# **Your Texas Benefits**

How to apply for benefits for: People age 65 and older People with disabilities



## Medicaid for the Elderly and People with Disabilities

Helps people who:

- Lost Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits.
- Need to be in a nursing home or other place of care. or
- Have a disability.

# There might be a better form to use, if any of these apply to you:

- You no longer get SSI and you aren't applying for the Medicaid Buy-In Program. (H1200-EZ)
- You are applying only for a Medicare Savings Program. (H1200-EZ)
- You live in a state supported living center. (H1200-PFS)
- You live in a state hospital. (H1200-PFS)

# To ask for these forms, call 2-1-1 or 1-877-541-7905.



TEXAS Health and Human Services

# How to Apply



1. Fill out this form.

What to do:

- 2. Sign and date pages 19.
- 3. Send "Items we need" listed on page D.

# **Medicare Savings Programs**

Helps people who already get Medicare. Helps people pay Medicare costs. Costs can include Medicare premiums, co-pays, and deductibles.

These programs also are known as:

- Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries (QMB).
- Specified Low-income Medicare Beneficiaries (SLMB).
- Qualifying Individuals (QI-1).
- Qualified Disabled and Working Individuals (QDWI).

## To apply for Medicare

You must apply for Medicare through a different agency - the Social Security Administration. To learn more, visit www.Medicare.gov or call 1-800-633-4227

# Medicaid Buy-In Program

Helps people who work and: (a) have a disability or (b) are age 65 or older. Some people might have to pay a monthly fee.

## Medicaid Buy-In for Children is a

different program. It is for families who have a child with a disability, but make too much money to get traditional Medicaid. To get the form for that program, call 2-1-1 or 1-877-541-7905 and ask for Form H1200-MBIC



Mail: Texas Health and Human Services Commission,P O Box 149024, Austin, Texas, 78714-9024 OR to your local benefits office, Call 2-1-1 to get the address.

Fax: 1-877-447-2839. If your form is 2-sided, fax both sides. In person: At a benefits office.

Call 2-1-1 to find one near you.

Most phone and fax numbers on this form are free to call. If you are deaf, hard of hearing, or speech impaired, you can call 7-1-1 or 1-800-735-2989.

Don't send this page with your form. Keep for your records. **Page A** 





# You can apply for

## benefits online

If you would rather apply for benefits online, go to **www.YourTexasBenefits.com** 

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This website also will allow you to:

• Find out if you should apply for benefits.

• Find a benefits office near you.

After you fill out an online form, you can check:

- The status of your form.
- Your interview time.
- Items we still need to get from you.
- If we got forms you sent to us.
- Benefit amounts (if you get benefits).

# Helpful Tips

- Sign and date page 19.
- Send "Items we need." See Page D.
- Read the tips on the left side of the page. They can help you save time.
- If you need more room to answer any question, you can add more pages.



These time saving tips will tell you if you need to fill out a section.

# **Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC)**

Questions about this form or about benefits

Call 2-1-1 or 1-877-541-7905.

After you pick a language, press 2 to:

- Ask questions about this form.
- Find where to get help filling out this form.
- Check the status of this form.
- Ask questions about benefit programs.

To learn more about benefits, you also can go to www.hhsc.state.tx.us

# To apply for other state benefits

If you want to apply for SNAP food benefits, cash help for families (TANF), or Medicaid for children and families, you need a different form. To get that form, call 2-1-1 (after you pick a language, press 2). Or apply online at www.YourTexasBenefits.com

# Report waste, fraud, and abuse

If you think anyone is misusing HHSC benefits, call 1-800-436-6184.

# Getting long-term care services

If you are approved to get Medicaid, another state agency, the Department of Aging and Disability Services (DADS), might help with your case. DADS staff will find out what long-term care services you can get To see a list of services, go to Form H1204, "Long Term Care Options." It came with this form. To learn more, call 2-1-1 (after you pick a language, press 2, and then press 1).

Notice: Your estate might have to pay the state back for services you get. To learn more, see page 19.

Don't send this page with your form. Keep for your records. Page B

# Legal Information

#### Your right to be treated fairly

If you think you have been treated unfairly (discriminated against) because of race, color, national origin, age, sex, disability, or religion, you can file a complaint.

Contact us at: **HHSCivilRightsOffice** @hhsc.state.tx.us or by:

- Mail: HHSC Office of Civil Rights 701 W. 51 st St. MC W-206 Austin, TX 78751
- Phone: 1-888-388-6332 1-877-432-7232 (TTY)
- Fax (not toll-free): 1-512-438-5885

#### **Citizenship and Immigration Status**

- You only have to give the citizenship or immigration status of people who want benefits.
- If you are not a U.S citizen or a legal immigrant, the only benefits you might be able to get are emergency Medicaid services.
- Getting Medicaid long-term care services could affect your immigration status and your chances of getting a Permanent Resident Card (green card).
- You might want to talk to an agency that helps immigrants with legal questions before you apply.

