([ACL 06-34 errata attachment B](#))
- 568-3C Meal cleanup grid ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
- 568-3D Meal cleanup factors/exceptions ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
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- 568-5C Feeding grid ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
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- 568-6A Routine bed baths definition ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
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- 568-7A Dressing definition ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
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- 568-7D Dressing factors/exceptions ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
- 568-8 Hourly task guidelines for menstrual care ([30-757.14\(j\)](#), [ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
- 568-9A Ambulation definition ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
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- 568-9C Ambulation grid ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
- 568-9D Ambulation factors/exceptions ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
- 568-9E Time may be authorized to shadow/follow recipient with unsteady gait ([ACL 08-18](#))
- 568-9F Maintenance exercise of assistance walking may be provided outside recipient's home; no time can be authorized for travel or assistance into or out of a vehicle for this service ([ACL 08-18](#); [ACL 09-30](#))
- 568-10A Transfers definition ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
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- 568-11A Bathing, oral hygiene and grooming, definition ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
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- 568-12A Repositioning, rubbing skin, definition ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
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- 568-13A Care/assistance with prosthesis, definition ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
- 568-13B Care/assistance with prosthesis grid ([ACL 06-34 errata, attachment C](#))
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- 568-14 6-hour standard for domestic services ([30-758.11](#) renumbered to [30-757.11\(k\)\(1\)](#))
- 568-14A Time standard; general ([30-758.2](#); former [W&IC 12301.2](#) repealed)
- 568-14B Time standard; laundry ([30-758.2](#) repealed, 30-757.135 renumbered to [30-757.134\(c\) and \(d\)](#))
- 568-14C Time standard, food shopping (30-757.136 renumbered to [30-757.135 and .135\(b\)\(1\)](#), [30-758.13](#) repealed)
- 568-14D Time standard; other shopping (30-758.14 repealed and renumbered to [30-757.135\(c\)\(1\)](#))
- 568-14E Exception to time standards if threat to health or safety (30-758.4 repealed and renumbered in [30-757](#))
- 568-18 Respiration defined ([30-757.14\(b\)](#))

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- 576-1 Purpose of MSSP is to serve elderly, frail individuals who are certifiable for placement in nursing facility ([W&IC 9560\(a\); 42 USC 1396n\(c\)](#))
- 576-1A MSSP program eligibility requirements and goals ([ACWDL 03-22](#))
- 576-2 Services provided under MSSP ([W&IC 9561](#))
- 576-3 MSSP waiver allows MSSP to grant hours above statutory IHSS maxima if maxima has been reached, and to exclude MSSP as an alternative resource when maxima IHSS not authorized ([W&IC 9562\(b\); ACL 00-34](#))
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Section 580-589

- 580-1 State must specify a single State agency to administer Medicaid program, and that agency must not delegate to others outside agency authority to exercise administrative discretion, or issue policies, rules, and regulations on program matters ([42 CFR 431.10\(b\), \(c\)](#))
- 580-2 Managed care plans must incorporate Knox-Keene protections. ([Health and Safety Code 1340, et seq.](#))

- 580-2A Certain county plans exempt from Knox-Keene ([W&IC 14087.95](#), [W&IC 14087.54\(b\)\(5\)](#) and (b)(3)(A) and (B))
- 580-3 Physician services must be provided in a timely manner under managed care plans. ([28 CCR 1300.67.2.2\(c\)\(1\)](#))
- 580-4 Plans must ensure that non-urgent appointments with specialists are available within 15 business days ([28 CCR 1300.67.2.2\(c\)\(5\)\(D\), \(G\) and \(H\)](#))
- 580-5 When there is a shortage of providers in a service area, plan must assist in finding providers outside the plan including specialty services ([28 CCR 1300.67.2.2\(c\)\(7\)\(B\)](#))
- 581-1 Definition of PHP “contract” ([53108](#))
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- 581-4 Disenrollment for loss of eligibility, for good cause, or at beneficiary request ([53260\(a\)](#), [W&IC 14412\(a\)](#))
- 582-1 Coordinated Care Initiative (CCI) Initiative Managed care in select counties ([W&IC 14182](#))
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- 583-1 Medi-Cal beneficiaries may have to participate in managed care plan to receive Medi-Cal services ([W&IC 14131.15](#))
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- 584-3 Duty to provide information to GMC beneficiary of, e.g., processing time, alternative to GMC, restrictions on disenrollment from 2nd to 6th month of enrollment ([53926.5\(a\)](#))

