

I-100 AGE - MAGI RELATED**I-110 REQUIREMENT****Parents and Caretaker Relatives and MAGI-Based Medically Needy Program (MNP)**

In order to be considered in the Parents and Caretaker Relatives Group (PCR), the parent or caretaker relative must be living with and assuming primary responsibility for the care of a dependent child. The child must be under age 18.

If age 18 and a full-time student, continue Medicaid through the month the child completes their course of study if both the following conditions are met:

- The child is a full time student in high school or in vocational or technical training at a level equivalent to high school, and
- The child is expected to complete the course of study before or during the month of their 19th birthday.

Refer to *I-140 School Attendance*.

Children Under Age 19 Group

A child must be **under age 19** to be considered in CHAMP, LaCHIP, and LaCHIP Affordable Plan.

Remove the child effective the first day of the month following their 19th birthday.

I-120 VERIFICATION

Verify only if questionable.

If the age of a child is questionable, view an official birth record, hospital birth record, or baptismal certificate from a church with valid records. **

If the applicant/beneficiary is unable to obtain the above documents the following, which include the child's name and birthday, may be used:

- Medical records other than the hospital birth record,
- Licensed midwife records,
- Immunization or other Health Unit records,
- School records,
- Adoption records,
- Indian census records,
- Insurance policies over three (3) years old,
- Church records,
- Family Bible records,
- U.S. Census records,
- Passports,
- Naturalization papers,
- United States Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) documentation, or
- Information provided in correspondence from a national VOLAG (Voluntary Resettlement Agency).

I-130 DOCUMENTATION

Document and file a copy of the verification of age of each beneficiary.

I-140 SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

School attendance is applicable **only** in Parents and Caretaker Relatives Group and MAGI-Based MNP.

A parent or caretaker relative may be eligible for Medicaid if the child is:

- Age 18,
- Living in the same home under their care, and;
- Attending a secondary, vocational or technical school full-time and is expected to graduate or complete the course of study before or during the month of their 19th birthday.

School attendance requirements are met if:

- A child is out of school because of vacation, temporary illness, or family emergency,

- An incapacitated child attends fewer hours or receives instruction from a visiting teacher at home, or
- A child is enrolled in a Job Corps program.

Verify school attendance and completion date for the course of study for each child who is age 18 at application or who will be age 18 before the next renewal.

School attendance may be verified by school records, current report cards, or any other documentary evidence.

Document and file verification of school attendance.