

**INCOME
PERSONS IN MEDICAL FACILITIES**

COMMUNITY SPOUSE AND FAMILY MEMBER ALLOWANCES

Policy: The minimum monthly maintenance needs allowance was established October 1, 1989 at \$1,500. It is increased annually by the same percentage as the percentage increase in the federal Consumer Price Index.

Minimum Monthly Maintenance Needs Allowance (MMMNA)
<i>\$2,378 effective January 1, 2005</i>

A higher MMMNA amount may be established by court order or fair hearing.

The family allowance for each family member is an amount equal to one-third (1/3) of the amount by which one twelfth (1/12) of the applicable percentage of the annual federal poverty level for a family of two exceeds the amount of the otherwise available monthly income of the family member.

1/12 of the applicable percentage of the annual federal poverty level for two
<i>\$1,604 effective January 1, 2005</i>

Maximum Family Member Allowance (FMA)
<i>\$535 effective January 1, 2005</i>

References:

Dept. Reg.	360-4.10
ADMs	<i>04 OMM/ADM-4</i> 89 ADM-47
GISs	<i>05 MA/013</i> <i>04 MA/032</i>