



State of New Mexico
Health Care Authority
Human Services Register



HEALTH CARE
AUTHORITY

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NEW MEXICO HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY

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V. BACKGROUND SUMMARY

The New Mexico Health Care Authority (HCA) Register Volume 48, Register 10, dated April 7, 2025, issued the proposed New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC) 8.200.510 NMAC, *Medicaid Eligibility - General Recipient Policies, Resource Standards*, 8.200.520 NMAC, *Medicaid Eligibility - General Recipient Rules, Income Standards*, and 8.291.430 NMAC, *Medicaid Eligibility - Affordable Care, Financial Responsibility Requirements*.

Section 9-8-6 NMSA 1978, authorizes the Department Secretary to promulgate rules and regulations that may be necessary to carry out the duties of the Department and its divisions.

Notice Date: April 8, 2025

Hearing Date: May 8, 2025

Adoption Date: August 1, 2025

Technical Citations: HHS 2025 Federal Poverty Guidelines and 2025 SSA COLA Fact Sheet

A public hearing was held on May 8, 2025, to receive public comments and testimony on this proposed rule. The HCA did not receive any comments on the proposed changes. This rule is being implemented as proposed.

VI. RULE

These amendments will be contained in 8.200.510, 8.200.520, and 8.291.430 NMAC. The final register and rule language is available on the HCA website at:

<https://www.hca.nm.gov/lookingforinformation/registers/> and

<https://www.hca.nm.gov/lookingforinformation/medical-assistance-division-1/>. If you do not have internet access, a copy of the final register and rules may be requested by contacting the Medical Assistance Division at (505) 827-1337.

VII. EFFECTIVE DATE

This rule will have an effective date of August 1, 2025.

VIII. PUBLICATION

Publication of these rules is approved by:

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KARI ARMIJO, SECRETARY
HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY