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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
Medicaid and CHIP Operations Group
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Kansas City, MO 64106



Center for Medicaid & CHIP Services

January 09, 2023

Cheryl J. Roberts
Director
Department of Medical Assistance Services
600 E. Broad Street
Richmond, VA 23219

Re: Approval of State Plan Amendment VA-22-0001

Dear Cheryl J. Roberts,

On August 25, 2022, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) received Virginia State Plan Amendment (SPA) VA-22-0001 to amend the state's paper alternative single streamlined application.

We approve Virginia State Plan Amendment (SPA) VA-22-0001 with an effective date(s) of July 01, 2022.

If you have any questions regarding this amendment, please contact Margaret Kosherzenko at Margaret.Kosherzenko@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

James G. Scott, Director
Division of Program Operations
Center for Medicaid & CHIP Services

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Package Information

Package ID	VA2022MS0001O	Submission Type	Official
Program Name	N/A	State	VA
SPA ID	VA-22-0001	Region	Philadelphia, PA
Version Number	4	Package Status	Approved
Submitted By	Emily McClellan	Submission Date	8/25/2022
Package Disposition		Approval Date	1/9/2023 11:31 AM EST

Submission - Summary

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State Information

State/Territory Name:	Virginia	Medicaid Agency Name:	Department of Medical Assistance Services
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Submission Component

- State Plan Amendment
- Medicaid
- CHIP

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SPA ID and Effective Date

SPA ID VA-22-0001

Reviewable Unit	Proposed Effective Date	Superseded SPA ID
Application	7/1/2022	VA-18-0015

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Executive Summary

Summary Description Including Goals and Objectives This SPA submission includes an updated Medicaid enrollment application. The only changes are: 1) updating the pregnancy-related question from 60 days to 12 months to align with Virginia's postpartum extension; 2) adding language for MCO pre-selection for those that are found eligible for FAMIS.

Federal Budget Impact and Statute/Regulation Citation

Federal Budget Impact

	Federal Fiscal Year	Amount
First	2022	\$0
Second	2023	\$0

Federal Statute / Regulation Citation

Section 1902(e)(14) of the Social Security Act

Supporting documentation of budget impact is uploaded (optional).

Name	Date Created
No items available	

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Governor's Office Review

- No comment
- Comments received
- No response within 45 days
- Other

Submission - Medicaid State Plan

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The submission includes the following:

- Administration
- Eligibility
 - Income/Resource Methodologies
 - Income/Resource Standards
 - Mandatory Eligibility Groups
 - Optional Eligibility Groups
 - Non-Financial Eligibility
 - Eligibility and Enrollment Processes

Eligibility Process

Application

Reviewable Unit Name	Included in Another Submission Package
Application	APPROVED

Presumptive Eligibility

Benefits and Payments

Submission - Public Comment

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Indicate whether public comment was solicited with respect to this submission.

- Public notice was not federally required and comment was not solicited
- Public notice was not federally required, but comment was solicited
- Public notice was federally required and comment was solicited

Submission - Tribal Input

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One or more Indian Health Programs or Urban Indian Organizations furnish health care services in this state

- Yes
- No

This state plan amendment is likely to have a direct effect on Indians, Indian Health Programs or Urban Indian Organizations, as described in the state consultation plan.

- Yes
- No

The state has solicited advice from Indian Health Programs and/or Urban Indian Organizations, as required by section 1902(a)(73) of the Social Security Act, and in accordance with the state consultation plan, prior to submission of this SPA.

Complete the following information regarding any solicitation of advice and/or tribal consultation conducted with respect to this submission:

Solicitation of advice and/or Tribal consultation was conducted in the following manner:

All Indian Health Programs

Date of solicitation/consultation:	Method of solicitation/consultation:
7/25/2022	Letter sent by email to all Tribes and to all Indian Health Programs. (There are currently no Urban Indian Organizations in Virginia.)

All Urban Indian Organizations

States are not required to consult with Indian tribal governments, but if such consultation was conducted voluntarily, provide information about such consultation below:

All Indian Tribes

Date of consultation:	Method of consultation:
7/25/2022	Letter sent by email to all Tribes and to all Indian Health Programs. (There are currently no Urban Indian Organizations in Virginia.)

The state must upload copies of documents that support the solicitation of advice in accordance with statutory requirements, including any notices sent to Indian Health Programs and/or Urban Indian Organizations, as well as attendee lists if face-to-face meetings were held. Also upload documents with comments received from Indian Health Programs or Urban Indian Organizations and the state's responses to any issues raised. Alternatively indicate the key issues and summarize any comments received below and describe how the state incorporated them into the design of its program.

Name	Date Created	
Tribal Notice Email - Updates to Medicaid Application	8/25/2022 7:48 AM EDT	
Tribal Notice SPA Letter (signed) 07-25-22	8/25/2022 7:48 AM EDT	

Indicate the key issues raised (optional)

- Access
- Quality
- Cost
- Payment methodology
- Eligibility

- Benefits
- Service delivery
- Other issue

Name of issue:	Summarize comments:	Summarize response:
Changes to Medicaid Application	1) Update the pregnancy related question from 60 days to 12 months to align with Virginia's postpartum extension; 2) add language for MCO pre-selection for those that are found eligible for FAMIS.	No response received.

