

~~(2) (I) IS DISABLED UNDER TITLE II OR TITLE XVI OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT; OR~~

~~(II) EXCEPT FOR PROVISIONS RELATING TO SUBSTANTIAL GAINFUL ACTIVITY, WOULD QUALIFY FOR SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME OR SOCIAL SECURITY DISABILITY INSURANCE;~~

~~(3) RECEIVES FINANCIAL COMPENSATION FOR EMPLOYMENT, WITH APPLICABLE PAYROLL WITHHOLDINGS FOR PAYMENT OF FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL TAXES;~~

~~(4) MEETS THE ASSET LIMITATIONS UNDER SUBSECTION (E) OF THIS SECTION;~~

~~(5) MEETS THE FINANCIAL LIMITATIONS REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (F) OF THIS SECTION; AND~~

~~(6) IF APPLICABLE, PAYS THE PREMIUM REQUIRED UNDER SUBSECTION (G) OF THIS SECTION.~~

~~(D) IN DETERMINING AN INDIVIDUAL'S INCOME UNDER SUBSECTION (F) OF THIS SECTION, THE DEPARTMENT MAY NOT CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:~~

~~(1) INCOME DISREGARDED FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY FOR THE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, AGED, BLIND, AND DISABLED CATEGORY UNDER COMAR 10.09.24; OR~~

~~(2) INCOME USED TO PAY FOR IMPAIRMENT RELATED WORK EXPENSES.~~

~~(E) (1) AN INDIVIDUAL IS NOT ELIGIBLE FOR THE EMPLOYED PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES PROGRAM IF THE INDIVIDUAL'S ASSETS EXCEED \$10,000.~~

~~(2) IN DETERMINING AN INDIVIDUAL'S ASSETS UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE DEPARTMENT MAY NOT CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:~~

~~(I) ASSETS DISREGARDED FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY FOR THE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, AGED, BLIND, AND DISABLED CATEGORY UNDER COMAR 10.09.24;~~

~~(II) MEDICAL SAVINGS ACCOUNTS AS DEFINED UNDER 26 U.S.C. 220;~~

~~(III) RETIREMENT ACCOUNTS, INCLUDING AN INDIVIDUAL RETIREMENT ACCOUNT, A 401(K) PLAN, A 403(B) PLAN, A KEOGH PLAN, AND A PENSION PLAN; OR~~

~~(IV) SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE DEPARTMENT, ANY SPECIAL FUND FOR THE PURCHASE OF GOODS OR SERVICES THAT SUBSTANTIALLY INCREASE OR MAINTAIN THE INDIVIDUAL'S EMPLOYABILITY.~~

~~(F) (1) TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PROGRAM, AN INDIVIDUAL SHALL HAVE AN ANNUAL GROSS INCOME OF NO GREATER THAN 300% OF THE FEDERAL POVERTY GUIDELINES.~~