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# IMPLEMENTING ACA POLICY CHANGES

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# Policy Changes

Effective 01/01/2013

- States must increase payments for primary care services to 100% of the Medicare rate for 2013 and 2014.

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Effective 01/01/2014

- Expansion of eligibility to all individuals under 65 with MAGI up to 138% of FPL.
- Adults under age 26 who were in foster care when they turned 18 will be eligible for Medicaid.

# Authority and Approvals

- OHCA Board
- Legislature
- Governor
- State Plan
- Waivers

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- November 2011-Notice of Rule Making Intent-(Rule changes only)
- January 2012- Medical Advisory Committee
- February 2012-OHCA Board of Directors (Rules Changes only)
- February 2012-Legislature (45 Legislative Days)
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# Timeline for CY 2013 Changes (cont.)

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# Questions

