

(Attachment #1)

MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

FAMILY SUPPORT DIVISION

August 2, 2004

CASE ID:  
COUNTY NO:

Effective July 1, 2004, you are eligible for Medicaid coverage without meeting a spenddown. The reason for this change is the Medicaid non-spenddown income limit has increased from \$699 to \$776 for a single person household and from \$937 to \$1041 for a married couple household. The income information we have on file for you shows your countable income is below this new limit. Thus, your Medicaid coverage will continue without a break unless your situation changes.

If you have already paid your spenddown amount to Division of Medical Services for July and/or August you will receive a refund in about four to six weeks. For questions regarding your refund call 1-877-888-2811. If you met your July spenddown with bills you will need to talk to your provider(s) about the possibility of billing Medicaid for the service and refunding any amount you paid. Show your provider a copy of this letter. For help with this process call Recipient Services at 1-800-392-2161.

If your situation changes, you must report these changes at once to the Family Support Division office. It is important you notify us if you have changes in your household, such as income, resources, or your address changes.

If you do not agree with this action, you can request a hearing within 90 days from the date of this letter by contacting your local Family Support Division office. You may present your information yourself. Your own attorney may represent you or another person who knows your situation may represent you. You have the right to present witnesses in your behalf and to question witnesses who appear at the request of Family Support Division.

If you have questions about your Medicaid Eligibility, call the office at the phone number listed below.

Sincerely,

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Phone #