

MANUAL MATERIAL TRANSMISSION WV INCOME MAINTENANCE MANUAL

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This change was made to Chapter 1 to reinstate redeterminations for the Pickle Amendment Coverage (PAC) Medicaid group to the Manual. All eligibility factors are redetermined and the redetermination is completed every 12 months. The same RAPIDS redetermination form is used for QMB, SLIMB, QI-1 and PAC. The form is mailed from RAPIDS in the 11th month of eligibility for completion of the redetermination in the 12th month. This process will be effective for January 2006 PAC redeterminations which are mailed in December 2005. Because PAC redeterminations were previously all scheduled for January, the redeterminations for existing PAC AG's will all be due in January 2006. New PAC approvals will be redetermined in the 12th month of eligibility, based upon the first month of PAC eligibility.

A NOTE was added in Section 1.15,M items 1 and 2 about backdating QMB coverage. Information was added in Section 1.15,Q,2 to update the redetermination policy to correspond to the current RAPIDS process.

Form DFA-PAC-4 may also be used for PAC redeterminations and is newly issued with this change. This form is used only for PAC redeterminations and will be mailed from RAPIDS. The paper copy of the form will only be needed if the client loses the mailed form or comes to the office for a redetermination and the Worker wishes to use the DFA-PAC-4. Even though this is a 5-page form, printed copies will not be available. A fillable and large print copy of the form will be posted on the DFA Forms Page on the intranet.

Policy questions should be addressed to the DFA Economic Services Policy Unit. RAPIDS questions should be directed to the RAPIDS Help Desk.