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 204 Illinois Public Aid Code [305 ILCS 5] and implementing the federal Deficit Reduction Act of
 205 2005.
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207 SOURCE: Filed effective December 30, 1977; peremptory amendment at 2 Ill. Reg. 17, p. 117,
 208 effective February 1, 1978; amended at 2 Ill. Reg. 31, p. 134, effective August 5, 1978;
 209 emergency amendment at 2 Ill. Reg. 37, p. 4, effective August 30, 1978, for a maximum of 150
 210 days; peremptory amendment at 2 Ill. Reg. 46, p. 44, effective November 1, 1978; peremptory
 211 amendment at 2 Ill. Reg. 46, p. 56, effective November 1, 1978; emergency amendment at 3 Ill.
 212 Reg. 16, p. 41, effective April 9, 1979, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency amendment at 3
 213 Ill. Reg. 28, p. 182, effective July 1, 1979, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 3 Ill. Reg.
 214 33, p. 399, effective August 18, 1979; amended at 3 Ill. Reg. 33, p. 415, effective August 18,
 215 1979; amended at 3 Ill. Reg. 38, p. 243, effective September 21, 1979; peremptory amendment at

216 3 Ill. Reg. 38, p. 321, effective September 7, 1979; amended at 3 Ill. Reg. 40, p. 140, effective
 217 October 6, 1979; amended at 3 Ill. Reg. 46, p. 36, effective November 2, 1979; amended at 3 Ill.
 218 Reg. 47, p. 96, effective November 13, 1979; amended at 3 Ill. Reg. 48, p. 1, effective November
 219 15, 1979; peremptory amendment at 4 Ill. Reg. 9, p. 259, effective February 22, 1980; amended
 220 at 4 Ill. Reg. 10, p. 258, effective February 25, 1980; amended at 4 Ill. Reg. 12, p. 551, effective
 221 March 10, 1980; amended at 4 Ill. Reg. 27, p. 387, effective June 24, 1980; emergency
 222 amendment at 4 Ill. Reg. 29, p. 294, effective July 8, 1980, for a maximum of 150 days;
 223 amended at 4 Ill. Reg. 37, p. 797, effective September 2, 1980; amended at 4 Ill. Reg. 37, p. 800,
 224 effective September 2, 1980; amended at 4 Ill. Reg. 45, p. 134, effective October 27, 1980;
 225 amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 766, effective January 2, 1981; amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 1134, effective
 226 January 26, 1981; peremptory amendment at 5 Ill. Reg. 5722, effective June 1, 1981; amended at
 227 5 Ill. Reg. 7071, effective June 23, 1981; amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 7104, effective June 23, 1981;
 228 amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 8041, effective July 27, 1981; amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 8052, effective July
 229 24, 1981; peremptory amendment at 5 Ill. Reg. 8106, effective August 1, 1981; peremptory
 230 amendment at 5 Ill. Reg. 10062, effective October 1, 1981; peremptory amendment at 5 Ill. Reg.
 231 10079, effective October 1, 1981; peremptory amendment at 5 Ill. Reg. 10095, effective October
 232 1, 1981; peremptory amendment at 5 Ill. Reg. 10113, effective October 1, 1981; peremptory
 233 amendment at 5 Ill. Reg. 10124, effective October 1, 1981; peremptory amendment at 5 Ill. Reg.
 234 10131, effective October 1, 1981; amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 10730, effective October 1, 1981;
 235 amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 10733, effective October 1, 1981; amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 10760, effective
 236 October 1, 1981; amended at 5 Ill. Reg. 10767, effective October 1, 1981; peremptory
 237 amendment at 5 Ill. Reg. 11647, effective October 16, 1981; peremptory amendment at 6 Ill.
 238 Reg. 611, effective January 1, 1982; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 1216, effective January 14, 1982;
 239 emergency amendment at 6 Ill. Reg. 2447, effective March 1, 1982, for a maximum of 150 days;
 240 peremptory amendment at 6 Ill. Reg. 2452, effective February 11, 1982; peremptory amendment
 241 at 6 Ill. Reg. 6475, effective May 18, 1982; peremptory amendment at 6 Ill. Reg. 6912, effective
 242 May 20, 1982; emergency amendment at 6 Ill. Reg. 7299, effective June 2, 1982, for a maximum
 243 of 150 days; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 8115, effective July 1, 1982; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 8142,
 244 effective July 1, 1982; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 8159, effective July 1, 1982; amended at 6 Ill. Reg.
 245 10970, effective August 26, 1982; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 11921, effective September 21, 1982;
 246 amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 12293, effective October 1, 1982; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 12318, effective
 247 October 1, 1982; amended at 6 Ill. Reg. 13754, effective November 1, 1982; amended at 7 Ill.
 248 Reg. 394, effective January 1, 1983; codified at 7 Ill. Reg. 6082; amended at 7 Ill. Reg. 8256,
 249 effective July 1, 1983; amended at 7 Ill. Reg. 8264, effective July 5, 1983; amended (by adding
 250 Section being codified with no substantive change) at 7 Ill. Reg. 14747; amended (by adding
 251 Sections being codified with no substantive change) at 7 Ill. Reg. 16108; amended at 8 Ill. Reg.
 252 5253, effective April 9, 1984; amended at 8 Ill. Reg. 6770, effective April 27, 1984; amended at
 253 8 Ill. Reg. 13328, effective July 16, 1984; amended (by adding Sections being codified with no
 254 substantive change) at 8 Ill. Reg. 17897; amended at 8 Ill. Reg. 18903, effective September 26,
 255 1984; peremptory amendment at 8 Ill. Reg. 20706, effective October 3, 1984; amended at 8 Ill.
 256 Reg. 25053, effective December 12, 1984; emergency amendment at 9 Ill. Reg. 830, effective
 257 January 3, 1985, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 4515, effective March 25,
 258 1985; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 5346, effective April 11, 1985; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 7153,

