



MEMORANDUM

TO: Bradley S. Green, Medicaid Policy Unit Manager
DFCS Office of Family Independence

FROM: Juanita Hines, Policy Administration Director
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DATE: November 19, 2024

RE: **Addendum to 2025 COLA Memorandum
2025 Spousal Impoverishment Standards
2025 Excess Home Limit**

2025 Spousal Impoverishment Standards

Effective January 1, 2025, the Medicaid spousal impoverishment standards will be as follows:

Combined Resource Standard **\$159,920.00**

Community Spouse Protected Resource Amount **\$157,920.00**

Community Spouse Maintenance Income Allowance **\$3,948.00** (*PNA for ICWP also)

2025 Excess Home Limit

Effective January 1, 2025, the excess home equity limit will be \$730,000.00.

Please issue a numbered bulletin to expedite the dissemination of this information to field staff and update Georgia Gateway and all applicable sections of the Office of Family Independence Medicaid Policy and Procedure manual. If you have any questions, please contact Juanita Hines at jhines@dch.ga.gov or Alesha Burgess at alesha.burgess@dch.ga.gov.

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