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The long-term care (LTC) standards chart has been updated with 1/1/2009 standard changes.

<http://www.dshs.wa.gov/manuals/eaz/sections/LongTermCare/LTCstandardspna.shtml>

The standards chart reflects both the current and standard amounts for 1/1/2009.

Long Term Care Medical Standards-Personal Needs Allowance Chart

Effective January 1, 2009, the Medicaid spousal impoverishment standards will be as follows:

Maximum Community Spouse Resource Standard - \$109,560.00

Maximum Monthly Maintenance Standard \$2,739.00

The minimum monthly maintenance standard remains \$1,750.00 until July 1, 2009.

Medicaid Special Income Level (SIL) \$2,022.00

Federal Benefit Rate (FBR) \$674.00

Medically Needy Income Level (MNIL) \$674.00

Categorically Needy Income Level (CNIL) \$674.00

PNA changes effective 1/1/2009

<http://www.dshs.wa.gov/manuals/eaz/sections/LongTermCare/lcstandardsPNAchartsubfile.shtml>

Medicaid personal care (MPC) and DDD Waiver in residential settings will have the same personal needs allowance as the HCS Waiver (COPES) program starting 1/1/2009. The PNA will be \$62.79.

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