259 effective May 6, 1985; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 11346, effective July 8, 1985; amended at 9 Ill.
 260 Reg. 12298, effective July 25, 1985; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 12823, effective August 9, 1985;
 261 amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 15903, effective October 4, 1985; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 16300, effective
 262 October 10, 1985; amended at 9 Ill. Reg. 16906, effective October 18, 1985; amended at 10 Ill.
 263 Reg. 1192, effective January 10, 1986; amended at 10 Ill. Reg. 3033, effective January 23, 1986;
 264 amended at 10 Ill. Reg. 4907, effective March 7, 1986; amended at 10 Ill. Reg. 6966, effective
 265 April 16, 1986; amended at 10 Ill. Reg. 10688, effective June 3, 1986; amended at 10 Ill. Reg.
 266 12672, effective July 14, 1986; amended at 10 Ill. Reg. 15649, effective September 19, 1986;
 267 amended at 11 Ill. Reg. 3992, effective February 23, 1987; amended at 11 Ill. Reg. 7652,
 268 effective April 15, 1987; amended at 11 Ill. Reg. 8735, effective April 20, 1987; emergency
 269 amendment at 11 Ill. Reg. 12458, effective July 10, 1987, for a maximum of 150 days; amended
 270 at 11 Ill. Reg. 14034, effective August 14, 1987; amended at 11 Ill. Reg. 14763, effective August
 271 26, 1987; amended at 11 Ill. Reg. 20142, effective January 1, 1988; amended at 11 Ill. Reg.
 272 20898, effective December 14, 1987; amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 904, effective January 1, 1988;
 273 amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 3516, effective January 22, 1988; amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 6234, effective
 274 March 22, 1988; amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 8672, effective May 13, 1988; amended at 12 Ill. Reg.
 275 9132, effective May 20, 1988; amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 11483, effective June 30, 1988;
 276 emergency amendment at 12 Ill. Reg. 11632, effective July 1, 1988, for a maximum of 150 days;
 277 emergency amendment at 12 Ill. Reg. 11839, effective July 1, 1988, for a maximum of 150 days;
 278 amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 12835, effective July 22, 1988; emergency amendment at 12 Ill. Reg.
 279 13243, effective July 29, 1988, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 17867,
 280 effective October 30, 1988; amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 19704, effective November 15, 1988;
 281 amended at 12 Ill. Reg. 20188, effective November 23, 1988; amended at 13 Ill. Reg. 116,
 282 effective January 1, 1989; amended at 13 Ill. Reg. 2081, effective February 3, 1989; amended at
 283 13 Ill. Reg. 3908, effective March 10, 1989; emergency amendment at 13 Ill. Reg. 11929,
 284 effective June 27, 1989, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired November 25, 1989;
 285 emergency amendment at 13 Ill. Reg. 12137, effective July 1, 1989, for a maximum of 150 days;
 286 amended at 13 Ill. Reg. 15404, effective October 6, 1989; emergency amendment at 13 Ill. Reg.
 287 16586, effective October 2, 1989, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired March 1,
 288 1990; amended at 13 Ill. Reg. 17483, effective October 31, 1989; amended at 13 Ill. Reg. 17838,
 289 effective November 8, 1989; amended at 13 Ill. Reg. 18872, effective November 17, 1989;
 290 amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 760, effective January 1, 1990; emergency amendment at 14 Ill. Reg.
 291 1494, effective January 2, 1990, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 4233,
 292 effective March 5, 1990; emergency amendment at 14 Ill. Reg. 5839, effective April 3, 1990, for
 293 a maximum of 150 days; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 6372, effective April 16, 1990; amended at 14
 294 Ill. Reg. 7637, effective May 10, 1990; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 10396, effective June 20, 1990;
 295 amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 13227, effective August 6, 1990; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 14814,
 296 effective September 3, 1990; amended at 14 Ill. Reg. 17004, effective September 30, 1990;
 297 emergency amendment at 15 Ill. Reg. 348, effective January 1, 1991, for a maximum of 150
 298 days; amended at 15 Ill. Reg. 5302, effective April 1, 1991; amended at 15 Ill. Reg. 10101,
 299 effective June 24, 1991; amended at 15 Ill. Reg. 11973, effective August 12, 1991; amended at
 300 15 Ill. Reg. 12747, effective August 16, 1991; amended at 15 Ill. Reg. 14105, effective
 301 September 11, 1991; amended at 15 Ill. Reg. 14240, effective September 23, 1991; amended at

