

**CHANGE NOTICE FOR MANUAL NO. 04-18,
TRANSFER OF ASSETS, HOME EQUITY VALUE AND
LOW INCOME SUBSIDY LIMITS/RESOURCES**

DATE: June 18, 2018

Manual: Aged, Blind, and Disabled Medicaid

Change No: 04-18

To: County Directors of Social Services

I. BACKGROUND AND CONTENT OF CHANGE

This change notice provides the current maximum amount of home equity allowance, the average private Nursing Facility rates and Low Income Subsidy (LIS) limits/resources.

II. POLICY UPDATE

A. MA-2240, Transfer of Assets:

- **I., is updated to reflect the current maximum amount of home equity allowance.**
- **XII.B., is updated to reflect the current average private Nursing Facility monthly rate.**
- **XII.C., is updated to reflect the current average private Nursing Facility daily rate.**

B. MA-2242, Home Equity Value & Eligibility for Institutional Services, Home Equity limits have been updated as outlined in DMA Administrative Letter No. 01-18.

C. MA-2311.IX LIS Income Limits section is updated to reflect the updated amount of the 2018 Federal Poverty Level income and countable resources.

III. EFFECTIVE DATE AND IMPLEMENTATION

The Transfer of Assets and the Low Income Subsidy Limits are effective July 1, 2018.

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



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