

State of South Dakota

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1247

Introduced by: Representatives Fischer-Clemens, Barker, Brooks, Collier, Davis,
DeMersseman, Haley, Jorgensen, Koetzle, Lucas, and Wick and Senators
Everist, Dunn (Rebecca), Hainje, Ham, Lange, Lawler, Morford-Burg, and
Paisley

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to extend medicaid benefits to all children whose family
2 income is up to one hundred thirty-three percent of the federal poverty level.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That subdivision (15) of § 67:46:01:01 of the Administrative Rules of South
5 Dakota be amended to read as follows:

6 (15) A child under age ~~six~~ nineteen, whose family income is up to 133 percent of the
7 federal poverty level established in § 67:11:01:03. Eligibility continues up to age ~~six~~
8 nineteen as long as the family income remains below 133 percent of the poverty level.

9 Persons considered in the determination include the child and any parents of the child
10 living in the household as well as any other family member who is applying for or
11 receiving medical-only assistance under this section. At the family's option, any other
12 household member who could be included in an AFDC assistance unit may be
13 included in the determination. Income is determined according to AFDC eligibility
14 criteria.