#### Social Security Numbers

- · You only need to give the Social Security numbers (SSNs) for people who want benefits.
- Giving or applying for an SSN is voluntary; however, anyone who doesn't apply for an SSN or doesn't give an SSN can't get benefits.
- If you don't have an SSN, we can help you apply for one if you are a U.S. citizen or a legal immigrant.
- You must be a U.S. citizen or a legal immigrant to get an SSN.
- You can get benefits for your children if they have an SSN and you don't.
- We will not give SSNs to the Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement.
- We will use SSNs to check the amount of money you get (income), if you can get benefits, and the amount of benefits you can get.

(42 CFR §435.910)

# Help you can get without filling out this form

#### Important Information for Former Military Service Members

Women and men who served in any branch of the United States Armed Forces, including Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force, Coast Guard, Reserves or National Guard may be eligible for additional benefits and services. For more information please visit www.tvc.texas.gov, the Texas Veterans Portal.

#### Reporting abuse

Do you think someone is being abused? If the abuse is in a nursing home or other place of care, call 1-800-458-9858. If the abuse is in a private home, call 1-800-252-5400.

## How to file a complaint

If you have a complaint, first try talking to your caseworker or their supervisor. If you still need help, call 1-877-787-8999.

#### Services in your area

Do you need help finding services? Call 2-1-1 or 1-877-541-7905. Pick a language, then press 1. Or visit www.211Texas.org

Learn about services in your area, such as:

- Food banks
- Tax help
- Senior services Housing
- Child care
- After-school programs
- Help after a disaster
  - Family violence programs Legal help
- Help with gas, electric, and water bills

## Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention Program

Do you or someone you know want to stop using alcohol or drugs? Call 1-877-966-3784 (1-877-9-NO DRUG). You can get help:

- Quitting.
- Dealing with a crisis.
- Keeping others from using drugs or alcohol.

## Adult Education and Family Literacy Program

Do you want help learning to read or getting a GED? Do you need help with job skills? Or learning to speak English? Call 1-800-441-7323 (1-800-441-READ).

#### Family Violence Program

Are you afraid for your children's or your safety? Call the hotline anytime at 1-800-799-7233 (1-800-799-SAFE). You can get help:

- Getting a ride to a safe place.
- Finding shelter, legal help, and a job.
- Getting counseling.

### Items we need

Look below for the items to bring or send with this form. We only need **copies** of these items. Keep the originals for your records.

We only need items that apply to your case. For example, if you or your spouse don't have a bank account, we do not need bank statements.

Social Security number –

Social Security card or statement.

- Citizenship U.S. passport, Certificate of Naturalization, U.S. birth certificate, hospital record of birth, or Medicare card. (If you are renewing benefits, we need this only if your status changed.)
- Immigration status Registration card or papers from the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services. We need copies of the front and back of these forms. (If you are renewing benefits, we need this only if your status changed.)
- Legal representative Power of attorney papers, guardianship order, court order, or similar court documents.
- Money from a job The last 6 pay stubs or paychecks, a statement from employer or self-employment records.
- Social Security, pension, veterans benefits, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), workers' compensation, unemployment, or other government benefits – Award letter or pay stubs.
- Child support you pay Divorce decree, court order, or district clerk record showing how much you pay.
- Child support you get District clerk record. Or letter from parent who pays showing how much, how often, and the date it is usually paid. The letter must be dated and have the name, address, phone number, and signature of the parent who pays.

- Loans, repayments, and gifts (includes someone paying bills for you) – Loan agreement. Or statement from the person giving or repaying you money, or paying your bills. The statement must be dated and have that person's name, address, phone number, and signature.
- Bank accounts Statements you received this month and the past 3 months.
- Stocks, bonds, trusts, annuities Trust bond instrument, or current statements.
- Real estate, oil, gas, mineral rights Current tax statements, division orders, deeds, promissory or mortgage note, or royalty statements.
- Medical, dental, and private insurance costs – Bills, receipts, statements, or canceled checks from this month and the past 3 months.
- Insurance policies Life, burial, and health insurance policies showing the current value. We also might need your spouse or ex-spouse's job-related health insurance information and policies.
- Continuing care retirement community Admission contract.



If you need help getting these items, let us know.

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# **Your Texas Benefits**

#### **Application for Benefits Texas Health and Human Services Commission**

Please use dark ink. Please print. If you need more room, add pages.

