

# CHANGE NOTICE FOR MANUAL NO. 01-26, PREGNANT WOMAN COVERAGE

**DATE: January 5, 2025**

**Manual:** Family and Children's Medicaid  
**Change No:** 01-26  
**To:** County Directors of Social Services

## **I. BACKGROUND AND CONTENT OF CHANGE**

MA-3240, Pregnant Woman Coverage policy has been updated with clarification of incarcerated pregnant women's Medicaid benefits. The updates provide guidance related to the suspension or termination of Medicaid upon incarceration.

## **II. POLICY UPDATE**

### **A. Section 2.A.4**

This section has been changed to reflect guidance for inmates in federal prison only.

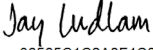
### **B. Section 2.A.5**

This section has been added to provide guidance for suspending inmates of state correctional facilities, county jails, or local detention centers.

## **III. EFFECTIVE DATE AND IMPLEMENTATION**

This change is effective immediately upon receipt of this notice.

If you have any questions regarding information in this letter, please contact your Operational Support Team Representative.

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