

MEDICAID FINANCIAL LEVELS

Effective January 1, 2020

1. COMMUNITY-BASED MEDICAID-FOR HOME CARE, ADULT DAY PROGRAM, HOSPITAL STAY, OUTPATIENT REHAB (ONE MONTH LOOK BACK PERIOD)

<u>APPLICANT</u> Who is aged, blind or disabled	<u>MEDICAID MONTHLY INCOME</u>	<u>MEDICAID YEARLY INCOME</u>	<u>MEDICAID RESOURCE LEVEL</u> (1.5 x annual income)	<u>INCOME SPEND DOWN</u>
One (1) person household	\$875*	\$10,500	\$15,750	
Two (2) person household (If all are applicants)	\$1,284*	\$15,408	\$23,100	
Married Couple	\$3,216	\$38,592	\$74,820 or the spousal share (one-half of a married couple's resources) up to a maximum of \$128,640**	

2. INSTITUTIONAL-BASED MEDICAID-NURSING HOME & HOSPITAL STAYS (5YR. LOOK BACK PERIOD)

<u>APPLICANT</u> Who is admitted for Long Term Care	<u>MEDICAID MONTHLY INCOME</u>	<u>MEDICAID RESOURCE LEVEL</u>
Individual	\$50	\$15,750
Non-Institutional Community Spouse	\$3,216	\$74,820 or the spousal share (one-half of a married couple's resources) up to a maximum of \$128,640**

3. NYS MEDICAID REGIONAL RATES FOR AVERAGE COST OF NURSING

HOME CARE TO BE USED IN DETERMINING TRANSFER PENALTY PERIOD AS OF 2020:

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|------------------|----------|--------------------------|----------|
| a. Central | \$10,451 | e. Northern Metropolitan | \$12,805 |
| b. Long Island | \$13,407 | f. Rochester | \$12,460 |
| c. New York City | \$12,844 | g. Western | \$10,720 |
| d. Northeastern | \$11,295 | | |

4. MEDICARE FACTS:

a. The Medicare Part B premium deducted from monthly social security benefits. Based on following income levels for new enrollees in the system:

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|--------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|----------|
| - Up to \$87,000 | \$144.60*** | - \$136,000 to \$163,000 | \$376.00 |
| - \$87,000 to \$109,000 | \$202.40 | - \$163,000 to \$500,000 | \$462.70 |
| - \$109,000 to \$136,000 | \$289.20 | - \$500,000 and over | \$491.60 |

b. Medicare co-payment for Skilled Nursing Facility is \$176.00

c. Medicare hospital deductible per benefit period is \$1,408.00

*Plus a \$20 disregard

**Higher amounts may be kept under the "Spousal Refusal" provisions

***Individuals who have received Social Security payments & Medicare prior to 2011 will pay \$96.50

5. HOME EQUITY MAXIMUM: \$893,000

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