Fill in the circles (  $\bigcirc$  ) like this  $\rightarrow$  igodot

#### People age 65 and older People with disabilities

		You	Spouse
		The Person applying for benefits	Your husband or wife
Section A You and	What benefits are you applying for?	<ul> <li>Medicaid for the Elderly and People with Disabilities</li> <li>Medicare Savings Program</li> <li>Medicaid Buy-In Program</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>None</li> <li>Medicaid for the Elderly and People with Disabilities</li> <li>Medicare Savings Program</li> <li>Medicaid Buy-In Program</li> </ul>
Your Spouse Try to fill out as much of the form	First name		
as you can. We need facts about	Middle name		
you and your spouse. We need to know	Last name		
about your spouse even if:	Social Security number		I     I     I     I     I     I       only if you are applying for benefits
<ul> <li>Your spouse does not live with you. or</li> <li>Your spouse does not want benefits.</li> </ul>	Birth date	month day year	month day year
	Mailing address		
	City		
Save Time	State, Zip		
Save Time	Home phone		
We need facts only for a spouse who is	Cell or daytime phone	<u>( ) -</u>	( ) -
living. If you are not	Home address		
married, do not fill in the sections marked "Spouse."	City		
	State, Zip		
	County		
	E-mail		

#### Agency Use Only

Date received:

Case/EDG number:\_\_\_\_\_

Section A		You	Spouse	
	Live in Texas?	◯ Yes ◯ No	🔿 Yes 🔿 No	
You and Your Spouse	Plan to stay in Texas?	O Yes O No	O Yes O No	
(continued)	If you get money from Social Security or railroad	Social Security claim number	Social Security claim number	
Optional Questions	retirement, list the number.	Railroad retirement number	Railroad retirement number	
	Gender	Male Female	Male Female	
	Hispanic or Latino?	O Yes O No	◯ Yes ◯ No	
	Mark one or more:	<ul> <li>American Indian or Alaska Native</li> <li>Asian</li> <li>Black or African-American</li> <li>Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander</li> <li>White</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>American Indian or Alaska Native</li> <li>Asian</li> <li>Black or African-American</li> <li>Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander</li> <li>White</li> </ul>	
Section B	Mark one:	<ul> <li>Married</li> <li>Divorced</li> <li>Separated</li> <li>Widowed</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Married</li> <li>Divorced</li> <li>Widowed</li> <li>Single</li> <li>Separated</li> </ul>	
Occilon B		You	Spouse	
Citizenship	Are you a U.S. citizen? If yes, go to Section C.	○ Yes ○ No If no, give facts below:	○ Yes ○ No If no, give facts below:	
	Are you a refugee or legally admitted immigrant?	○ Yes ○ No	O Yes O No	
	If you have a sponsor, write their name.	Sponsor's name	Sponsor's name	
	Date you entered the U.S.	month day year	Image: month     I	
	Are you registered with the U.S. Citizenship and	⊖Yes ⊖No	🔿 Yes 🔿 No	
Section C	Immigration Services?	If yes, immigrant registration number	If yes, immigrant registration number	
Long - Term Care	caid, the Department of Aging and care services. Services can includ ee Form H1204, "Long Term Car			
Save Time	form.)	You	Spouse	
This section is only for people who are not in a nursing	Do you want DADS to find out if you can get long-term care services?	⊖ Yes ⊖ No	⊖ Yes ⊖ No	
home or other place that gives nursing care.	If yes, do you have intellectual or developmental disabilities?	O Yes O No	⊖ Yes ⊖ No	

Section D	If you want, you can give	e someone the right to act for you (an authorize	ed representative).	
People Helping You	decision. <ul> <li>take any action neede</li> </ul>	this application. ed for the application process. This includes ap ed to enroll in Medicaid or CHIP. This includes p ed to get benefits. This includes reporting chang	picking a health plan.	
	<ul> <li>By agreeing to act as your authorized representative, I agree to: <ul> <li>fulfill all your responsibilities related to Medicaid;</li> <li>keep information about you private;</li> <li>obey state and federal laws about conflict of interest and keeping information private, including: <ul> <li>laws that protect information on people who apply for or receive Medicaid (42 CFR part 431, subpart F);</li> <li>laws about the privacy and safety of personally identifiable information (45 CFR §155.260(f)); and</li> <li>laws barring the state from paying anyone other than your provider or you for Medicaid services, except in a few circumstances (42 CFR §447.10).</li> </ul> </li> <li>You can have only one authorized representative for all your benefits from HHSC. If you want to change your authorized representative: (1) log in to your account on YourTexasBenefits.com and report a change, or (2) call 2-1-1 (after you pick a language, press 2). If you're a legally appointed representative for someone on this application, send proof with the application.</li> </ul></li></ul>			
		You and your spo	use	
	1. Do you want to give s to be your authorized	Yes 🔿 No		
	If yes, tell us about that person:	Name Address (		
	This person is your:	Guardian Power of Attorney Other Relation	ship:	
	Your authorized re If this person is filling ou	t this application for you, they also must sign pa	age 19.	
	The person who agrees t	to be your authorized representative must sign here.	Date	
	You, the person apply	ving for benefits		
	Sign here to show you agr as your authorized represe	ree to have the person listed above entative.	Date	

