

Description of Changes to Coverage and Benefits

The following provision related to coverage and benefits under the TennCare Demonstration will become effective on January 1, 2024.

Coverage of Pregnant Women with Incomes between 195 Percent FPL and 250 Percent FPL. Effective January 1, 2024, TennCare will cover pregnant women, not otherwise eligible for TennCare, whose modified adjusted gross income is higher than 195 percent of the federal poverty level, up to a maximum of 250 percent of the federal poverty level, as permitted under 42 CFR § 435.218.

Pregnant women enrolled in TennCare as a result of this change will receive coverage for the duration of their pregnancy and for 12 months following the end of pregnancy. Benefits covered for pregnant women enrolled in TennCare as a result of this change will be the same as those covered for all other TennCare enrollees. Pregnant women enrolled in TennCare as a result of this change will receive their care through TennCare's managed care service delivery system like all other TennCare enrollees.