

2020 FEDERAL POVERTY GUIDELINES CHART¹

The Department of Health & Human Services (HHS) issues poverty guidelines that are often referred to as the “federal poverty level” (FPL). Starting November 1, 2020, the Health Insurance Marketplace^{®2} will use the 2020 guidelines when making calculations for advance payments of the premium tax credit and income-based cost-sharing reductions for coverage year 2021.

Note that Medicaid and the Children’s Health Insurance Program assessments/determinations are currently based on the 2020 FPL from the HHS 2020 Poverty Guidelines until January or February 2021 when HHS releases the new guidelines for 2021.

The 2021 guidelines have not been released as of the date of publication of this training, but will be available on the HHS Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation (ASPE) website (<http://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty-research>).

Household Size	100%	138%	150%	200%	250%	300%	400%
1	\$12,760	\$17,609	\$19,140	\$25,520	\$31,900	\$38,280	\$51,040
2	\$17,240	\$23,791	\$25,860	\$34,480	\$43,100	\$51,720	\$68,960
3	\$21,720	\$29,974	\$32,580	\$43,440	\$54,300	\$65,160	\$86,880
4	\$26,200	\$36,156	\$39,330	\$52,400	\$65,500	\$78,600	\$104,800
5	\$30,680	\$42,338	\$46,020	\$61,360	\$76,700	\$92,040	\$122,720
6	\$35,160	\$48,521	\$52,740	\$70,320	\$87,900	\$105,480	\$140,640
7	\$39,640	\$54,703	\$59,460	\$79,280	\$99,100	\$118,920	\$158,560
8	\$44,120	\$60,886	\$66,180	\$88,240	\$110,300	\$132,360	\$176,480

¹ Chart is for 48 contiguous states and the District of Columbia; for Hawaii and Alaska, please visit the HHS ASPE website: <https://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty-guidelines>.

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