	2. Do you have an executor or court appointed administrator? O Yes O No						
Section D People Helping	If yes, tell us about that person:	Name					
You (continued)	Person helping yo						
	Is someone helping you If yes, tell us about that		form? ) Yes ) No				
	Name		Relationship or organization				
	Address		Phone				
Section E Interview Help You don't have to come to our office to be interviewed for these provide the sector of th							
·	-	you want to be interviewed our office for an interview?	🔿 Yes 🔿 No				
	If yes, give facts below 1. When you come to ou If yes, what do you ne	ır office, will you need spec	ial help or equipment? O Yes O No				
	2. What language do yo	ou want to speak during the	interview?				
	If yes, mark the one $\bigcirc$ Spanish	I you need an interpreter? We can get one for you for free O Yes O No yes, mark the one you need: O Spanish O Vietnamese American Sign Language O Other					
Section F	Where you live Where do you live?						
Your Home	Y	ou	Spouse				
or Where You Live	<ul> <li>Nursing home.</li> <li>State supported livi</li> <li>State hospital.</li> <li>Group home for period developmental disa</li> <li>Continuing care retion</li> <li>Your own home.</li> <li>Rent house or aparial assisted living facilities</li> <li>With someone else</li> <li>House paid for by some other</li> </ul>	ople with intellectual or bilities (ICF/MR). rement community. tment (including an ty). in their home.	<ul> <li>Nursing home.</li> <li>State supported living center.</li> <li>State hospital.</li> <li>Group home for people with intellectual or developmental disabilities (ICF/MR).</li> <li>Continuing care retirement community.</li> <li>Your own home.</li> <li>Rent house or apartment (including an assisted living facility).</li> <li>With someone else in their home.</li> <li>House paid for by someone else. Other</li> </ul>				

Section F	If you live in a nursing home or other place of care, write the place name below.				
Your Home or Where	Name of place		Name of plac	e	
You Live	Will you stay there for less th	an 6 months?			
(continued)	🔿 Yes 🔿 No		O Yes O No		
	Other people living with Tell us about everyone living If yes, you only need to list to If no, tell us about the peopl You	with you. Do you as he people who live	with both of you ur	•	
	Tou			Spouse	
	Name of person living	with you	Name of per	son living with you	
Save Time	Relationship to you		Relationship	Relationship to you	
Fill out this page only if you live:	Birth date if a relative /		Birth date if a relative		
<ul> <li>In your own home.</li> <li>In a rent house or</li> </ul>	Name of person living	with you	Name of per	Name of person living with you	
apartment.  • With someone else	Relationship to you		Relationship	o to you	
in their home. <ul> <li>In a house paid for by someone else.</li> </ul>	Birth date	/	Birth date if a relative		
	Name of person living	with you	Name of per		
	Relationship to you		Relationship		
	Birth date if a relative /	/	Birth date if a relative		
	<b>Housing costs</b> Tell us the costs you have for the home you live in or plan to return to. List the average amount each person pays every month.				
		You pay:	Spouse pays:	If another person pays, list their name:	
	Rent or house payment	\$	\$		

\$

\$

\$

Tax on home

Electricity

Water and sewer

\$

\$

\$

Natural gas or propane	\$ \$	
Phone	\$ \$	
Home insurance	\$ \$	
Food	\$ \$	

# Section G

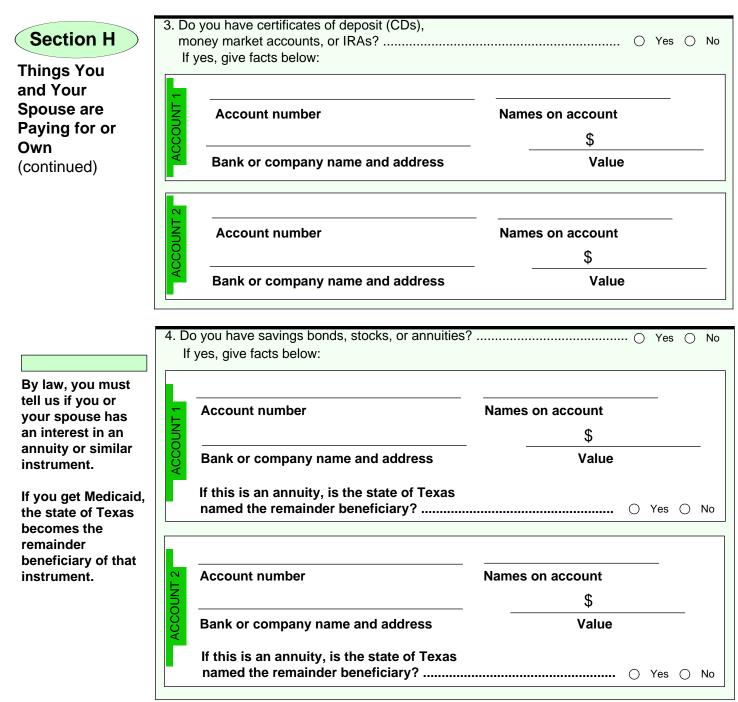
# Medicare Do you get Medicare? ..... O Yes O No

