2013 FEDERAL POVERTY GUIDELINES (FPG) ANNUAL & MONTHLY INCOME LEVELS FROM 100% to 250%

FAMILY	MILY FPG (100%)		125% of FPG		150% of FPG		175% of FPG		185% of FPG		200% of FPG		235% of FPG		250% of FPG	
SIZE	YEAR	MONTH	YEAR	MONTH	YEAR	MONTH	YEAR	MONTH	YEAR	MONTH	YEAR	MONTH	YEAR	MONTH	YEAR	MONTH
1	\$11,490	\$958	\$14,363	\$1,197	\$17,235	\$1,436	\$20,108	\$1,676	\$21,257	\$1,771	\$22,980	\$1,915	\$27,002	\$2,250	\$28,725	\$2,394
2	\$15,510	\$1,293	\$19,388	\$1,616	\$23,265	\$1,939	\$27,143	\$2,262	\$28,694	\$2,391	\$31,020	\$2,585	\$36,449	\$3,037	\$38,775	\$3,231
3	\$19,530	\$1,628	\$24,413	\$2,034	\$29,295	\$2,441	\$34,178	\$2,848	\$36,131	\$3,011	\$39,060	\$3,255	\$45,896	\$3,825	\$48,825	\$4,069
4	\$23,550	\$1,963	\$29,438	\$2,453	\$35,325	\$2,944	\$41,213	\$3,434	\$43,568	\$3,631	\$47,100	\$3,925	\$55,343	\$4,612	\$58,875	\$4,906
5	\$27,570	\$2,298	\$34,463	\$2,872	\$41,355	\$3,446	\$48,248	\$4,021	\$51,005	\$4,250	\$55,140	\$4,595	\$64,790	\$5,399	\$68,925	\$5,744
6	\$31,590	\$2,633	\$39,488	\$3,291	\$47,385	\$3,949	\$55,283	\$4,607	\$58,442	\$4,870	\$63,180	\$5,265	\$74,237	\$6,186	\$78,975	\$6,581
7	\$35,610	\$2,968	\$44,513	\$3,709	\$53,415	\$4,451	\$62,318	\$5,193	\$65,879	\$5,490	\$71,220	\$5,935	\$83,684	\$6,974	\$89,025	\$7,419
8	\$39,630	\$3,303	\$49,538	\$4,128	\$59,445	\$4,954	\$69,353	\$5,779	\$73,316	\$6,110	\$79,260	\$6,605	\$93,131	\$7,761	\$99,075	\$8,256
*	\$4,020	\$335	\$5,025	\$419	\$6,030	\$503	\$7,035	\$586	\$7,437	\$620	\$8,040	\$670	\$9,447	\$787	\$10,050	\$838
*For family units over 8, add the amount shown for each additional member.																

Notes:

<u>Federal Poverty Guidelines</u>: 2013 Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPG) annual income levels are published in the Federal Register of January 24, 2013, Volume 78, Number 16, on pages 5182-5183.

Percentage Calculations: Annual income levels provided above for 125%-250% of FPG are derived by multiplying the FPG annual income for each family size by the appropriate percentage and rounding to the nearest whole dollar. Monthly income levels for FPG and 125%-250% of FPG are derived by dividing each annual income level by 12 and rounding to the nearest whole dollar.

Calculated and prepared by Healthcare Facility Regulation Division/Office of Health Planning, Georgia Department of Community Health, February 1, 2013.

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH OFFICE OF HEALTH PLANNING INDIGENT INCOME LEVELS FOR 2013

ANNUAL & MONTHLY INCOME LEVELS FOR FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS AT 125% OF 2013 FEDERAL POVERTY GUIDELINES

FAMILY	2013 INCOME LEVEL FOR 125% FPG						
SIZE	ANNUAL	MONTHLY					
1	\$14,363 per year	\$1,197 per month					
2	\$19,388 per year	\$1,616 per month					
3	\$24,413 per year	\$2,034 per month					
4	\$29,438 per year	\$2,453 per month					
5	\$34,463 per year	\$2,872 per month					
6	\$39,488 per year	\$3,291 per month					
7	\$44,513 per year	\$3,709 per month					
8	\$49,538 per year	\$4,128 per month					
For family units over 8, add \$5025 per year or \$419 per month for each additional member.							

Notes:

<u>Federal Poverty Guidelines:</u> "2013 Poverty Guidelines for the 48 Contiguous States and the District of Columbia" as published in the Federal Register of January 24, 2013, Volume 78, Number 16, on pages 5182 - 5183.

