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AMEND: 461-155-0290

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RULE SUMMARY: OAR 461-155-0290 is being amended to adjust the income standards to reflect the annual updates to the Federal Poverty Level that happens every March.

CHANGES TO RULE:

461-155-0290

Income Standard; QMB-BAS ¶

The adjusted income standard for the QMB-BAS program is 100 percent of the 2022³ federal poverty level.¶

QMB-BAS Adjusted Income Standard¶

No. in Need Group	Amount¶
1	\$1,133,215¶
2	1,526,644¶
3	1,920,072¶
4	2,313,500¶
5	2,706,929¶
6	3,100,357¶
7	3,493,785¶
8	3,886,214¶
9	4,280,642¶
10	4,673,507¶

Each additional person + 394,429

Statutory/Other Authority: ORS 411.060, 411.070, 411.404, ORS 409.050, 413.085, 414.685

Statutes/Other Implemented: ORS 411.060, 411.070, 411.404, ORS 409.010, 42 CFR 400.200, 42 USC 1396d(p)

AMEND: 461-155-0291

NOTICE FILED DATE: 11/21/2022

RULE SUMMARY: OAR 461-155-0291 is being amended to adjust the income standards to reflect the annual updates to the Federal Poverty Level that happens every March.

CHANGES TO RULE:

461-155-0291

Income Standard; QMB-DW ¶¶

The adjusted income standard for the QMB-DW program is 200 percent of the 2022~~3~~ federal poverty level (see OAR 461-155-0290).¶¶

QMB-DW Adjusted Income Standard¶¶

No. in Need Group	Amount¶¶
1	\$2,265,430¶¶
2	3,052,287¶¶
3	3,839,144¶¶
4	4,625,000¶¶
5	5,412,857¶¶
6	6,199,714¶¶
7	6,985,570¶¶
8	7,772,427¶¶
9	8,559,284¶¶
10	9,345,140¶¶

Each additional person + 7857

Statutory/Other Authority: ORS 411.060, 411.070, 411.404, ORS 409.050, 413.085, 414.685

Statutes/Other Implemented: ORS 411.060, 411.070, 411.404, ORS 409.010, 42 CFR 400.200, 42 USC 1396d(s)

AMEND: 461-155-0295

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RULE SUMMARY: OAR 461-155-0295 is being amended to adjust these income standards to reflect the annual updates to the Federal Poverty Level that happens every March.

CHANGES TO RULE:

461-155-0295

Income Standard; QMB-SMB, QMB-SMF ¶

(1) Eligibility for QMB-SMB requires income greater than 100 percent (see OAR 461-155-0290) but less than 120 percent of the federal poverty level. The adjusted income standard for QMB-SMB is 120 percent of the 20223 federal poverty level.¶

QMB-SMB Adjusted Income Standard¶

(Case Descriptor SMB) ¶

No. in Need Group	Amount¶
1	\$1,359,458¶
2	1,831,972¶
3	2,303,486¶
4	2,775,000¶
5	3,247,514¶
6	3,719,028¶
7	4,191,542¶
8	4,663,056¶
9	5,135,570¶
10	5,607,084¶
Each additional person	+ 472,514¶

(2) Eligibility for QMB-SMF requires income equal to or greater than 120 percent (see section (1) of this rule) but less than 135 percent of the federal poverty level. The adjusted income standard for QMB-SMF is 135 percent of the 20223 federal poverty level.¶

QMB-SMF Adjusted Income Standard¶

(Case Descriptor SMF) ¶

No. in Need Group	Amount¶
1	\$1,529,641¶
2	2,060,219¶
3	2,591,797¶
4	3,122,375¶
5	3,653,954¶
6	4,184,532¶
7	4,715,110¶
8	5,246,688¶
9	5,776,267¶
10	6,308,845¶
Each additional person	+ 534,79

Statutory/Other Authority: ORS 411.060, 411.070, ORS 409.050, 413.085, 414.685

Statutes/Other Implemented: ORS 411.060, 411.070, ORS 409.010, 42 USC 1396a(10)(E)(iii) and (iv)