Medical	Facts

	You	Spouse			
If yes, mark the type you get.	○ Part A ○ Part B ○ Part D	○ Part A ○ Part B ○ Part D			
If yes, what is your Medicare premium (monthly cost)?					
Other health insurance Do you or your spouse have healt or CHIP? Include health insurance If yes, give facts below:					
Name of insured person (fir	st, middle, last) Name	e of policy holder			
	erage start date Coverage en	d date Type of coverage How often is the premium paid?			
How much is the premium?	Who pays the premium?	○ Monthly ○ Quarterly ○ Yearly			
Do you get this insurance through a job you have now or used to have? O Yes O No If yes,employer's name					
Name of insured person (firs	st, middle, last) Name Insurance company ad	e of policy holder			

D D		/	/		/	/	
	Policy number	Cov	verage st	art date	Covera	ige end date	Type of coverage
	\$					How ofte	n is the premium paid?
	How much is the premiu	m?	Who pa	ays the p	remium	? O Month	ly $\bigcirc$ Quarterly $\bigcirc$ Yearly
	Do you get this insuranc job you have now or use		-	⊖ Yes	◯ No	lf yes,emp	loyer's name

Section G	Other facts	efits from another state? 🔿 Yes 🔿 No						
Medical Facts (continued)								
	If yes, which state? When did you last get benefits?							
	<ul> <li>2. Do you or your spouse get or expect to g</li> <li>a lawsuit</li> <li>personal injury settlement</li> </ul>							
	If yes, list the name, address, and p company, court, or person who has	hone number of your attorney, insurance facts about the settlement.						
Section H	Things you are paying for or own Give facts about items you and your spouse							
Things You and Your Spouse are	1. Do you have checking accounts? If yes, give facts below:	····· Yes O No						
Paying for or Own (Resources)	Account number	Names on account						
()	Bank or company name and add	Iress Value						
Reminder:	Account number	Names on account						
If you need more room, add more pages.	Account number Bank or company name and add	Iress Value						
	2. Do you have savings accounts?	····· O Yes O No						
	Account number	Names on account						
	Bank or company name and add	Iress Value						
	Account number	Names on account						
	Bank or company name and add	Iress Value						



Section H	5. Did you close an account (investment, annuity, bank, etc.) in the past 5 years?	🔿 Yes 🔿 No					
Things You and Your	If yes, give facts below:						
Spouse are	<b></b>	\$					
Paying for or Own	Name of closed investment or account Account number	Amount you received					
(continued)	Y 200	/					
	Company name and address that handled investment or account	Date closed					
	8	\$					
	Name of closed investment or account Account number						
	Name of closed investment or account Account number	/ /					
	Company name and address that handled investment or account	t Date closed					
	Account owner's name Account number	\$ Value					
	Bank or company name and address						
	7. Do you have a safe deposit box? If yes, give facts below:	🔿 Yes 🔿 No					
	Name and address of bank or company that keeps the safe d	leposit box					
	litere	\$					
	Item	Value					
Save Time		\$					
	Item	Value					
This question is8only for people in a1nursing home or1	. Do you have a patient trust fund? If yes						
other place of care.		\$					
	Name and address of the place that keeps this fund for you	Value					

Section H	9. Do you have any cash on hand?		🔿 Yes 🔿 No
or Own	10. Do you have life insurance? If yes, give facts below:		) Yes ) No
(continued)	Insurance company name and add	ress	
	Policy number		Face value
	Insurance company name and add	ress	
	Policy number		\$ Face value
11	I. Do you have a burial space or plot? If yes: Name of cemetery	Number of spaces	O Yes O No \$ Value
12	2. Do you have a pre-need burial contract? .		
	If yes: <b>Funeral home name and address</b>	Buyer or owner of co	ontract Value
13	<ol> <li>Do you have promissory or mortgage note</li> <li>If yes, are they:          <ul> <li>Negotiable</li> <li>Non -</li> </ul> </li> </ol>		0 0
14	4. Do you have any trusts? If yes: What kind?		) Yes ) No <u> \$</u> Value
15	5. Do you have any cars, trucks, boats, or o If yes:	ther vehicles?	) Yes ) No \$
	Make / Model	Year	_↓ Value
	Make / Model	Year	\$ Value

