

# Chapter 182-517 WAC

## MEDICARE-RELATED MEDICAL ELIGIBILITY

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182-517-0100 Medicare savings programs—Monthly income standards.

**WAC 182-517-0100 Medicare savings programs—Monthly income standards.** (1) The income standards for medicare savings programs change each year based on the federal poverty level (FPL) published yearly by the federal government in the Federal Register at <http://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty/index.shtml>. The qualified medicare beneficiary (QMB) program income standard is up to one hundred percent of the FPL.

(2) The specified low-income medicare beneficiary (SLMB) program income standard is over one hundred percent of FPL, but not more than one hundred twenty percent of FPL.

(3) The qualified individual (QI-1) program income standard is over one hundred twenty percent of FPL, but not more than one hundred thirty-five percent of FPL.

(4) The qualified disabled working individual (QDWI) program income standard is two hundred percent of FPL.

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