APPENDIX A

GUIDE TO TRANSITIONAL MEDICAID

PHASE I

- 1. Ineligible for AFDC Medicaid due to hours of employment, amount of income from employment or from loss of time-limited earned income disregards (\$30 + 1/3 or \$30 disregard)
- 2. Received AFDC Medicaid in at least 3 of the last 6 months
- 3. No indication of AFDC Medicaid fraud
- 4. AG has a dependent child who would be eligible for AFDC Medicaid
- 5. Enroll **and** maintain enrollment in employer's free medical plan, if available

PHASE II

- 1. Received Phase I coverage for entire 6 months
- 2. All **PRL** forms are returned
- 3. AG has a dependent child who would be eligible for AFDC Medicaid
- 4. Income less than 185% FPL. Use income of AFDC Medicaid Income Group.
- 5. Parent continues to have earnings unless good cause exists
- 6. Enroll and maintain enrollment in employer's free medical plan, if available.

TRANSITIONAL MEDICAID FLOW

PHASE I

1st Month: Start TM

2nd Month: No action necessary.

3rd Month: PRL3 mailed to **client 25th of month.** Due by 21st of 4th month.

- 4th Month: Alert that PRL3 is due by 21st to report earnings and day care expenses for 1st 3 months of Phase I. If not received send advance notice to client of ineligibility for Phase II.
- 5th Month: Alert that Phase I ends next month. No action necessary.

6th Month: **PRL8** mailed to client **25th of month.** Due by 21st of 1st month of Phase II.

NOTE: No provision to discontinue Phase I for failure to continue working.

NOTE: Failure (without good cause) to return completed PRL3 by due date results in ineligibility for Phase II. No effect on Phase I.

PHASE II

1 st Month: (Total of 7 mos.)	Alert that PRL8 due by 21st of month. Send advance notice to terminate TM if completed form is not received.
2 nd Month: (Total of 8 mos.)	No action necessary. Phase II termination if PRL8 not received and good cause not established.
3 rd Month: (Total of 9 mos.)	PRL9 mailed to client on 25th of month . Due by 21 st of 4 th month.
4 th Month: (Total of 10 mos.)	Alert that PRL9 is due by 21st of month . Send advance notice to terminate TM if completed form is not received.
5 th Month: (Total of 11 mos.)	No action necessary. Phase II termination if PRL9 not received and good cause not established.
6 th Month: (Total of 12 mos.)	Alert that Phase II, TM is ending. Benefits automatically terminate. Determine eligibility under other Medicaid coverage groups.

Specific Medicaid Requirements

RAPIDS TRANSITIONAL MEDICAID PROCESS

RAPIDS Cateogry	RAPIDS PRL Form	Eligibility Review Period	PRL Issuance Date	PRL Due Date	Closure Date and Reason Code
MEI, ME D ME T	PRL3	Form determines eligibility for months 7 - 12	25 th day of the 3 rd month	21 st day of the 4 th month	End of 6 th month. Code 011- Failure to comply with periodic reporting requirements
MEI, ME D ME T	PRL8	Form determines eligibility for months 9 – 12	25 th day of the 6 th month	21 st day of the 7 th month	End of 8 th month. Code 011
MEI, ME D ME T	PRL9	Form determines eligibility for month 12	25 th day of the 9 th month	21 st day of the 10 th month	End of 11 th month. Code 011

Alerts sent related to the above chart:

- 065 The Worker receives an alert approximately 3 days prior to adverse action.
- 064 The Supervisor receives an alert approximately 2 days prior to adverse action.

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