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TO: CUSTODIANS OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE MANUAL

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SUBJECT: MEDICAL ASSISTANCE MANUAL CHANGES

Material Transmitted	Material Superseded		
Chapter B-100 MAGI Medical Categories	Chapter B-100 MAGI Medical Categories		
Section B-140	Section B-140		
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Chapter C-100 General Eligibility Requirements	Chapter C-100 General Eligibility Requirements		
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Appendix F 2016 MAABD Budget	Appendix F 2014 MAABD Budget		
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Manual Section	BACKGROUND & EXPLANATION of policy changes/clarifications/updates For January 2017	Obsolete PT, P&P, PUT or IM	Unit Clearance Control #
B-140	Language on Emergency Medicaid was updated for clarity.		33-16
C-200	Added information on newborns and SSN requirements.		30-16
C-200.2	Added information on newborns and SSN requirements.		30-16
D-100	Added information on paper applications for consistency with MAM D-300.		25-16
D-115	Clarified information on electronic resources.		25-16
D-160.2	Added Newborn information to the Medicaid certification period section to state length of coverage.	BUG 11082	25-16
D-160.3	Added Transitional Medicaid information to the Medicaid certification period section to state length coverage.	BUG 11082	25-16
D-100	Cleaned up several typos and spacing issues throughout manual section.		25-16
D-215	Added note on Children who receive cash assistance on any program are ineligible for DCFS Medicaid.		27-16
D-215.2	Added children on cash assistance to the financial responsibility paragraph.		27-16
D-215.3	Added cash assistance to denial/termination reasons.		27-16
D-300	D-340.2;D-380; D-380.1;D-380.2- Changed number of Form NMO-3004 to NMO-3010 per DHCFP change.	E&P IM 17-16	23-16
D-300	D-340.4.2 – Corrected spelling of "purposes".		23-16
D-300	D-340.6 – Deleted word "ay" which was not needed within the sentence.		23-16
D-300	D-385.2 – Notated that parental reimbursement is separately determined for each Katie Beckett-eligible child.		23-16
D-525.2	Removed income from sentence for clarification on types of changes.		29-16
D-525.4	Added SSN requirements for adding Newborn children.		29-16
D-530.1	Language was added to section to clarify that time spent serving a sit-out, when terminated for non-payment of premium, is not included in a child's 12 months continuous eligibility.		31-16
D-530.1	Grammatical error corrected (extra space).		31.16
D-540.6	Added resource clarification to Medicaid to dual eligibility conversion cases.		29-16
D-540.8	Removed reference to resources.		29-16
E-200	There have been issues with how "Married until divorced" applies, so two sections were updated to notate that they do not apply to individuals applying for Medicaid under the Institutional and Home-Based Waiver categories. (E-205 and E-235.1.1)		24-16
E-245.2.2	Corrected punctuation.		24-16
E-245.4	Corrected manual section reference that was incorrect.		24-16
E-245.5	Updated resource limits for 2016, which were not updated in a prior release.		24-16
Appendix F	Updated VA and MAABD Budgets to reflect 2016 rates as they were not completed in prior release.		26-16

<u>Effective Date</u> – Upon receipt <u>Instructions for Manual Maintenance</u> -- Replace superseded pages (31) with transmitted pages (31).