Overview of Adult Medicaid Programs

Private Living Assistance (PLA)

Long Term Care (LTC)

PACE

CAP-DA

Special Assistance (SA)

Placement Assistance



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Private Living Medicaid



Private Living Programs

Basic Eligibility:

- Age 65 or over
- Blind
- Disabled

Full Medicaid

Medicaid for the **Aged** (MAA)

Medicaid for the **Blind** (MAB)

Medicaid for the **Disabled** (MAD)

Health Coverage for Workers with Disabilities (HCWD)

Limited Medicaid

Medicaid for **Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries** (MQB)

Dual Eligibility

Income Guidelines

- Full Medicaid Income at or below 100% Federal Poverty Level (FPL)
 - o MAD
 - o MAA
 - o MAB
- Full Medicaid Income at or below 200% Federal Poverty Level (FPL)
 - HCWD (with no premium)



Income Guidelines

- Limited Medicaid Income at or below 100% Federal Poverty Level (FPL)
 - o MQB-Q
- Limited Medicaid Income between 101% – 135% Federal Poverty Level (FPL)
 - o MQB-B
 - o MQB-E



Resource Limits

- Full Medicaid Countable resources at or below \$2000 (individual) and \$3000 (couple)
 - o MAD
 - o MAA
 - o MAB
- Full Medicaid Countable resources at or below
 \$31,584
 - o HCWD
- Limited Medicaid Countable resources at or below \$9660 (individual) and \$14,470 (couple)
 - o MQB



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Long Term Care



Long Term Care Medicaid

- Helps pay for cost of care in a skilled nursing facility or intermediate care facility (ICF- intellectual disabilities).
- Reserve (asset) limit is \$2,000.00.
- For a married applicant with spouse at home, a portion of the couple's assets can be protected (not counted) for the community spouse.
- When computing the patient monthly liability for a married applicant with a spouse at home, an allowance may be deducted from the applicant's income for the needs of the community spouse.

Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE)

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Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE)

- Participants must be 55 years of age or older.
- Meet the North Carolina criteria for nursing home level of care and desire to continue living at home.
- Can live safely at home with PACE services.
- Use a PACE Center that includes a primary care clinic, therapy, personal care, and dining.
- Must reside in the service area of a PACE Center.
- PACE services may be offered to participants free of charge or by paying a Patient Monthly Liability depending on their income.

Community Alternatives Program for Disabled Adults (CAP-DA)

- CAP-DA provides home and community-based services for adults who are at risk of institutionalization.
- Individuals must be a disabled adult 18 years old and older.
- Require a level of institutional care.
- Need at least one or more home and community-based services based on need assessment coordinated by a CAP/DA case manager.
- Services provided under the CAP/DA waiver include adult day health, in home aide, respite services, meal preparation and delivery and equipment, modification and technology tools.

Special Assistance



Special Assistance

- A face- to face interview must be completed at Social Services with the Power of Attorney, Authorized Representative, Legal Guardian and/or Client.
- Helps pay for room and board in an assisted living facility or group home.
- Individuals must be age 65 or older or disabled and live in a residential facility approved for Special Assistance.
- Total Countable Monthly income cannot exceed the Basic Rate for Special Assistance (\$1429) and the Enhanced Rate for Special Assistance (\$1813).
- Reserve (asset) limit is \$2,000.00.
- Special Assistance beneficiaries pay the facility an amount equal to all their income minus \$90.00 (\$70.00 personal needs allowance + \$20.00 income disregard) each month.

Special Assistance In Home



The Special Assistance In Home (SAIH) Program for adults provides ongoing case management and a cash supplement to help low-income individuals who would like to remain at home safely but are at imminent risk of entering a residential facility.

Special Assistance In Home Eligibility Requirements

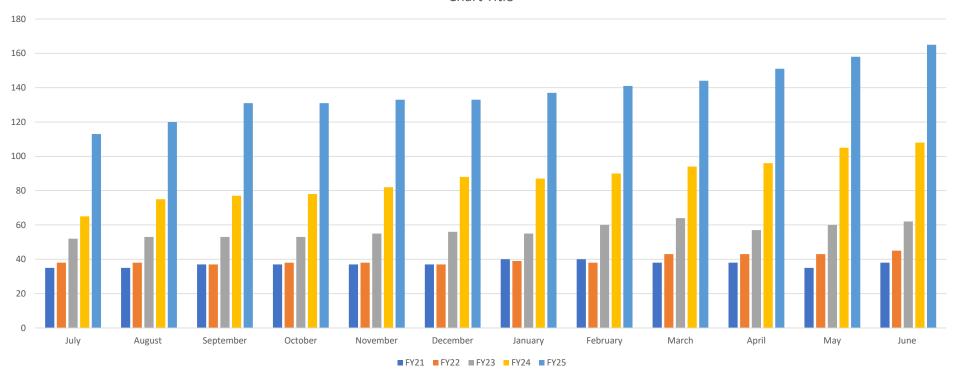


Special Assistance In Home (SAIH)

- SAIH provides income and support services to individuals who would prefer to live at home.
- SAIH has the same income, level of care and resource requirements as Special Assistance.
- Adult Services case manager completes a service assessment to determine if applicant or beneficiary can remain safely at home.

Special Assistance In-Home Data





Placement Assistance



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