

**AGE - C-RELATED****I-100****I-110 REQUIREMENT****LIFC, PAP, C-MNP, and LIFC-LTC**

A child must be under 18 years of age to be considered in a C-related category except LaCHIP **and CHAMP**. Remove the child effective the month after his 18th birthday.

**Exception for LIFC, PAP and C-MNP:**

Continue Medicaid through the month the child completes his course of study if both the following conditions are met:

- he is a full-time student in high school or in vocational or technical training at a level equivalent to high school, and
- he is expected to complete the course of study before or during the month of his 19th birthday.

***Refer to I-140 School Attendance*****Note:**

Before removing a child, continuous eligibility should be explored. Refer to Policy H-1910, 12 Months Continuous Eligibility.

**CHAMP**

A child must have been born on or after 10-1-83 **and under age 19** to be considered in CHAMP. ***Remove the child effective the month after his 19th birthday.***

**LaCHIP**

A child must be under 19 years of age to be considered in LaCHIP. ***Remove the child effective the month after his 19th birthday.***

**I-120 VERIFICATION**

Verify **\*\* if questionable.**

To verify age **for children born in Louisiana use the online Vital Records Registry (VRR) system. For those not on VRR,** view an official birth record, hospital birth record, or baptismal certificate from a church with valid records.

If the applicant/recipient is unable to obtain the above documents the following, which include the child's name and birthday, may be used:

- medical records other than the hospital birth record,
- licensed midwife records,
- immunization or other Health Unit records,
- school records,
- insurance policies over 3 years old,
- church records,
- family Bible,
- U.S. Census records,
- passports,
- naturalization papers,
- INS documentation, or
- information provided in correspondence from a national VOLAG (Voluntary Resettlement Agency).

**I-130 DOCUMENTATION**

Document and file a copy of the verification of age of each **recipient.**

**I-140 SCHOOL ATTENDANCE****\*\***

***School attendance is applicable only in LIFC, PAP or C-MNP.***

A child, age 18, is eligible for Medicaid if the child is:

- attending a secondary, vocational or technical school full-time and is expected to graduate or complete the course of study before or during the month of his/her 19th birthday.

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School attendance requirements are met if:

- a child is out of school because of vacation, temporary illness, or family emergency,
- an incapacitated child attends fewer hours or receives instruction from a visiting teacher at home, or
- a child is enrolled in a Job Corps program.

Verify school attendance and completion date for the course of study for each child who is age 18 at application or who will be age 18 before the next ***renewal***.

Verify school attendance from school records, current report cards, or any other documentary evidence.

Document and file verification of school attendance.