Title:	**Home Health Policy 401**
Section:	**ELIGIBILITY FOR SERVICES**
Subject:	**Eligibility Requirements**
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MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY

Applicants for Medicaid must meet eligibility criteria for the appropriate assistance program. All persons applying for Medicaid must meet all Medicaid eligibility requirements. The Office of Public Assistance is responsible for determining initial and ongoing financial eligibility for Medicaid.

The provider agency is responsible for insuring Medicaid eligibility before Home Health service delivery. Providers should check the MATH Web Portal for eligibility status.

The telephone numbers for the Eligibility Response System are:

Faxback   (800) 714-0075

Voice Response   (800) 714-0060

INELIGIBILITY

Medicaid eligibility is effective until the last day of the month the member is eligible.