<u>125% FPG Calculation</u>: The annual income levels at 125% FPG provided above are derived by multiplying the federal poverty guidelines annual income for each family size by 1.25 (125%) and rounding to the nearest whole dollar. These annual figures are then divided by 12 and rounded to the nearest whole dollar to derive the monthly income levels.

<u>DCH Indigent Income Level</u>: The Georgia Department of Community Health's Office of Health Planning defines an indigent patient as being a patient who is income tested and found to be at or below 125% of the FPG.

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	EA	RLY TERMINATIONS GRANTED DECEMBER 1, 2012 THRU DECEMBER 31, 2012—Continued
20130407 20130409	G G	Alfa Laval AB; Clearview ACE Acquisition Company, LLC; Alfa Laval AB. Citrix Systems, Inc.; Zenprise, Inc.; Citrix Systems, Inc.
		12/20/2012
20130313 20130364	G G	Mercy Health; Jefferson Health System; Mercy Health. Warburg Pincus Private Equity XI. L.P.; Morgan Stanley; Warburg Pincus Private Equity XI, L.P.
		12/21/2012
20130165 20130359 20130412 20130424 20130425 20130440 20130452	G	McKesson Corporation; PSS World Medical, Inc.; McKesson Corporation. Leucadia National Corporation; Jefferies Group, Inc.; Leucadia National Corporation. Global Eagle Acquisition Corp.; PAR Investment Partners, L.P.; Global Eagle Acquisition Corp. Gregory B. Maffei; Liberty Media Corporation; Gregory B. Maffei. Gregory B. Maffei; Liberty Interactive Corporation; Gregory B. Maffei. GTCR Fund X/A LP; Enhanced Equity Fund, L.P.; GTCR Fund X/A LP. The Medicines Company; Incline Therapeutics, Inc.; The Medicines Company.
		12/26/2012
20130330 20130433 20130434 20130437 20130439 20130441 20130445 20130446		John C. Malone; The John Risley 2009 Family Trust; John C. Malone. Sanofi; Johnson & Johnson; Sanofi. Young Innovations Holdings LLC; Young Innovations, Inc.; Young Innovations Holdings LLC. John C. Malone; The Colin MacDonald 2009 Family Trust; John C. Malone. Chesapeake Energy Corporation; FTS International, Inc.; Chesapeake Energy Corporation. Barry Diller; Expedia, Inc.; Barry Diller. Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold Inc.; Plains Exploration & Production Company; Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold Inc. Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold Inc.; McMoRan Exploration Co.; Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold Inc.
		12/27/2012
20130343	G	Elliott International Limited; Compuware Corporation; Elliott International Limited.
		12/30/2012
20130350	G	Fast Retailing Co., Ltd.; JB Investors, L.P.; Fast Retailing Co., Ltd.
		12/31/2012
20130453 20130478	G G	Dr. Guangiu Lu; A123 Systems, Inc.; Dr. Guangiu Lu. Bayer AG; Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd.; Bayer AG.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Renee Chapman, Contact Representative; or Theresa Kingsberry, Legal Assistant; Federal Trade Commission, Premerger Notification Office, Bureau Of Competition, Room H-303, Washington, DC 20580, (202) 326-3100.

By Direction of the Commission.

Donald S. Clark,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Annual Update of the HHS Poverty Guidelines

AGENCY: Department of Health and Human Services. ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice provides an update of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) poverty guidelines to account for last calendar year's increase in prices as measured by the Consumer Price Index.

DATES: Effective Date: January 24, 2013, unless an office administering a program using the guidelines specifies a different effective date for that particular program.

ADDRESSES: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, Room 404E, Humphrey Building, Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC 20201.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For information about how the guidelines are used or how income is defined in a particular program, contact the Federal, state, or local office that is responsible for that program. For information about poverty figures for immigration forms, the Hill-Burton Uncompensated Services Program, and the number of people in poverty, use the specific

telephone numbers and addresses given below.

For general questions about the poverty guidelines themselves, contact Kendall Swenson, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, Room 404E, Humphrev Building, Department of Health and Human Services, Washington, DC 20201-telephone: (202) 690-7507-or visit http://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty/ index.cfm.

For information about the percentage multiple of the poverty guidelines to be used on immigration forms such as USCIS Form I-864, Affidavit of Support, contact U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services at 1-800-375-5283.

For information about the Hill-Burton Uncompensated Services Program (free or reduced-fee health care services at certain hospitals and other facilities for persons meeting eligibility criteria involving the poverty guidelines), contact the Office of the Director, Division of Health Facilities, Health

Resources and Services Administration, HHS, Room 10–105, Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857. To speak to a staff member, please call (301) 443–5656. To receive a Hill-Burton information package, call 1– 800–638–0742 (for callers outside Maryland) or 1–800–492–0359 (for callers in Maryland). You also may visit http://www.hrsa.gov/gethealthcare/ affordable/hillburton/.

