

# Medicaid 1115 Coverage Restrictions: State Requests and Approval Status

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	Status in Approval Process	Work requirement	Asset Test	Cost sharing beyond statute	Drug testing	Waive EPSDT Coverage	Individual accounts ("HSA")	Lockouts for Premium Non-Payment	Lockouts for non-renewal or failure to report changes	Waive NEMT	Premiums	Partial expansion	Private Option	Retroactive coverage waiver	Time limits	Healthy Behavior Incentive
Alabama	State Comments Closed	Scp														
Arizona	Waiver Amendment Pending	Pending		Approved			Approved				Approved			Pending	Pending	Approved
Arkansas	Waiver Approved	Approved		Approved			Approved				Approved	Deferred	Approved	Approved		Approved
Florida	Federal Comment Open													Fcp		
Indiana**	Waiver Approved	Approved		Approved			Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved			Approved		Approved
Iowa	Waiver Approved					Denied				Approved	Approved		Approved	Approved		Approved
Kansas	Waiver Pending	Pending													Denied	
Kentucky**	Waiver Approved	Approved		Approved			Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved	Approved			Approved		
Maine**	Waiver Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending				Pending			Pending			Pending		
Massachusetts	Waiver Pending									Pending		Pending		Pending		
Michigan	Waiver Approved			Approved			Approved				Approved		Approved			Approved
Mississippi	Waiver Pending	Pending														
Montana	Waiver Approved			Approved				Approved			Approved					Approved
New Hampshire	Waiver Amendment Pending	Approved											Approved			
New Mexico	Waiver Pending			Pending		Pending		Pending			Pending			Pending		Pending
North Carolina	Waiver Pending	Pending									Pending					
Ohio	State Comment Open	Scp														
South Dakota	State Comment Open	Scp														
Utah**	Waiver Pending	Pending		Pending		Pending								Pending	Pending	
Wisconsin**	Waiver Pending	Pending		Pending	Pending			Pending			Pending				Pending	Pending

## State details:

For states noted with \*\*, the waiver applies to adults eligible through Medicaid expansion and traditional Medicaid.

Utah, Wisconsin, Kansas, North Carolina, Alabama have not expanded Medicaid. Maine expanded Medicaid by ballot measure but the expansion has not yet been implemented.

"Scp" indicates an element included in a waiver that is out for state public comment, or just completed the state public comment period and is not yet filed with CMS.

"Fcp" indicates an element included in a waiver that is out for federal public comment.

## Waiver Request Categorized Defined

**Asset test:** Count assets, in addition to income, in determining eligibility. The ACA removed asset tests and based eligibility on modified adjusted income, except for seniors and people with disability who also have Medicare coverage.

**Cost Sharing:** Cost sharing that is higher than allowed under Medicaid law.

**Drug testing:** Drug test required for program eligibility.

**EPSDT:** Request to omit required Medicaid benefit of early and periodic screening, diagnosis and treatment for conditions that can affect development.

**Individual accounts:** Medicaid sets up and largely funds individual accounts that enrollees manage.

**Lockouts:** Enrollees may be disenrolled and barred from re-enrollment for a period of time. Most lock-outs relate to non-payment of premiums, and some allow reenrollment if back premiums are paid, but some related to timely renewal filing and other administrative issues ((i.e., Kentucky).

**NEMT:** Request to omit coverage of non-emergency medical transportation, a Medicaid benefit.

**Premiums:** Charge monthly fee to enrollees. May only apply to enrollees with incomes above a certain level of poverty.

**Partial expansion:** Request to receive full expansion federal matching rate without covering the entire Medicaid expansion population.

**Private option:** State purchases marketplace coverage for expansion enrollees. May be optional or mandatory for enrollees.

**Retroactive coverage:** No coverage for costs incurred 3 months prior to Medicaid eligibility.

**Time limits:** Limit on number of months that otherwise eligible individuals can receive Medicaid.

**Wellness programs:** Participation in specific health related activities can reduce premiums, cost sharing.

**Work requirement:** Eligibility for coverage is conditioned on meeting a work requirement.