16 Ill. Reg. 139, effective December 24, 1991; amended at 16 Ill. Reg. 1862, effective January 20, 1992; amended at 16 Ill. Reg. 10034, effective June 15, 1992; amended at 16 Ill. Reg. 11582, effective July 15, 1992; amended at 16 Ill. Reg. 17290, effective November 3, 1992; amended at 17 Ill. Reg. 1102, effective January 15, 1993; amended at 17 Ill. Reg. 6827, effective April 21, 1993; amended at 17 Ill. Reg. 10402, effective June 28, 1993; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 2051, effective January 21, 1994; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 5934, effective April 1, 1994; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 8718, effective June 1, 1994; amended at 18 Ill. Reg. 11231, effective July 1, 1994; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 2905, effective February 27, 1995; emergency amendment at 19 Ill. Reg. 9280, effective July 1, 1995, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 11931, effective August 11, 1995; amended at 19 Ill. Reg. 15079, effective October 17, 1995; amended at 20 Ill. Reg. 5068, effective March 20, 1996; amended at 20 Ill. Reg. 15993, effective December 9, 1996; emergency amendment at 21 Ill. Reg. 692, effective January 1, 1997, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 21 Ill. Reg. 7423, effective May 31, 1997; amended at 21 Ill. Reg. 7748, effective June 9, 1997; amended at 21 Ill. Reg. 11555, effective August 1, 1997; amended at 21 Ill. Reg. 13638, effective October 1, 1997; emergency amendment at 22 Ill. Reg. 1576, effective January 5, 1998, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 22 Ill. Reg. 7003, effective April 1, 1998; amended at 22 Ill. Reg. 8503, effective May 1, 1998; amended at 22 Ill. Reg. 16291, effective August 28, 1998; emergency amendment at 22 Ill. Reg. 16640, effective September 1, 1998, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 22 Ill. Reg. 19875, effective October 30, 1998; amended at 23 Ill. Reg. 2381, effective January 22, 1999; amended at 23 Ill. Reg. 11301, effective August 27, 1999; amended at 24 Ill. Reg. 7361, effective May 1, 2000; emergency amendment at 24 Ill. Reg. 10425, effective July 1, 2000, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 24 Ill. Reg. 15075, effective October 1, 2000; amended at 24 Ill. Reg. 18309, effective December 1, 2000; amended at 25 Ill. Reg. 8783, effective July 1, 2001; emergency amendment at 25 Ill. Reg. 10533, effective August 1, 2001, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 25 Ill. Reg. 16098, effective December 1, 2001; amended at 26 Ill. Reg. 409, effective December 28, 2001; emergency amendment at 26 Ill. Reg. 8583, effective June 1, 2002, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 26 Ill. Reg. 9843, effective June 26, 2002; emergency amendment at 26 Ill. Reg. 11029, effective July 1, 2002, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency amendment at 26 Ill. Reg. 15051, effective October 1, 2002, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 26 Ill. Reg. 16288, effective October 25, 2002; amended at 27 Ill. Reg. 4708, effective February 25, 2003; emergency amendment at 27 Ill. Reg. 10793, effective July 1, 2003, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 27 Ill. Reg. 18609, effective November 26, 2003; amended at 28 Ill. Reg. 4701, effective March 3, 2004; amended at 28 Ill. Reg. 6139, effective April 1, 2004; emergency amendment at 28 Ill. Reg. 6610, effective April 19, 2004, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency amendment at 28 Ill. Reg. 7152, effective May 3, 2004, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 28 Ill. Reg. 11149, effective August 1, 2004; emergency amendment at 28 Ill. Reg. 12921, effective September 1, 2004, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 28 Ill. Reg. 13621, effective September 28, 2004; amended at 28 Ill. Reg. 13760, effective October 1, 2004; amended at 28 Ill. Reg. 14541, effective November 1, 2004; amended at 29 Ill. Reg. 820, effective January 1, 2005; amended at 29 Ill. Reg. 10195, effective June 30, 2005; amended at 29 Ill. Reg. 14939, effective September 30, 2005; emergency amendment at 30 Ill. Reg. 521, effective January 1, 2006, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 30 Ill. Reg.

