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MEDICAID RESOURCE & INCOME LEVELS FOR 2004

On January 1st of each calendar year, adjustments are made to many of the public benefits numbers in accordance with adjustments in the cost of living index. The following Medicaid numbers reflect the 2004 levels (effective January 1, 2004):

Medicaid Income Levels:

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|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| For a Single Individual | \$659 (plus \$20 income disregard) |
| For a Couple | \$950 |

Medicaid Resource Levels:

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|-------------------------|---------|
| For a Single Individual | \$3,950 |
| For a Couple | \$5,700 |

Community Spouse Resource Allowance ("CSRA")

Minimum: \$74,820 Maximum: \$92,760

Minimum Monthly Maintenance Needs Allowance ("MMMNA"): \$2,319

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