
MinnesotaCare:

Also see §0907 (Eligibility Groups and Bases of Eligibility), §0907.05 (MinnesotaCare Eligibility Group 2), §0907.07 (MinnesotaCare Eligibility Group 3) and §0907.08 (MinnesotaCare Eligibility Group 4).

Group 1 includes:

- > Children under 21 whose family income is below 150% FPG.
- > Children who have been continuously enrolled in Group 1. This includes children who were originally enrolled in the Children's Health Plan who have maintained continuous enrollment. Continuous enrollment means enrollment in MinnesotaCare or MA/GAMC without a break in coverage of one month or more. See CONTINUOUS ENROLLMENT in §0902.07 (Glossary: Client...)

Reevaluate the group status of 21-year-olds currently assigned to Group 1 for the first available month following the 21st birthday. Assign them to the appropriate group depending on their current circumstances. See §0907.05 (MinnesotaCare Eligibility Group 2), §0907.07 (MinnesotaCare Eligibility Group 3) and §0907.08 (MinnesotaCare Eligibility Group 4).

EXAMPLE:

Bobby was enrolled in Group 1 as a child in a family with total income at or below 150% FPG. Reevaluate group status at the time of each renewal. If family income remains at or below 150% FPG, Bobby will retain Group 1 status. If family income has increased beyond 150% FPG, assign Bobby to Group 2.

EXAMPLE:

Charles was enrolled in the Children's Health Plan in 1990 at the age of 8. He was terminated from MinnesotaCare effective June 1, 1994, and applied for MA on June 10, 1994. He was enrolled in MA from June 1994 until December 31, 1995. He reapplied for MinnesotaCare on December 10, 1995, and was re-enrolled effective January 1, 1996. Charles has maintained continuous enrollment since he had no break in coverage. Charles's family's current income is now over 150% FPG. He retains Group 1 status. If he continues to be continuously enrolled until age 21, reevaluate his group status for the first available month after his 21st birthday.

EXAMPLE:

In 1995, Betty enrolled in MinnesotaCare with her parents. Based on the household income at the time of enrollment, Betty was assigned to Group 1. In 1996, Betty and her parents ended their MinnesotaCare coverage. They reapply in 1998. Determine Betty's group status based on the household income at the time of reapplication.

Generally, children with Group 1 status are exempt from the insurance barrier requirements. See §0910 (Other Health Coverage) for a detailed description of the insurance barriers and to whom they apply.

The income limit for children to have Group 1 status is 150% FPG. Children in households with income between 150% and 275% FPG have Group 2 status except for children who were enrolled in the Children's Health Plan on or before 6-30-93 who have maintained continuous enrollment. See §0912 (Income Eligibility).

> **Adults without children whose income is at or below 75% FPG.** |

M. S. 256L.04 subd. 1 and 7

M. S. 256L.07 subd. 1

MA/GAMC:

No provisions.