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Agency*	Citation(s)	Groups Covered
A. <u>Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups</u> (Continued)		
DCO	1902 (a)(10)(E)(i) and 1905 (p) of the Act	25. Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries-- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Who are entitled to hospital insurance benefits under Medicare Part A, (but not pursuant to an enrollment under section 1818A of the Act); b. Whose income does not exceed 100 percent of the Federal poverty level; and c. Whose resources do not exceed three times the SSI resource standard, indexed annually (since 2006) by the increase in the Consumer Price Index (CPI). (Medical assistance for this group is limited to Medicare cost-sharing as defined in item 3.2 of this plan.)
DCO	1902 (a)(10)(E)(ii), 1905 (s) and 1905 (p)(3)(A)(i) of the Act	26. Qualified disabled and working individuals-- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Who are entitled to hospital insurance benefits under Medicare Part A under section 1818A of the Act; b. Whose income does not exceed 200 percent of the Federal poverty level; and c. Whose resources do not exceed twice the maximum standard under SSI. d. Who are not otherwise eligible for medical assistance under Title XIX of the Act. (Medical assistance for this group is limited to Medicare Part A premiums under section 1818A of the Act.)

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		B. <u>Mandatory Coverage – Categorically Needy and Other Required Special Groups</u> (Continued)
DCO	1902 (a)(10)(E)(iii) and 1905 (p)(3)(A)(ii) of the Act	27. Specified low-income Medicare beneficiaries-- <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Who are entitled to hospital insurance benefits under Medicare Part A, (but not pursuant to an enrollment under section 1818A of the Act);b. Whose income for calendar years 1993 and 1994 exceeds the income level in 25. b., but is less than 110 percent of the Federal poverty level, and whose income for calendar years beginning 1995 is less than 120 percent of the Federal poverty level; andc. Whose resources do not exceed three times the SSI resource standard, indexed annually (since 2006) by the increase in the Consumer Price Index (CPI). <p>(Medical assistance for this group is limited to Medicare Part B premiums under section 1839 of the Act.)</p>

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STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

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MORE LIBERAL METHODS OF TREATING RESOURCES
UNDER SECTION 1902 (r) (2) OF THE ACT

Section 1902 (f) State

Non-Section 1902 (f) State

For ARSeniors (Section 1902(m)) **the difference between \$2,000.00 for individuals and \$3,000.00 for couples, and the QMB resource level for individuals and couples, as appropriate, is excluded;** thereby effectively setting the resource limit for **ARSeniors at the appropriate QMB resource level.**

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