



Behavioral Health Workgroup

REPORT TO THE HEALTH REFORM TASK FORCE

DECEMBER 4, 2014

VULNERABLE PERSON

(proposed)

- 1) **Federal classification as "medically exempt"** from requirement to enroll in a Medicaid alternative benefit plan. 42 C.F.R. sec. 440.315
 - a. Children under 19 years of age who are:
 - eligible for SSI
 - eligible under section 1902(e)(3) of the Act
 - in foster care or other out of home placement
 - receiving foster care or other adoption assistance
 - receiving services through family-centered, community based coordinated care system that receives grant funds under section 501(a)(1)(D) of title V
 - b. Individuals with disabling mental disorders (including children with serious emotional disturbance and adults with serious mental illness)
 - c. Individuals with chronic substance use disorders
 - d. Individuals with serious and complex medical conditions
 - e. Individuals with physical, intellectual, or developmental disability that significantly impairs their ability to perform 1 or more activities of daily living, or that meet SSI criteria

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2. **Other federal protections within the Medicaid program**
 - a. Individuals below the federal poverty level who are under 21 years of age (and do not fall into the categories described in 1 (a))
 - b. A member of an American Indian Tribe

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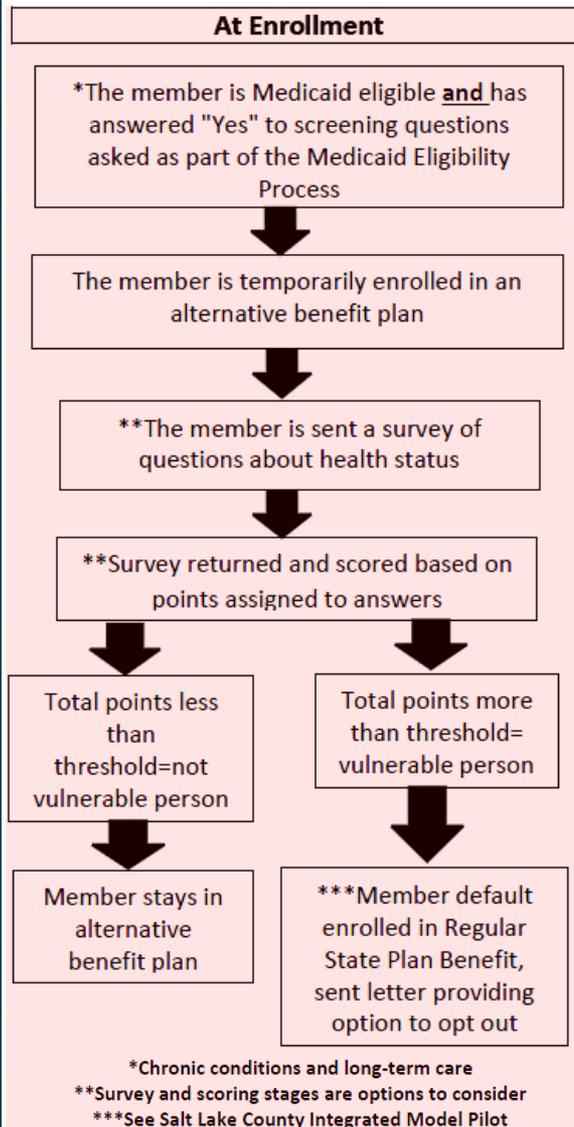
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3. **Other Vulnerable Individuals** (state options)
 - a. Individuals who are chronically homeless
 - b. Individuals who are legal refugees
 - c. Children under the age of 26 who were out of state foster children
 - d. Parents with dependent children

