Buy-In Desk Guide

Effective January 2014

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Description/Category	Federal Income Limits Effective 1/22/ 2014	Resource Limits Effective 1/1/14	Program Status Codes & Benefits	
Qualified MedicareBeneficiaries (QMBs)*Pure QMBs	Equal to or less than 100% 1 person - \$973 2 persons - \$1,311	1 person - \$2,000-\$7,160 2 persons - \$3,000-	00 – Part A & B Coinsurance/Deductibles	
PG – Elderly/Disabled/Blind <u>Dual Eligible QMBs</u>	1	\$10,750		
PAN, PJN, PMN, PVN PAW, PJW, PMW	1 person - \$973 1 person - \$973 2 persons - \$1, 311	1 person - \$7,160 1 person - \$7,160 2 persons - \$10,750	80 – NMP/Part A & B Coinsurance/Deductibles	
РН	1 person - \$973 2 persons - \$1, 311 1 person - \$973	1 person - \$2,000 2 persons - \$3,000	80 – NMP/Part A & B Coinsurance/Deductibles 81 – NMP/Part A & B	
PA, PJ, PM	(for Buy-In, not DAC)	1 person - \$2,000	81 – NMP/Part A & B Coinsurance/Deductibles 80 – SBP/Part A & B	
B/ State Blind Pension	1 person - \$973 1 person - \$973	1 person - \$7,160 1 person - \$7,160	Coinsurance/Deductibles 80 – NMP/Part A & B	
PW, PI **	2 persons - \$1, 311 1 person - \$973 (Income must be	2 persons - \$10,000	Coinsurance/Deductibles	
<u>MNO QMBs</u> TA,TJ,TAN,TAW, TJN,TJW,TVN	equal to or less than 100% before deduction of medical expenses)	1 person - \$2,400	80 – MNO/Part A & B Coinsurance/Deductibles	
Specified Low Income <u>Medicare Beneficiaries</u> (SLMBs)	More than 100% but less than 120%	1 person - \$7,160 2 persons - \$10,750	65 – Part B No ACCESS Card	
<u>Pure SLMBs</u> TA, TJ	1 person - \$973.01-\$1,166.99 2 persons - \$1,311.01-\$1,572.99	2 persons - \$10,750	NO ACCESS Card	
DUAL ELIGIBLE SLMBs NMP Eligible/Buy-In PAN, PJN, PMN,PVN	1 person - \$973.01-\$1,166.99	1 person- \$7,160	66 – NMP/Part B	
PAW,PJW,PMW	1 person - \$973.01-\$1,166.99 2 persons - \$1,311.01-\$1,572.99	1 person - \$7,160 2 persons - \$10,750		
PW, PI **	1 person - \$973.01-\$1,166.99 2 persons - \$1,311.01-\$1,572.99	1 person - \$7,160 2 persons - \$10,000	66 – NMP/Part B	
<u>MNO Eligible/</u> Buy-In TA,TJ,TAN,TAW, TJW,TJN,TVN	1 person - \$425 (6 mos\$2,550) 2 persons - \$442 (6 mos\$2,650) (Income must be more than 100% but less than 120% before deduction of medical expenses.)	1 person - \$2,400 2 persons - \$3,200	66 – MNO/Part B	
<u>Qualifying Individuals</u> <u>Group 1 – (QI-1s)</u> Medicare Part B Only TA, TJ	At least 120% but less than 135% 1 person - \$1,167-\$1,312.99 2 persons - \$1,573-\$1,769.99	1 person \$7,160 2 persons- \$10,750	67 – Part B No ACCESS Card	

* SSI (A, J, M) beneficiaries are eligible for Buy-In of Medicare premiums as QMBs and are enrolled by SSA. SSA enrolls J categories in Buy-In after 24 months of date of eligibility of SSI. If the SSA category is not enrolled in Buy-In, then stage a manual accrete in the Buy-In system.

** For a MAWD applicant/recipient living with a spouse, use the 2 person limit. However, if the spouse is receiving HCBS services, use the 1 person limit for the MAWD applicant/recipient with Buy-In.

Space prohibits display of 2 persons limit for all categories.