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ELIGIBILITY & PAYMENTS MANUAL
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TO: CUSTODIANS OF ELIGIBILITY & PAYMENTS MANUAL

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SUBJECT: ELIGIBILITY & PAYMENTS MANUAL CHANGES

Material Transmitted	Material Superseded
E&P D-300 KINCARE MTL 01/26 – (4) Page	E&P D-300 KINCARE MTL 26/25 – (3) Page

Manual Section	BACKGROUND & EXPLANATION of policy changes/clarifications/updates	Obsolete PT, P&P, PUT or IM	Unit Clearance Control #
E&P D-301.6.4	Updated manual section with current 2026 Federal Poverty Levels	All previous versions	05-26
E&P D-301.3	Policy clarification for processing a KinCare application when the child is already on an open TANF case.	All previous versions	05-26
E&P D-301.7	An additional section has been added to the manual to address how to process changes.	All previous versions	05-26
E&P D-300	Changed verbiage throughout to align with the policy of Child Welfare Agencies.	All previous versions	05-26

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Instructions for Manual Maintenance -- Replace superseded pages (3) with transmitted pages (4).