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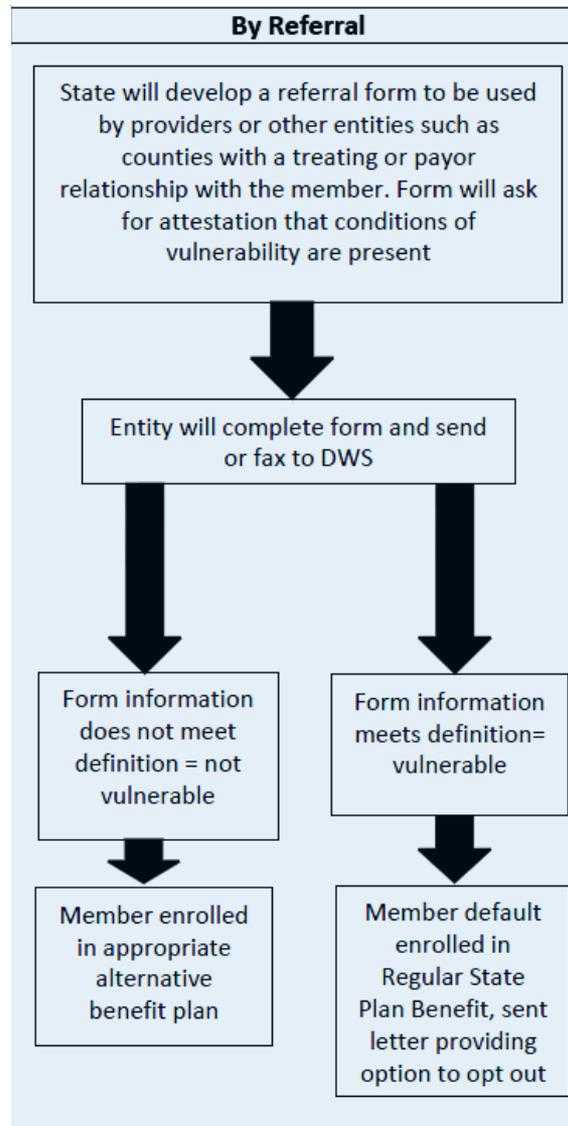
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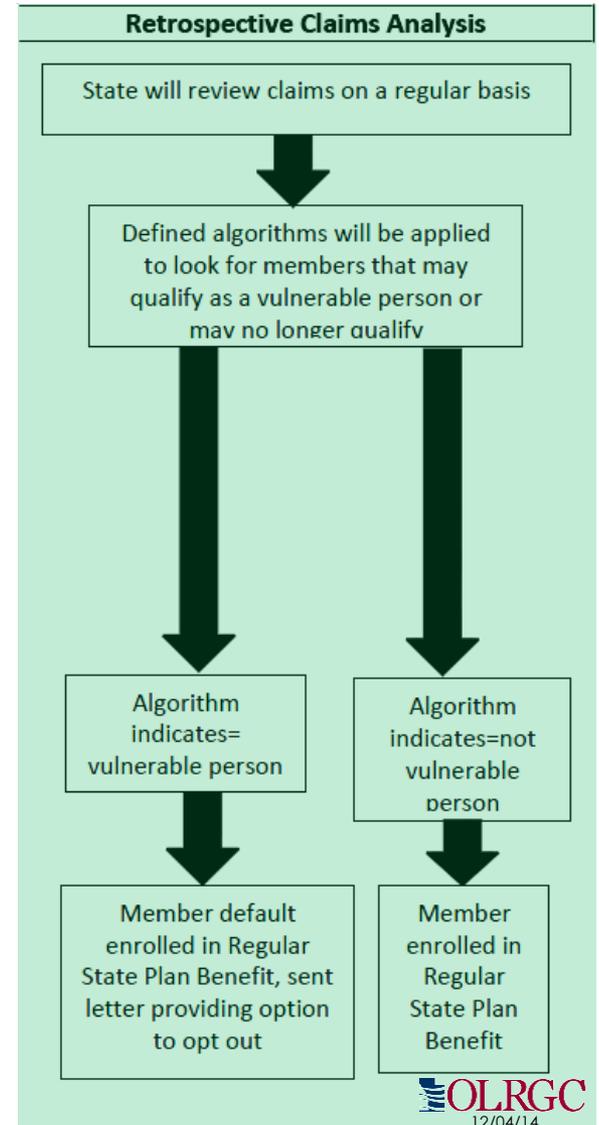
