

DSS Program Standards Chart

INCOME LIMITS & STANDARDS FOR DSS BENEFIT PROGRAMS

As of 7/1/2024

Household Size ↓	SNAP	SNAP	SNAP	SNAP	TFA	TFA	TFA	TFA	TFA	TFA	HUSKY C Medicaid	HUSKY A Medicaid	HUSKY A Medicaid/State Medical	HUSKY A/B Medicaid/CHIP	HUSKY D Medicaid	HUSKY B CHIP/State Medical Band 1	HUSKY B CHIP/State Medical Band 2
	Threshold to report income changes	Gross Income Limit	Net Income Limit	Max Benefit	Max Earnings	Standard of Need (S.O.N.)	Increased Earnings Disregard (No Reduction)	Increased Earnings Disregard (20% Reduction)	Payment Standard	Grant with Housing Subsidy	MNIL (after disregards)	Parents and Caretakers	Children <19 and State HA ages 0-12	Pregnancy and HB Prenatal	Adults Ages 19 to 64	Children <19 and State HB ages 0-12	Children <19 and State HB ages 0-12
	130% FPL eff. 10/1/2023	200% FPL eff. 10/1/2023	100% FPL eff. 10/1/2023	100% FPL eff. 10/1/2023	100% FPL eff. 3/1/2024	55% FPL eff. 3/1/2024	171% FPL eff. 3/1/2024	230% FPL eff. 3/1/2024	73% of TFA S.O.N. eff. 3/1/2024	92% of TFA Pymt Std eff. 3/1/2024	143% of TFA Pymt Std eff. 3/1/2024	160% FPL eff. 3/1/2024	201% FPL eff. 3/1/2024	263% FPL eff. 3/1/2024	138% FPL eff. 3/1/2024	254% FPL eff. 3/1/2024	323% FPL eff. 3/1/2024
1	1,580	2,430	1,215	291	1,255	691	2,147	2,887	505	464	723	2,008	2,523	3,301	1,732	3,188	4,054
2	2,137	3,287	1,644	535	1,704	938	2,914	3,920	685	630	980	2,726	3,424	4,480	2,351	4,327	5,502
3	2,694	4,144	2,072	766	2,152	1,184	3,680	4,950	865	795	1,237	3,443	4,325	5,659	2,970	5,466	6,950
4	3,250	5,000	2,500	973	2,600	1,430	4,446	5,980	1,044	960	1,493	4,160	5,226	6,838	3,588	6,604	8,398
5	3,807	5,857	2,929	1,155	3,049	1,677	5,214	7,013	1,225	1,127	1,752	4,878	6,128	8,018	4,207	7,743	9,847
6	4,364	6,714	3,357	1,386	3,497	1,924	5,980	8,044	1,405	1,292	2,010	5,595	7,029	9,197	4,826	8,882	11,295
7	4,921	7,570	3,785	1,532	3,945	2,170	6,746	9,074	1,585	1,458	2,267	6,312	7,930	10,376	5,445	10,021	12,743
8	5,478	8,427	4,214	1,751	4,394	2,417	7,514	10,107	1,765	1,623	2,524	7,030	8,831	11,555	6,063	11,160	14,191

STANDARDS	ASSET LIMITS	OTHER PROGRAM INCOME LIMITS & STANDARDS
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SNAP	
Max Shelter Hardship	\$672
Max Homeless Shelter Hardship	\$180
Standard Utility Allowance (SUA)	\$912
Limited Utility Allowance (LUA)	\$402
Telephone Allowance (TUA)	\$34

AABD / MAABD / LTSS

Personal Needs Allowance		Disregards	
Married	\$198.55	Boarding Home	\$418.70
Individual	\$197.35	Earned Income	minus \$65/half
Boarding Home	\$34.75	Earned Income (Blind)	minus \$85/half
New Horizons	\$156.82	Unearned Income	\$511
SNF	\$75	Shared Living	\$578.90
Waiver (W01) eff. 3/1/24		SAGA Cash Benefit Level	
Income Limit 200% FPL	\$2,510	Maximum Benefit	\$255
Special Needs		Transitional no shelter exp	\$65
Therapeutic Diet	\$36.20		

Medicare Premiums		AABD Shelter Allowances	
Part A (40+ qtrs)	\$0.00	Community Individual	\$400
Part A (30-39 qtrs)	\$278	Community Shared	\$200
Part A (<30 qtrs)	\$505		
Part B premium (buy-in)	\$174.70		

TFA		SNAP	
Household	\$6,000	Categorically eligible	No asset limit
Vehicle	\$9,500 (equity)	Age 60 or older OR disabled w/ gross income over 200% FPL	\$4,250 asset limit
SAGA CASH			
Individual	\$500	Lottery or Gambling winnings	\$4,250/ single game
Married couple	\$1,000	Vehicle	Excluded
No asset test if 18-21, single, living with own family who is active TFA, and lost TFA eligibility due to age			

MEDICAL			
	Individual	Couple	HUSKY A, B, D - no asset test for most groups
AABD/MAABD	\$1,600	\$2,400	\$2,000 for 1
S05	\$10,000	\$15,000	\$3,000 for 2
W01/L01	\$1,600	See CSPA	\$100 each additional person

State Funded M03	Exclusions	
eff. 1/1/24	Excluded Insurance Face Value:	≤ \$1,500
Single	Excluded Irrevocable Burial Up To:	\$10,000 (CT funeral contracts only)
Married		

OTHER PROGRAM INCOME LIMITS & STANDARDS			
LTSS Amounts			
	2022	2023	2024
	eff. 1/1/22		
	eff. 1/1/23		
	eff. 1/1/24		
MMNA	\$3,435	\$3,715.50	\$3,853.50
Minimum CSPA*	\$27,480	\$50,000	\$50,000
Maximum CSPA	\$137,400	\$148,620	\$154,140
Excess home equity limit for institutionalized indiv.: \$1,071,000			
* as of 07/01/2022 the Min. CSPA in CT is \$50,000			

Medicaid Waiver Income Limit		N01	
eff. 1/1/24		Income Limit	
W01	\$2,829	138% FPL	

Average Cost LTCF		Max Rental Diversion	
July 1, 2023	\$14,520	Living alone	\$650
July 1, 2024	\$14,939	Shared Living	\$400

MEDICARE SAVINGS PROGRAMS (MSP)			SSI Federal Payment Amounts	
eff. 3/1/2024			SSI Individual	\$943
	Single	Couple	SSI/SSA Combo	\$963
Q01/QMB (211% FPL)	\$2,649	\$3,595	SSI Couple	\$1,415
Q03/SLMB (231% FPL)	\$2,900	\$3,935	SSI/SSA Couple Combo	\$1,455
Q04/ALMB (246% FPL)	\$3,088	\$4,191		