Medicaid State Plan Eligibility

General Eligibility Requirements

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A. MAGI Paper Application

The state uses the following paper application(s) for individuals applying for coverage based on the applicable modified adjusted gross income (MAGI) standard.

- 1. The single, streamlined application for all insurance affordability programs, developed by the Secretary in accordance with section 1413(b)(1)(A) of the Affordable Care Act
- 2. One or more alternative single, streamlined applications developed by the state in accordance with section 1413(b)(1)(B) of the Affordable Care Act and approved by the Secretary, which may be no more burdensome than the streamlined application developed by the Secretary

Name

Standard Application and Single Page Supplement

The paper application(s) has been uploaded.

Document Name	Date Created	
English Application Single Page Supplement 12_22_22	12/22/2022 5:10 PM EST	
English MAGI Standard Application 122222	12/22/2022 5:10 PM EST	

- 3. One or more alternative applications used to apply for multiple human service programs approved by the Secretary, provided that the agency makes readily available the single streamlined application used only for insurance affordability programs to individuals seeking assistance only through such programs
- 4. Other alternative applications, provided that the agency makes readily available the single streamlined application used only for insurance affordability programs to individuals seeking assistance only through such programs

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B. MAGI Online Application

The state uses the following online application(s) for individuals applying for coverage based on the applicable MAGI standard.

- 1. The single, streamlined application for all insurance affordability programs, developed by the Secretary in accordance with section 1413(b)(1)(A) of the Affordable Care Act
- 2. One or more alternative single, streamlined application developed by the state in accordance with section 1413(b)(1)(B) of the Affordable Care Act and approved by the Secretary, which may be no more burdensome than the streamlined application developed by the Secretary

Name

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Screenshots or other documentation of the online application(s) has been uploaded.

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- 3. One or more alternative application used to apply for multiple human service programs approved by the Secretary, provided that the agency makes readily available the single application used only for insurance affordability programs to individuals seeking assistance only through such programs
- 4. Other alternative applications, provided that the agency makes readily available the single streamlined application used only for insurance affordability programs to individuals seeking assistance only through such programs

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C. Basis Other than MAGI - Paper Application

The state uses the following paper application(s) for individuals applying for coverage on a basis other than the applicable MAGI standard:

- 1. The single, streamlined application developed by the Secretary or one of the alternate forms developed by the state and approved by the Secretary, and supplemental forms to collect additional information needed to determine eligibility on such other basis, submitted to the Secretary

The supplemental form(s) used to collect additional information has been uploaded.

Name	Date Created	
APPENDIX E Medically Needy Application English	6/7/2022 12:50 PM EDT	
ABD-LTC_Supplement	6/7/2022 12:53 PM EDT	
Appendix F English	10/11/2022 11:45 AM EDT	
English MAGI Standard Application 122222	12/22/2022 5:12 PM EST	
English Application Single Page Supplement 12_22_22	12/22/2022 5:12 PM EST	
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- 2. One or more applications designed specifically to determine eligibility on a basis other than the applicable MAGI standard which minimizes the burden on applicants, submitted to the Secretary
- 3. One or more applications used to apply for multiple human service programs
- 4. Other alternative applications

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D. Other than MAGI - Online Application

The state uses the following online application(s) for individuals applying for coverage who may be eligible on a basis other than the applicable MAGI standard:

- 1. The single, streamlined application developed by the Secretary or one of the alternate online forms developed by the state and approved by the Secretary, and supplemental online forms to collect additional information needed to determine eligibility on such other basis, submitted to the Secretary

Screenshots or other documentation of the online form(s) used to the collect additional information have been uploaded

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- 2. One or more application designed specifically to determine eligibility on a basis other than the applicable MAGI standard which minimizes the burden on applicants, submitted to the Secretary
- 3. One or more application used to apply for multiple human service programs
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E. Additional Information (optional)

PRA Disclosure Statement: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) collects this mandatory information in accordance with (42 U.S.C. 1396a) and (42 CFR 430.12); which sets forth the authority for the submittal and collection of state plans and plan amendment information in a format defined by CMS for the purpose of improving the state application and federal review processes, improve federal program management of Medicaid programs and Children's Health Insurance Program, and to standardize Medicaid program data which covers basic requirements, and individualized content that reflects the characteristics of the particular state's program. The information will be used to monitor and analyze performance metrics related to the Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Program in efforts to boost program integrity efforts, improve performance and accountability across the programs. Under the Privacy Act of 1974 any personally identifying information obtained will be kept private to the extent of the law. According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 0938-1188. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to range from 1 hour to 80 hours per response (see below), including the time to review instructions, search existing data resources, gather the data needed, and complete and review the information collection. If you have comments concerning the accuracy of the time estimate(s) or suggestions for improving this form, please write to: CMS, 7500 Security Boulevard, Attn: PRA Reports Clearance Officer, Mail Stop C4-26-05, Baltimore, Maryland 21244-1850.

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