

# THE FMAP

The Federal Medical Assistance Percentage

## WHAT IS THE FMAP?

The Federal Medical Assistance Percentage (FMAP) rates are used in determining the amount of federal matching funds for state expenditures for assistance payments for certain social services, and state medical and medical insurance expenditures.

AT HHS, THESE RATES APPLY TO:



Traditional  
Medicaid  
Services



Long-Term  
Care  
Services\*



Medicaid  
Wavier  
Services\*\*



Child Welfare/  
IV-E Foster Care  
& Subsidized  
Adoption

\*Excluding state programs SPED (Service Payments to Elderly and Disabled) and expanded SPED.

\*\*Including Home and Community Based Services, Developmental Disabilities Services and 1915(i) Services.

## BY THE NUMBERS

Federal Matching Assistance Percentage (N.D.)

FMAP follows the federal fiscal year from Oct-Sept	Rate
Oct. 1, 2019 - Sept. 30, 2020	50.05%
Oct. 1, 2020 - Sept. 30, 2021	52.40%
Oct. 1, 2021 - Sept. 30, 2022	53.59%
Oct. 1, 2022 - Sept. 30, 2023	51.55%
Oct. 1, 2023 - Sept. 30, 2024	53.82%
COVID FMAP Increase of 6.2% to FMAP	Rate
Jan. 1, 2020 - Sept. 30, 2020	56.25%
Oct. 1, 2020 - Sept. 30, 2021	58.60%
Oct. 1, 2021 - Sept. 30, 2022	59.79%
Oct. 1, 2022 - March 31, 2023***	57.75%

\*\*\* The enhanced COVID FMAP will be phased out in 2023. The 2024 FMAP (without an enhancement) will be effective 1/1/2024.

FEDERAL FISCAL YEAR EFFECTIVE DATES EQUAL:



The FMAP is calculated each federal fiscal year and is effective Oct. 1 through Sept. 30 each year.

## HOW FMAP WORKS...

The FMAP formula compares a state's three year average per capita income relative to the U.S. three year average per capita income.

