

the Medicaid Only program will be denied if the resources of an individual exceed \$2000. Moreover, resource eligibility is determined as of the first moment of the first day of the month. 20 C.F.R. §416.1207(a) and N.J.A.C. 10:71-4.1(e). The undisputed evidence in the record indicates that Petitioner had countable resources in excess of the \$2000 limit through February 2020. As a result, Petitioner was ineligible for benefits during February. The eligibility procedure is clearly set forth in the regulations and there is simply no provision which permits a relaxation of the eligibility date so long as the countable resources exceed the maximum limit.

THEREFORE, it is on this 10TH day of AUGUST 2021.

ORDERED:

That the Initial Decision is hereby ADOPTED.



Jennifer Langer Jacobs, Assistant Commissioner
Division of Medical Assistance
and Health Services