- 584-4 Duty to provide information to GMC beneficiary of, e.g., available services, address and phone number of primary care provider, appropriate disenrollment form ([53926.5\(b\)](#))
- 584-5 GMC beneficiary must enroll in dental and PHP or PCCM plan ([53921\(e\)](#))
- 584-6 Assignment of GMC beneficiary to plan when person does not choose a plan within 30 days, or disenrolls and does not select a new plan ([53921.5\(a\)](#))
- 584-7 Primary health care services are to be within 10 miles of GMC beneficiary's residence ([53922.5\(a\)](#))
- 584-8 Disenrollment of beneficiary from GMC when person is an Indian, or has a complex medical condition ([53923.5](#))
- 584-8A Denied request for exemption to be treated as request for continuity of treatment for existing medical condition. ([All Plan Letter 15-001](#))
- 584-9 Duty to assign a primary care provider, criteria to be used to assign, and opportunity for beneficiary to change ([53925](#))
- 584-10 Scope of benefits under GMC determined by contract. ([53904\(a\)\(1\)](#))
- 584-11 GMC plans must include preventive care plans ([53904\(a\)\(3\)](#))
- 584-12 GMC plans must provide full scope of benefits under Title 22 unless specifically excluded by contract. ([53910.5\(a\)](#))
- 584-13 GMC plans must have provisions for participating as Knox-Keene licensee ([53200\(a\)\(1\)](#))
- 514-14 A GMC plan shall provide accessibility to medically required, satisfactorily- credentialed specialists through contracting or referral. ([GMC Model Contract Boilerplate](#))
- 585-1 Counties which are in Two-Plan Model Managed Care, and basic services provisions ([53800\(a\)](#), [53840\(a\)](#))
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- 585-2D Beneficiary entitled to continued fee for service Medi-Cal benefits while exemption claim or appeal is pending ([W&IC 14182](#))
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- 585-3 Voluntary enrollment in Two-Plan Model ([53845\(b\)](#))
- 585-4A Criteria for receiving fee-for-service when a beneficiary would otherwise be in a Two-Plan Model ([53887\(a\)](#), eff. 12/19/00)
- 585-4B No exemption granted for complex medical condition in certain instances, e.g., having been a plan member for 90 days ([53887\(a\)\(2\)\(B\)](#), eff. 12/19/00)
- 585-4C Denied request for exemption to be treated as request for continuity of treatment for existing medical condition. ([All Plan Letter 15-001](#))
- 585-6 Obligations to make enrollment/disenrollment form available ([53888](#))
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- 585-8 Travel time to primary health provider should not exceed 30 minutes or ten miles, unless waived by beneficiary ([53885](#))
- 585-9 Beneficiaries may continue in fee-for-service, after receiving exemptions, for limited period ([53887\(a\)\(3\)](#), (4))
- 585-10 Request for exemption from plan enrollment must be on HCO Form 7101 or 7102 ([53887\(b\)](#), eff. 12/19/00)
- 585-10A If request for exemption denied, the managed care provider must still consider allowing existing continuity of care plan.
- 585-11 Time limits for processing enrollment and disenrollment requests ([53889\(e\)](#), (f), (g), eff. 12/19/00)
- 585-12 CCS services for children in managed care are billed on a fee-for-service basis ([W&IC 14094.3](#))
- 585-13 Definition of CCS services ([Health and Safety Code 123840](#))
- 586-1 Managed care plan must provide Medi-Cal covered services unless excluded under contract ([53851](#))
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- 586-4 Step Therapy may be required for prescription drugs in managed care plans. ([Title 28 CCR 1300.67](#))

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- 586-7 Types of services that must be furnished under managed care ([APL 13-021](#))
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- 586-9 Plans cannot alter services based on diagnosis or condition of recipient; utilization controls must be based on medical necessity ([42 CFR 438.210](#))
- 586-10 Managed care plans must allow beneficiaries to continue use of any (single-source) drugs that are part of a prescribed therapy prior to the date of enrollment ([All Plan Letter 15-001](#))
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