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### **MEMORANDUM**

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### TO: LOCAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARDS

FROM: NM DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS STATE ADMINISTRATIVE ENTITY

JUNE 10, 2024

SUBJECT: LOWER LIVING STANDARD INCOME LEVEL (LLSIL) PROGRAM YEAR (PY) 2024 INCOME TABLES

### **PURPOSE:**

DATE:

To transmit the Program Year (PY) Income Tables as required for the following purposes:

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- To determine income eligibility for participation in programs.
- To establish criteria for Local Workforce Development Boards (LWDBs) to develop priority of services.

# **ACTION:**

LWDBs shall use the attached annual income tables in the determination of eligibility and priority of service for program services and activities.

- Attachment A, Program Year (PY) 2024 NM INCOME ELIGIBILITY TABLE, which contains data for the 70% Lower Living Standard Income Level (LLSIL), 100% LLSIL and the Health and Human Services (HHS) Poverty Guidelines
- Attachment B, Program Year (PY) 2024 NM Eligibility Tables, which contains combined data for the 70% Lower Living Standard Income Level (LLSIL) and the HHS Poverty Guidelines

# **EFFECTIVE DAT**E: July 1, 2024

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#### AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

# Attachment A

# Poverty Income Guidelines 70% Lower Living Standard Income Levels 100% LLSIL for New Mexico

2023 Health and Human Services Poverty Guidelines Extended Published January 17, 2024 Department of Labor's 70% and 100% LLSIL Effective July 1, 2024

| Size Of<br>Family                              | 2024<br>HHS Poverty<br>Guidelines | 2024<br>Metro<br>70% LLSIL | 2024<br>Non-Metro<br>70% LLSIL | 100% LLSIL<br>Self-Sufficiency |           |
|--|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|
|  |                                   |                            |                                | Metro                          | Non-Metro |
| 1  | \$15,060                          | \$13,951                   | \$19,739                       | \$19,930                       | \$19,627  |
| 2  | \$20,440                          | \$22,863                   | \$22,516                       | \$32,662                       | \$32,166  |
| 3  | \$25,820                          | \$31,391                   | \$30,913                       | \$44,844                       | \$44,162  |
| 4  | \$31,200                          | \$38,751                   | \$38,157                       | \$55,358                       | \$54,510  |
| 5  | \$36,580                          | \$45,726                   | \$45,033                       | \$65,323                       | \$64,333  |
| 6  | \$41,960                          | \$53,482                   | \$52,669                       | \$76,404                       | \$75,241  |
| 7  | \$47,340                          | \$61,238                   | \$60,305                       | \$87,405                       | \$86,149  |
| 8  | \$52,720                          | \$68,994                   | \$67,941                       | \$98,566                       | \$97,057  |
| For each<br>additional<br>family<br>member add | \$5,380                           | \$7,756                    | \$7,636                        | \$11,081                       | \$10,908  |

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Use the above tables to determine economically disadvantaged status according to family size. Compare the family income to the HHS Poverty Guidelines or the 70% LLSIL, whichever is greater.

**The 100% LLSIL** is to determine the minimum level for establishing self-sufficiency criteria at the local level. This is the minimum figure locals must set for determining whether employment leads to self-sufficiency under programs. The State may define self-sufficiency levels or self-sufficiency criteria for LWDBs and regions based on appropriate data.

**Metro Areas** include the cities of Albuquerque, Farmington, Las Cruces, and Santa Fe. All other areas in New Mexico are considered to be Non-Metro Areas.

\*For families in the **metro areas** with greater than (>) 6 members, add **\$11,081** for each additional member. For **non-metro** areas, add **\$10,908** for each additional member.

# Attachment B PY2024 NM Eligibility Tables

# Non-Metro

HHS poverty level for family of one and 70% LLSIL

# To be utilized for the determination of youth eligibility.

| **Family | Family   | Family   | Family   | Family   | Family   |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| of One   | of Two   | of Three | of Four  | of Five  | of Six   |
| \$19,739 | \$22,516 | \$30,913 | \$38,157 | \$45,033 | \$52,669 |

For family size higher than six, add \$7,636 for each additional family member. \*\* From HHS poverty level

### 100% LLSIL

| Family   | Family   | Family   | Family   | Family   | Family   |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| of One   | of Two   | of Three | of Four  | of Five  | of Six   |
| \$19,627 | \$32,166 | \$44,162 | \$54,510 | \$64,333 | \$75,241 |

For family size higher than six, add \$10,908 for each additional family member.

# Metro

HHS poverty level for family of one and 70% LLSIL

# To be utilized for the determination of youth eligibility.

| **Family | Family   | Family   | Family   | Family   | Family   |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| of One   | of Two   | of Three | of Four  | of Five  | of Six   |
| \$15,060 | \$22,863 | \$31,391 | \$38,751 | \$45,726 | \$53,482 |

For family size higher than six, add \$7,756 for each additional family member. \*\* From HHS poverty level

100% LLSIL

| Family   | Family   | Family   | Family   | Family   | Family |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|--------|
| of One   | of Two   | of Three | of Four  | of Five  | of Six |
| \$19,930 | \$32,662 | \$44,844 | \$55,358 | \$65,323 |        |

For family size higher than six, add \$11,081 for each additional family