For information about the number of people in poverty, visit the Poverty section of the Census Bureau's web site at *http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/ poverty/poverty.html* or contact the Census Bureau's Customer Service Center at 1–800–923–8282 (toll-free) or visit *http://ask.census.gov* for further information.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

Section 673(2) of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (OBRA) of 1981 (42 U.S.C. 9902(2)) requires the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services to update the poverty guidelines at least annually, adjusting them on the basis of the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI–U). The poverty guidelines are used as an eligibility criterion by the Community Services Block Grant program and a number of other Federal programs. The poverty guidelines issued here are a simplified version of the poverty thresholds that the Census Bureau uses to prepare its estimates of the number of individuals and families in poverty.

As required by law, this update is accomplished by increasing the latest published Census Bureau poverty thresholds by the relevant percentage change in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI–U). The guidelines in this 2013 notice reflect the 2.1 percent price increase between calendar years 2011 and 2012. After this inflation adjustment, the guidelines are rounded and adjusted to standardize the differences between family sizes. The same calculation procedure was used this year as in previous years. (Note that these 2013 guidelines are roughly equal to the poverty thresholds for calendar year 2012 which the Census Bureau expects to publish in final form in September 2013.)

The poverty guidelines continue to be derived from the Census Bureau's current official poverty thresholds; they are not derived from the Census Bureau's new Supplemental Poverty Measure (SPM).

The following guideline figures represent annual income.

2013 POVERTY GUIDELINES FOR THE 48 CONTIGUOUS STATES AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Persons in family/household	Poverty guideline
1 2 3 4 5 6 7	\$11,490 15,510 19,530 23,550 27,570 31,590 35,610
8	39,630

For families/households with more than 8 persons, add \$4,020 for each additional person.

2013 POVERTY GUIDELINES FOR ALASKA

Persons in family/household	Poverty guideline
1	\$14,350 19,380 24,410 29,440 34,470 39,500 44,530
8	49,560

For families/households with more than 8 persons, add \$5,030 for each additional person.

2013 POVERTY GUIDELINES FOR HAWAII

Persons in family/household	Poverty guideline
1	\$13,230 17,850 22,470 27,090 31,710 36,330 40,950 45,570

For families/households with more than 8 persons, add \$4,620 for each additional person.

Separate poverty guideline figures for Alaska and Hawaii reflect Office of Economic Opportunity administrative practice beginning in the 1966–1970 period. (Note that the Census Bureau poverty thresholds-the version of the poverty measure used for statistical purposes—have never had separate figures for Alaska and Hawaii.) The poverty guidelines are not defined for Puerto Rico or other outlying jurisdictions. In cases in which a Federal program using the poverty guidelines serves any of those jurisdictions, the Federal office that administers the program is generally responsible for deciding whether to use

the contiguous-states-and-DC guidelines for those jurisdictions or to follow some other procedure.

Due to confusing legislative language dating back to 1972, the poverty guidelines sometimes have been mistakenly referred to as the "OMB" (Office of Management and Budget) poverty guidelines or poverty line. In fact, OMB has never issued the guidelines; the guidelines are issued each year by the Department of Health and Human Services. The poverty guidelines may be formally referenced as "the poverty guidelines updated periodically in the Federal Register by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services under the authority of 42 U.S.C. 9902(2)."

Some federal programs use a percentage multiple of the guidelines (for example, 125 percent or 185 percent of the guidelines), as noted in relevant authorizing legislation or program regulations. Non-Federal organizations that use the poverty guidelines under their own authority in non-Federallyfunded activities also may choose to use a percentage multiple of the guidelines.

The poverty guidelines do not make a distinction between farm and non-farm families, or between aged and non-aged units. (Only the Census Bureau poverty thresholds have separate figures for aged and non-aged one-person and two-person units.)

Note that this notice does not provide definitions of such terms as "income" or "family," because there is considerable variation in defining these terms among the different programs that use the guidelines. These variations are traceable to the different laws and regulations that govern the various programs. This means that questions such as "Is income counted before or after taxes?", "Should a particular type of income be counted?", and "Should a particular person be counted as a member of the family/household?" are actually questions about how a specific program applies the poverty guidelines. All such questions about how a specific program applies the guidelines should be directed to the entity that administers or funds the program, since that entity has the responsibility for defining such terms as "income" or "family," to the extent that these terms are not already defined for the program in legislation or regulations.

Dated: January 18, 2013.

Kathleen Sebelius,

Secretary of Health and Human Services. [FR Doc. 2013–01422 Filed 1–22–13; 11:15 am] BILLING CODE 4150–05–P