Section H		including a mobile hor	ne)?	····· 🔿 Yes 🔿 No		
	If yes:			\$		
Things You and Your Spouse	Address of the home		Amount of land	 Current value		
are Paying for or Own	If you are not living in y do you plan to live in it			🔿 Yes 🔿 No		
(continued)	to the home:	) No one lives there	○ Someone lives there are and they don't nay rent			
		O Someone lives there and they don't pay rent O For sale Don't forget, give us a copy of the latest tax statement.				
		300, <u>300 ao a</u> copy c		-		
	17. Do you have a life esta	ate or remainder intere	est in property?	🔿 Yes 🔿 No		
	18. Do you own or share o	wnership of any other	land, lots, or houses?	····· O Yes O No		
	If yes:		<u></u>	\$		
	Address or location		Amount of land	Current value		
				\$		
	Address or location		Amount of land	Current value		
	19. Do you have any oil, g	as, mineral, or surface	e rights?	····· 🔿 Yes 🔿 No		
	If yes:			\$		
	Address or location	n	Amount of land	Current value		
				\$		
	Address or location	1	Amount of land	Current value		
	20. Do you have any lives If yes:	tock (cows, horses, pi	gs, etc.) or poultry?	🔿 Yes 🔿 No		
	⊖ livestock	\$	⊖ livestock	\$		
	⊖ poultry Numb	ber Current value	⊖ poultry Number	Current value		
	21. Do you have any work	equipment?		🔿 Yes 🔿 No		
	If yes:	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,				
		\$		\$		
	Туре	Current value	Туре	Current value		

Section H	22. Do you get any money have gotten in the pas				O Yes O No	)
Things You and Your Spouse are Paying for or Own	<ul> <li>Examples:</li> <li>You were awarded money from an estate 2 years ago, but you just started getting the money.</li> <li>You applied for SSI 3 years ago and they just decided that you should get benefits. You are now getting paid for benefits you should have gotten 3 years ago.</li> </ul>					
(continued)	If yes:			\$		
	Type of money	or benefits		 Amount	you were owed	
Save Time	23. Do you have any pers If yes:	onal property (fine	china, silve	r, antiques,	etc.) O Yes O N	0
Don't list items you	ii yes.	\$			\$	
use for daily living needs.	ltem	Current va	alue	ltem	Current value	
		ownership of anythi	ng not nam	ned in Section	on H? 🔿 Yes 🔿 N	0
	If yes:	\$			\$	
	ltem	Current value	-  - e	Item	Current value	
			-			
Section I	Money or property y 1. Did you sell, trade, or g				or gave away	
Money or	property, or anything e	se in the past 5 years			🔿 Yes 🔿 No	)
Property You or	If yes, give facts below	:				
Your Spouse Sold, Traded, or	<b>  -</b>		\$			
Gave Away	← What did you sell, tra	ade, or give away?	Market va	llue Wh	at did you get in return?	
•	<mark>Щ</mark>				/ /	
	Who did you sell, t	rade, or give it to?	?	Date sold,	traded, or given away	
			\$			
	Nhat did you sell, tra	ade, or give away?	Market va	lue W	hat did you get in return?	
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	Who did you sell,	trade, or give it to	?	Date sold	, traded, or given away	
	2. Did you give up the right to get any money (including income) or an inheritance? O Yes O No					
					🔿 Yes 🔿 No	
	or an inheritance? If yes, explain:					
	or an inheritance?					1

Section J	<b>Money you or you</b> Are you waiting for an the programs listed be	answer on an appl	ication for one			
Money Coming into Your Home	If yes, mark the progra					
(Income)	Y	ou		Spouse		
	<ul> <li>Social Security.</li> </ul>		al Security.			
	<ul> <li>Supplemental Security Income (SSI).</li> <li>Veterans benefits.</li> </ul>		🔿 Supp	<ul> <li>Supplemental Security Income (SSI).</li> <li>Veterans benefits.</li> </ul>		
			⊖ Vete			
	<ul> <li>○ Other benefits</li> </ul>		– Othe	er benefits		
	Money from jobs Did you or your spouse get money in the past 3 months from: (a) working for someone else, (b) training, or (c) working for yourself?					
-	Who got the mo	ney: 🔿 You 🔿 You		Are you still working		
		\$	before taxes and	at this job? O Yes O No		
	Hours worked	Amount paid	deductions are taken out	How often are you paid?		
				O Daily O Twice a month		
	Start date	/ Last payment	date	○ Once a week ○ Once a month		
	Start date	(month/year)				
	Did you work for yourself? O Yes O No					
	If no, list the pe	erson or place that	t paid the mo	oney.		
	Who got the mo	<b>ney:</b> () You () You		Are you still working		
		befo \$ and	before taxes and	at this job? O Yes O No		
	Hours worked	Amount paid	deductions are taken out	How often are you paid?		
		/		O Daily O Twice a month		
	Start date	Last payment		○ Once a week ○ Once a month		
	Start date	(month/year)	uale	○ Every 2 weeks ○ Other:		
	Did you work for yourself? O Yes O No					
	If no, list the pe	rson or place tha	t paid the mo	oney.		

