RHODE ISLAND GOVERNMENT REGISTER PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Title of Rule: Medicaid Managed Care Delivery Options (210-RICR-30-05-

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Rule Identifier: 210-RICR-30-05-2

Rulemaking Action: Proposed Amendment

Important Dates:

Date of Public Notice: May 14, 2025 End of Public Comment: June 13, 2025

Rulemaking Authority:

R.I. Gen. Laws Chapters 40-6 and 40-8

as amended; Title XIX of the Social Security Act

115th Cong. (2018)

Summary of Rulemaking Action:

EOHHS is revising regulation to remove the incorrect Parent/Caretaker income threshold. The agency incorrectly implemented athreshold of 136% FPL (141% with the 5% disregard) for which the agency doesnot have authority.

Additionally, EOHHS is removinglanguage that describes the Medicaid Consumer Advisory Committee. The work of this group will transition to the Beneficiary Advisory Council (BAC) which the State will be implementing as it is a required provision of the Ensuring Access to Medicaid Services Final Rule (AccessFinal Rule).

Technical revisions are also included in this amendment.

Additional Information and Public Comments:

All interested parties are invited to request additional information or submit written or oral comments concerning the proposed amendment until June 13, 2025 by contacting the appropriate party at the address listed below:

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In accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-35-2.8, an oral hearing will be granted if requested by twenty-five (25) persons, by a governmental agency or by an association having at least twenty-five (25) members. A request for an oral hearing must be made within ten (10) days of the publication of this notice.

Regulatory Analysis Summary and Supporting Documentation:

Thisupdate is required to ensure alignment with federal and state authorities and to clarify current practice. These changes maintain the integrity of theRhode Island Medicaid program.

For full regulatory analysis or supporting documentation contact the agency staffperson listed above.