

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE AND HEALTH SERVICES

Eligibility Option for Family Planning Services

TAKE NOTICE that the New Jersey Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services (DMAHS), intends to seek approval from the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), for an amendment to the New Jersey Medicaid (Title XIX) State Plan with a requested effective date of October 1, 2019, in order to offer Fee-For-Service family planning and family planning related services and supplies to women and men, whose incomes are below 205% of the Federal Poverty Level, and who are not otherwise eligible for Medicaid. Subject to CMS approval, individuals eligible under the new family planning group are women and men who are not pregnant and whose income does not exceed the aforementioned income eligibility level. Eligible family planning and family planning related services as defined by CMS for this eligibility group may be billed by an approved New Jersey Medicaid provider.

For this State Plan Amendment (SPA), the estimated total costs for SFY 2020 are projected to be \$17.8M (\$1.8M state share and \$16M federal share) and in SFY 2021 an estimated cost of \$23.8M (\$2.4M state share and \$21.4M federal share) is anticipated.

This Notice is intended to satisfy the requirements of Federal law and regulations, specifically 42 U.S.C. § 1396a(a)(13) and 42 CFR 447.205. A copy of this Notice is available for public review at the local Medical Assistance Customer Centers, County Welfare Agencies, and on the DHS website at <http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/providers/grants/public/index.html>. Comments or inquiries must be submitted in writing by mail or fax within 30 days of the date of this notice to:

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