Section J	Other money Give facts about other money	y you or your spo	ouse get.		
Money Coming	You		Spouse		
into Your Home (continued)	1. Do you get Social Security	/?	Yes O No		
	\$		\$		
	If yes, what is the monthly amount?		If yes, what is the monthly amount?		
	2. Do you get Supplemental Security Income (SSI)? O Yes O No				
	\$ If yes, what is the monthly amount?		\$		
				what is the monthly amount?	
	3. Do you get veterans bene	fits?		) Yes ) No	
	If yes, what is the claim number?		If yes, what is the claim number?		
	\$		\$		
	If yes, what is the monthly amount?		If yes, what is the monthly amount?		
	4. Did you, your spouse, parer serve in the armed forces? If yes, tell us about the pers We will use these facts to fin	on who served.		Is this person related to:	
	Name	Service numb	er	○ You ○ Your spouse	
	Service start date	start date / /		What is their relationship to you?	
		Service end			
	You			Spouse	
	5. Do you get railroad retirem	nent?		🔿 Yes 🔿 No	
	\$		\$		
	If yes, what is the mont	hly amount?	If yes, what is the monthly amount?		
	6. Do you get civil service retirement payments? O Yes			O Yes O No	
	If yes, what is the claim number?		If yes, what is the claim number?		
	If yes, what is the month	ly amount?	If yes, v	what is the monthly amount?	



Money Coming into Your Home (continued)

You	Spouse
7. Do you get any other retirement income? .	) Yes ) No
If yes, what is the claim number?	If yes, what is the claim number?
\$	\$
If yes, what is the monthly amount?	If yes, what is the monthly amount?
8. Do you have payments or annuities from p	rivate insurance? O Yes O No
If yes, what is the company name?	If yes, what is the company name?
\$	\$
If yes, what is the monthly amount?	If yes, what is the monthly amount?
9. Do you get interest from any of the followir	ng sources? 🔿 Yes 🔿 No
<ul> <li>checking account</li> <li>savings account</li> <li>certificate of deposit (CD)</li> <li>note pay</li> </ul>	yment • other
\$	\$
If yes, what is the amount you get?	If yes, what is the amount you get?
If yes, how often?	If yes, how often?
10. Do you get dividends from stocks, bonds,	or insurance? O Yes O No
\$	\$
If yes, what is the amount you get?	If yes, what is the amount you get?

If yes, how often?

11. Does anyone pay you rent?	O Yes O No
	\$ If yes, what is the amount you get?
If yes, how often?	If yes, how often?

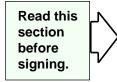
If yes, how often?

Section J	You	Spouse			
Money Coming	12. Do you get any money from leases or royalties from oil, gas, mineral, or surface rights?				
into Your Home					
(continued)	If yes, write the name of the company that pays you.	If yes, write the name of the company that pays you.			
	\$	\$			
	If yes, what is the amount you get?	If yes, what is the amount you get?			
	If yes, how often?	If yes, how often?			
	13. Do you get any money from farming?				
	\$	\$			
	If yes, what is the amount you get?	If yes, what is the amount you get?			
	<ul> <li>14. Do you get the following types of money from anyone else or anywhere else?</li> <li>• cash • gifts • payments you get for loaning money to someone else</li> </ul>				
	bills paid for you      child support      training      other				
	If yes, what type of money do you get?	If yes, what type of money do you get? If yes, who do you get the money from and why? \$ If yes, what is the amount you get?			
	If yes, who do you get the money from and why? \$				
	If yes, what is the amount you get?				
Section K	Medical bills from the past 3 months				
Section K Medical Costs	We will look at the money you get and the thing them. If you have paid them, you might be able (doctor, hospital, clinic, etc.).				
	Who got the services? O You O Your spouse Type of Bill O Doctor O Hospital O Medicine O Other				
This section is only for people applying	\$ \$ / /				
for the first time. If you are renewing benefits, you can	$\frac{\Phi}{Amount of bill} \frac{\Phi}{Amount paid} \frac{P}{Date of service (mm/dd/yy)} Who provided the medical service?}$				
skip this section.	Address of medical service provider				
	If yes, we need to know about the money yo or owned (resources) during those past 3 m Were they different from what you listed on				

	ection K		use pay any medica	ast year I bills in the past year? O Yes O No
Me	dical Costs	If yes, give facts be	low:	
(co	ntinued)	/ / Date paid	\$ Amount paid	Who got the services? O You O Your spouse Type of bill: O Doctor O Hospital O Medicine O Other
on • N	I out this section ly if you are in a: lursing home. State supported	/ / Date paid	\$ Amount paid	Who got the services? O You O Your spouse Type of bill: O Doctor O Hospital O Medicine O Other
• S • G (I	ving center. State hospital. Group home CF/MR). Iome and	/ / Date paid	\$ Amount paid	Who got the services? O You O Your spouse - Type of bill: O Doctor O Hospital O Medicine O Other
c	ome and ommunity-based vaiver program.	/ / Date paid	\$ Amount paid	Who got the services? O You O Your spouse - Type of bill: O Doctor O Hospital O Medicine O Other
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#### Statement of Understanding



### Facts HHSC Has About Me

HHSC uses facts about people applying for benefits to decide: (1) who can get benefits, and (2) the amount of benefits. HHSC checks facts with the federal Income and Eligibility Verification System. If any facts don't match, HHSC will check other sources (banks, employers, etc.). If anyone applying for benefits has an immigration registration number, HHSC must check with the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services' (USCIS) system. HHSC will not give anyone's facts to USCIS.

