

Notice of Rule Making

Pursuant to Arkansas Code 20-76-201 and 42 CFR 431.10 and 155.302, the Director of Division of County Operations issues the following proposed changes to Medical Services Policy A-180, C-120, C-130, C-150, E-265, E-270 and its accompanying state plan amendment effective February 1, 2018.

The proposed rule change revises Medical Services policy to switch Arkansas from a “determination” state to an “assessment” state and to remove the process of using projected income to determine Medicaid eligibility. With the approval of this rule, eligibility decisions for MAGI categories will be made by the Single State Agency as opposed to the Federally Facilitated Marketplace (FFM).

Copies of the proposed change may be obtained by writing the Division of County Operations, P.O. Box 1437, Slot S-332, Little Rock, AR 72203, Attention: Office of Program Planning & Development. You may also access it on the DHS website <http://humanservices.arkansas.gov/Pages/LegalNotices.aspx>. All comments must be submitted in writing to the address indicated above no later than December 13, 2017.

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