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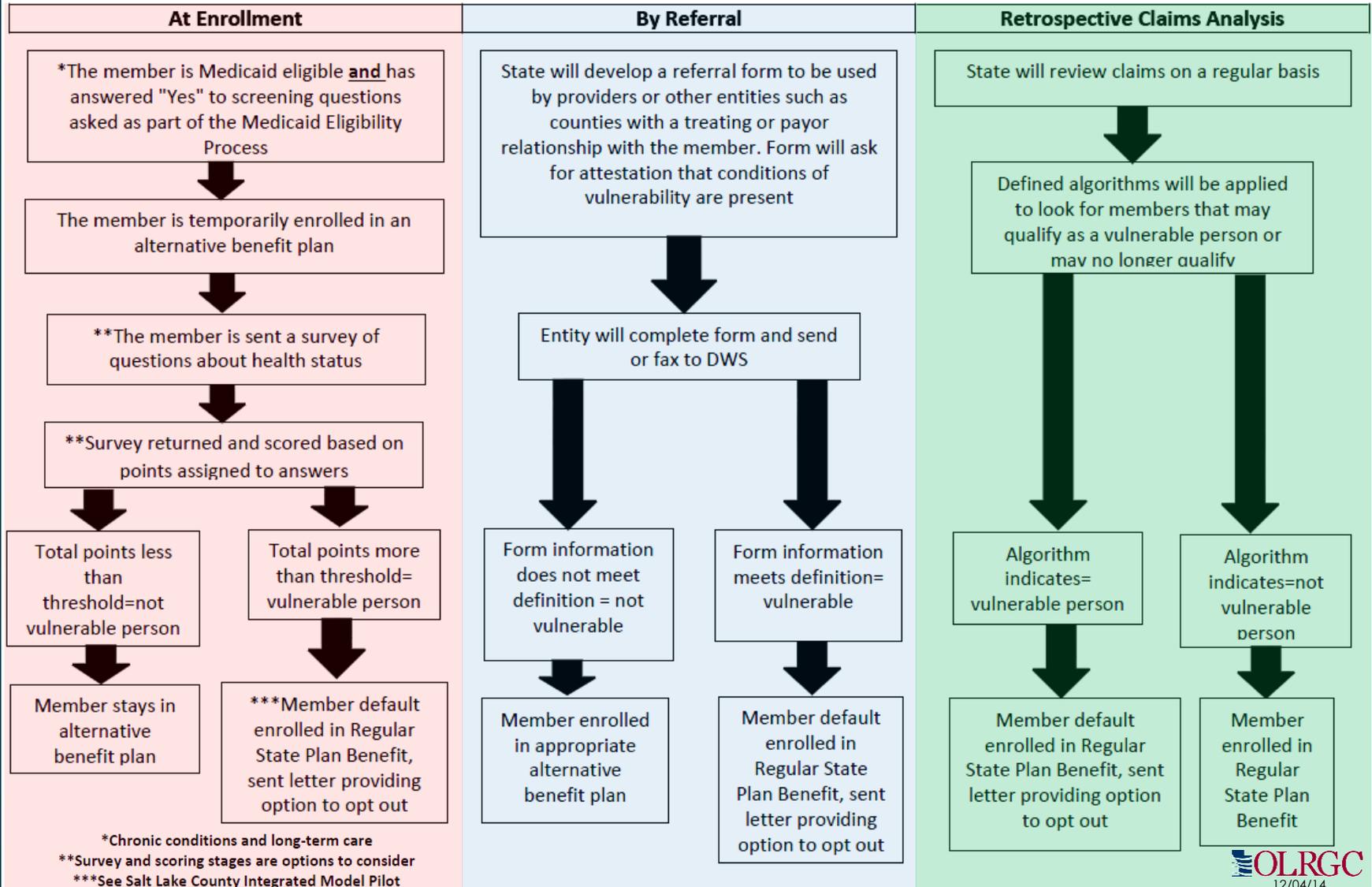
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