In most cases, I can see and get facts HHSC has about me. This includes facts I give HHSC and facts HHSC gets from other sources (medical records, employment records, etc.). I might have to pay to get a copy of these facts. I can ask HHSC to fix anything that is wrong. I do not have to pay to fix a mistake. To ask for a copy or to fix a mistake, I can call 2-1-1 or my local HHSC benefits office.

### **Asset Verification Consent**

I know that my signature below and/or on the application lets the HHSC get facts about things I own (including money) from banks, credit unions, or other financial institutions so HHSC can decide if I can get Medicaid. HHSC can keep checking these facts until:

• HHSC denies my application for Medicaid; or

- I can't get Medicaid anymore; or
- I tell HHSC in writing that I do not want HHSC to check these facts any more.

If I do not let HHSC get facts about me from financial institutions, or I tell HHSC I do not want it to check these facts anymore, I know that HHSC may deny or stop my Medicaid.

## **Keeping My Facts Private**

HHSC will keep my facts private if they were collected:

- By HHSC staff or contracted provider staff.
- To find out if I can get state benefits.

#### HHSC can share facts about me

- When needed for me to get state health care benefits.
- With phone and utility companies. They will find out if my bill amount can be lowered. HHSC will give them my name, address, and phone number.

## **Giving Out Facts About Me**

Medicaid health care providers (doctors, drug stores, hospitals, etc.) might give out facts about me to HHSC. This will allow the providers to be paid by Medicaid.

## If I Give False Information

If I choose not to tell the truth, I might:

- Be charged with a crime.
- Have to repay benefits.

The same is true if I let someone else use my medical card or Medicaid ID.

#### **Medical Payments**

If I get Medicaid, HHSC will keep medical service payments I can get from other sources, such as:

- My health insurance.
- Money I got because of injuries.

I must tell HHSC about these sources. If I don't, I am breaking the law.

HHSC will only keep the amount of medical support and service payments allowed by law. I will work with HHSC to get these funds.

#### **Reporting Changes**

I agree to let HHSC know, within 10 days, about any changes to my case. This includes changes in facts I give on this form such as money I get, things I own or are paying for, where I live, or insurance I have (including health insurance premiums).

# Notice:

#### Your estate might have to pay the state back for services you get.

#### Medicaid Estate Recovery Program:

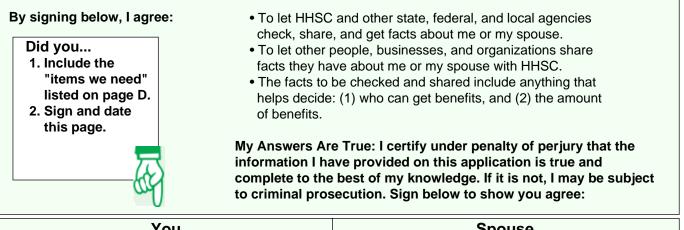
If you get certain Medicaid long-term services, the state of Texas has the right to ask for money back from your estate after you die. In some cases, the state might not ask for anything back. The state will never ask for more money back than what it paid for your services.

The state can ask for money back from your estate only if:

- 1. you applied for and received certain Medicaid services on or after March 1, 2005; and
- 2. you were age 55 or older when you got the services.

To learn more about Texas Medicaid Estate Recovery Program, including frequently asked questions, please visit <u>https://hhs.texas.gov/MERP</u>. You also may email questions to merp@hhsc.state.tx.us.

If you have a problem or complaint you should first discuss it with the Texas Medicaid Estate Recovery Program. Many times they can explain specific policies or correct the problem immediately. If your problem or complaint is not resolved to your satisfaction, you can contact the HHS Office of the Ombudsman by calling 1-877-787-8999 or by making an online submission at <a href="https://hhs.texas.gov/ombudsman">https://hhs.texas.gov/ombudsman</a>.



You		Spouse			
Sign here	/ / Date	 Sign here	/ / Date		
If you are a parent, guardian, authorize attorney for this person, sign below:	ed representative,	court appointed administra	tor, executor, or have power of		
Sign here (You must give proof of this right)	/ / Date	Sign here (You must give proo	f of this right)		
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