10314, effective May 26, 2006; emergency amendment at 30 Ill. Reg. 15029, effective September 1, 2006, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 31 Ill. Reg. 2629, effective January 28, 2007; emergency amendment at 31 Ill. Reg. 7323, effective May 1, 2007, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 31 Ill. Reg. 11667, effective August 1, 2007; amended at 31 Ill. Reg. 12756, effective August 27, 2007; emergency amendment at 31 Ill. Reg. 15854, effective November 7, 2007, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency rule suspended at 31 Ill. Reg. 16060, effective November 13, 2007; emergency rule repealed, effective May 10, 2008; peremptory amendment at 32 Ill. Reg. 7212, effective April 21, 2008; peremptory amendment suspended at 32 Ill. Reg. 8450, effective May 20, 2008; peremptory amendment repealed under Section 5-125 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act, effective November 16, 2008; amended at 32 Ill. Reg. 17428, effective November 1, 2008; peremptory amendment at 32 Ill. Reg. 18889, effective November 18, 2008; peremptory amendment suspended at 32 Ill. Reg. 18906, effective November 19, 2008; suspension withdrawn by the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules at 33 Ill. Reg. 6551, effective April 28, 2009; peremptory amendment repealed by emergency rulemaking at 33 Ill. Reg. 6712, effective April 28, 2009, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 33 Ill. Reg. 1681, effective February 1, 2009; amended at 33 Ill. Reg. 2289, effective March 1, 2009; emergency amendment at 33 Ill. Reg. 5802, effective April 2, 2009, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency expired August 29, 2009; emergency amendment at 33 Ill. Reg. 10785, effective June 30, 2009, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 33 Ill. Reg. 12703, effective September 7, 2009; amended at 33 Ill. Reg. 15707, effective November 2, 2009; amended at 33 Ill. Reg. 17070, effective December 2, 2009; amended at 34 Ill. Reg. 889, effective December 30, 2009; emergency rulemaking at 34 Ill. Reg. 13538, effective September 1, 2010, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 35 Ill. Reg. 379, effective December 27, 2010; amended at 35 Ill. Reg. 979, effective January 1, 2011; amended at 35 Ill. Reg. 18645, effective January 1, 2012; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 4133, effective March 1, 2012; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 9095, effective June 11, 2012; emergency amendment at 36 Ill. Reg. 10253, effective July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013; amended at 36 Ill. Reg. 17044, effective November 26, 2012; emergency amendment at 36 Ill. Reg. 17549, effective December 3, 2012 through June 30, 2013; amended at 37 Ill. Reg. 10208, effective June 27, 2013; emergency amendment at 37 Ill. Reg. 15976, effective October 1, 2013, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency amendment to emergency rule at 38 Ill. Reg. 1139, effective January 1, 2014, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency amendment to emergency rule at 38 Ill. Reg. 2925, effective January 10, 2014, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency amendments effective January 1 and January 10, 2014 repealed by emergency rule at 38 Ill. Reg. 7368, effective March 24, 2014, for the remainder of the 150 day effective periods of each of the emergency rules; amended at 38 Ill. Reg. 5967, effective February 26, 2014; emergency amendment at 38 Ill. Reg. 7650, effective March 24, 2014, for a maximum of 150 days; emergency amendment at 38 Ill. Reg. 15646, effective July 7, 2014, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 38 Ill. Reg. 16214, effective July 17, 2014; amended at 38 Ill. Reg. 18432, effective August 19, 2014; amended at 38 Ill. Reg. 23595, effective December 2, 2014; amended at 39 Ill. Reg. 4376, effective March 11, 2015; amended at 40 Ill. Reg. 2784, effective January 20, 2016; amended at 40 Ill. Reg. 11174, effective August 2, 2016; amended at 41 Ill. Reg. 3279, effective March 8, 2017; amended at 42 Ill. Reg. 8241, effective May 7, 2018; amended at 42 Ill. Reg. 16712, effective August 28, 2018; amended at 44 Ill. Reg. 2829,

