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### MEDICAID DESK REFERENCE

January 1, 2018

#### APPLICANT

Income Limit	\$2,250
Asset Limit	\$2,000
Monthly Personal Needs Allowance	\$105

#### COMMUNITY SPOUSE

Asset Limit	\$123,600
Minimum Monthly Maintenance Needs Allowance	\$2,030
Maximum Monthly Maintenance Needs Allowance	\$3,090
Shelter Standard	\$609
Standard Utility Allowance	\$347

Income limit for a Couple (both spouses in a facility)	\$4,500
Asset limit for a Couple (both spouses in a facility)	\$3,000

Divestment Penalty Divisor	\$8,944
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Home Equity Limit	\$572,000
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#### MEDICARE UPDATE

Medicare Part B Premium (this can vary)	\$109 to \$134
Co-payment for skilled nursing facility, days 21-100:	\$16700.50 per day

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