Appendix 7 ■ Medi-Cal Aid Codes

The following Medi-Cal Aid Codes, as defined in the State Medicaid Plan, qualify for MSSP:

Cash Grant

- 1. Aid Code: 10, AGED
 - Definition: SSI/SSP Aid to the Aged (FFP) cash assistance Program administered by the Social Security Administration, pays a cash grant to needy persons age 65 or older.
- 2. Aid Code: 20, BLIND
 - Definition: SSI/SSP Aid to the Blind (FFP) cash assistance program administered by the Social Security Administration, pays a cash grant to needy blind persons of any age.
- 3. Aid Code: 60, DISABLED
 - Definition: SSI/SSP Aid to the Disabled (FFP) Cash assistance program administered by the Social Security Administration, pays a cash grant to needy persons who meet the federal definition of disability.

Pickle Eligible (20% Social Security Disregards)

- 1. Aid Code: 16, AGED
 - Definition: Aid to the Aged-Pickle Eligible (FFP) Persons age 65 or older who were eligible for and receiving SSI/SSP and Title II Benefits concurrently in any month since April, 1977, and were subsequently discontinued from SSI/SSP but would be eligible to receive SSI/SSP if their Title II cost-of-living increases were disregarded. These persons are eligible for Medi-Cal benefits as public assistance recipients in accordance with the provisions of the Lynch v. Rank lawsuit.
- 2. Aid Code: 26, BLIND
 - Definition: Aid to the Blind-Pickle Eligible (FFP) Persons who meet the federal criteria for blindness and are covered by the provision of the Lynch v. Rank lawsuit. See aid code 16 for definition of Pickle Eligible.
- 3. Aid Code: 66, DISABLED
 - Definition: Aid to the Disabled-Pickle Eligible (FFP) Persons who meet the federal definition of disability and are covered by the provision of the Lynch v. Rank lawsuit. See aid code 16 for definition of Pickle Eligible.

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Medically Needy, No Share of Cost

- 1. Aid Code: 14, AGED-MN
 - Definition: Aid to the Aged-Medically Needy (FFP) Persons age 65 or older who do not wish or are not eligible for a cash grant but are eligible for Medi-Cal only. No share of cost required of the beneficiaries.
- 2. Aid Code: 24, BLIND-MN
 - Definition: Aid to the Blind-Medically Needy (FFP) Persons who
 meet the federal definition of disability and do not wish or are
 not eligible for a cash grant but are eligible for Medi-Cal only.
 No share of cost required of the beneficiaries.
- 3. Aid Code: 64, DISABLED-MN
 - Definition: Aid to the Disabled-Medically Needy (FFP) Persons who meet the federal definition of disability and do not wish or are not eligible for a cash grant but are eligible for Medi-Cal only. No Share of cost required of the beneficiaries.

Medically Needy, Share of Cost

- 1. Aid Code: 17, AGED-MN-SOC
 - Definition: Aid to the Aged-Medically Needy, Share of Cost (FFP)
 See Aid Code 14 for definition of AGED-MN. Share of cost is required of the beneficiaries.
- 2. Aid Code: 27, BLIND-MN-SOC
 - Definition: Aid to the Blind-Medically Needy, Share of Cost (FFP)
 See Aid Code 24 for definition of BLIND-MN. Share of cost is required of the beneficiaries.
- 3. Aid Code: 67, DISABLED-MN-SOC
 - Definition: Aid to the Disabled-Medically Needy, Share of Cost (FFP) – See Aid Code 64 for definition of Disabled-MN. Share of cost is required of the beneficiaries.

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Aged and Disabled Federal Poverty Level (A & D FPL) Program

1. Aid Code: 1H, AGED

 Definition: Aged persons who, due to their income levels, would normally be included in the Medi-Cal Share of Cost population (Aid Code 17). Under this new program, those recipients with a Share of Cost of \$1 to \$326 will be given full scope, no Share of Cost Medi-Cal.

2. Aid Code: 6H, DISABLED

 Definition: Disabled persons who, due to their income levels, would normally be included in the Medi-Cal Share of Cost population (Aid Code 17). Under this new program, those recipients with a Share of Cost of \$1 to \$326 will be given full scope, no Share of Cost Medi-Cal.

Institutional Deeming

1. Aid Code: 1X, NO SOC

- Definition: Full scope Medi-Cal eligibility using special institutional deeming rules (spousal impoverishment) for MSSP transitional and non-transitional services with no share of cost.
- 2. Aid Code: 1Y, SOC
 - Definition: Full scope Medi-Cal eligibility using special institutional deeming rules (spousal impoverishment) for MSSP transitional and non-transitional services with a share of cost.

Redetermination Aid Codes

- 1. Aid Code: 1E, AGED
 - Definition: Continued eligibility for the Aged (FFP). Covers former SSI beneficiaries who are Aged (with exception of persons who are deceased or incarcerated in a correctional facility) until the county re-determines their eligibility.
- 2. Aid Code: 2E, BLIND
 - Definition: Continued eligibility for the Blind (FFP). Covers former SSI beneficiaries who are Blind (with exception of persons who are deceased or incarcerated in a correctional facility) until the county re-determines their eligibility.
- 3. Aid Code: 6E, DISABLED
 - Definition: Continued eligibility for the Disabled (FFP). Covers former SSI beneficiaries who are Disabled (with exception of persons who are deceased or incarcerated in a correctional facility) until the county re-determines their eligibility.

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