effective January 29, 2020; amended at 45 Ill. Reg. 9995, effective July 26, 2021; amended at 46 Ill. Reg. 5203, effective March 11, 2022; amended at 46 Ill. Reg. 5705, effective March 25, 2022; emergency amendment at 47 Ill. Reg. 7008, effective May 12, 2023, for a maximum of 150 days; amended at 47 Ill. Reg. 14104, effective September 21, 2023; amended at 47 Ill. Reg. 16366, effective November 3, 2023; amended at 49 Ill. Reg. 1803, effective January 30, 2025; amended at 49 Ill. Reg. 3055, effective February 26, 2025; amended at 49 Ill. Reg. 4009, effective March 20, 2025; amended at 49 Ill. Reg. 10251, effective July 23, 2025; amended at 49 Ill. Reg. 10397, effective July 29, 2025; amended at 50 Ill. Reg. 4141, effective February 26, 2026; amended at 50 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.

SUBPART H: MEDICAL ASSISTANCE – NO GRANT (MANG) ELIGIBILITY FACTORS

Section 120.324 Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program

- a) This program provides for the payment of private health insurance premiums~~coverage~~ for medical assistance clients~~recipients~~ who are also covered by private~~have~~ health insurance ~~available~~ and have a high-cost~~high-cost~~ medical condition~~expenses~~. Authorization for the Health Insurance Premium Payment Program (HIPP) was established by section 4402 of OBRA 1990, which added section 1906 to the Social Security Act.
- b) Program Provisions
 - 1) The HIPP Program shall provide for ~~the mandatory~~ enrollment of eligible persons with~~in~~ ~~available~~ cost effective group or individual health insurance coverage~~plans as a condition of medical assistance eligibility~~. A group health plan is "any plan of, or contributed to by, an employer (including a self-insured~~self-insured~~ plan) to provide health care to the employer's employees, former employees, or families of such employees or former employees." An individual health plan is a contract for health insurance coverage between an individual and an insurance company.
 - 2) The Department shall pay health insurance premiums for eligible medical assistance recipients whenever it is proven~~likely~~ to be cost effective.
- c) Program Standards
 - 1) The HIPP program shall be limited to persons otherwise eligible for medical assistance (excluding spenddown and long-term~~long-term~~ care clients) who have high-cost~~high-cost~~ medical conditions such as, but not limited to:
 - A) Severe arthritis;

- B) Cancer;
- C) Heart ailment or defect;
- D) Liver disease or dysfunction;
- E) Kidney disease or dysfunction;
- F) Brain disease or disorder;
- G) Neurological disease or disorder;
- H) Diabetes;
- I) Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS);
- J) Organ transplant; and
- K) Any other medical condition requiring ~~high-cost~~ ongoing medical treatment.

2) To be eligible for Premium Payment~~medical~~ assistance, a client with a ~~high-cost~~ medical condition who is enrolled~~can enroll~~ in a group or individual health plan must supply information about the health plan. The client ~~may~~must enroll (or re-enroll) if:

- A) the client and/or dependent is enrolled in the health plan~~can enroll on his or her own behalf~~; and
- B) the plan covers the client's ~~high-cost~~ medical condition; and
- C) the plan is determined by the Department to be cost effective.

3) Medicaid customers paying their own premiums shall be reimbursed only if premium payments are made through payroll deduction or the customer has already paid the premium. A business cannot be paying the premium on behalf of the customer if there is only one business owner or employee. The customer must be able to clearly demonstrate that the premium is not a benefit of the company if there is not more than one owner/employee.~~A client that fails to enroll in a cost-effective health plan is ineligible for medical assistance until the next enrollment period and proof of~~

~~enrollment is provided.~~

- 4) Determination of the cost effectiveness shall be made by the Department on a case-by-case basis using prior paid claims~~medical~~ history.
- 5) Cost effective means the average cost of medical services for the period~~of time~~ covered by the health insurance premium is at least two and one-half~~a half~~ times the premium cost for the period.
- 6) The Department will notify the customer if~~client that~~ enrollment is approved~~necessary because the plan is cost effective. The client will have the right to appeal this determination according to 89 Ill. Adm. Code 102.80.~~
- 7) When the third-party policy covers other family members, ~~only~~; the customer's~~client's~~ share of the premium will be paid by HIPP unless retention of the policy is contingent upon paying premiums for other medical assistance eligible recipients.
- 8) Payment of premium for a non-eligible family member may be made if necessary to enroll the HIPP participant. A non-eligible family member may reside in another household. Deductibles and co-insurance shall not be paid for the non-eligible family members. Premiums shall not be paid if the non-eligible family member is required to enroll dependents through a divorce order or order for medical support.
- 9) Health insurance premiums may be paid by the Department directly to the Medicaid customer, employers, unions or insurance companies.
- 10) Customers must enroll with the State of Illinois Comptroller's office to be eligible for reimbursements.
- 1110) ~~Clients paying their own premiums shall be reimbursed only if premium payments are made through payroll deduction or the client has already paid the premium.~~ Reimbursement of premiums~~premium~~ shall only be made after the customer~~client~~ accumulates a minimum of \$250~~\$50.00~~ in payments and submits proof of payment. Reimbursements will be paid on regular payment schedules set by the HIPP program.
- 1244) The Department~~HIPP~~ shall pay deductibles and co-payments based on the Department's medical payment standards via claims submitted for Fee-For-Service reimbursement by the provider.

- 517 ~~13~~12) Medical assistance payments shall be made for items and services covered
 518 under the Medical Assistance Program that are not covered by the health
 519 plan.
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- 521 ~~14~~13) Premium payments may be made prior to case approval or certification
 522 only when the Department has determined it is~~it appears~~ likely that the
 523 case will be approved or certified and timely payment or enrollment is
 524 crucial to the retention of coverage.
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- 526 ~~15~~14) Assignment of medical support rights provisions shall apply to any health
 527 insurance premium for which the Department pays or reimburses the
 528 client. If the customer~~client~~ receives a return of premium, for any reason,
 529 from the insurance carrier, the returned premium must immediately be
 530 turned over to the Department or be subject to recovery and the customer
 531 may be determined ineligible for medical assistance until the next
 532 enrollment period and/or proof of repayment is provided.
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- 534 ~~16~~15) Insurance payments for medical services shall be assigned to the medical
 535 provider at the time the services are requested. In the event a customer
 536 receives an insurance payment for medical services that were also paid by
 537 the Department, the customer must immediately turn the payment over to
 538 the Department or be subject to recovery and the customer may be
 539 determined ineligible for medical assistance until the next enrollment
 540 period and/or proof of payment is provided.~~Insurance payments for~~
 541 ~~medical services shall be assigned to the medical provider at the time the~~
 542 ~~services are requested. In the event a client receives an insurance payment~~
 543 ~~for medical services that were also paid by the Department, the client must~~
 544 ~~immediately turn the payment over to the Department or be subject to~~
 545 ~~recovery.~~
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