

House Engrossed  
eligibility; AHCCCS

State of Arizona  
House of Representatives  
Fifty-fifth Legislature  
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# HOUSE BILL 2622

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 36-2903.04, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO THE  
ARIZONA HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT SYSTEM.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 36-2903.04, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended  
3 to read:

4 36-2903.04. Prior wards of the state; annual eligibility  
5 renewal; residency determination

6 A. The administration shall determine the eligibility of any  
7 eligible person as defined in section 36-2901, paragraph 6, subdivision  
8 (a), item (iii) ~~and shall redetermine eligibility on an annual~~  
9 ~~basis~~. SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE CENTERS FOR MEDICARE AND MEDICAID  
10 SERVICES, THE ADMINISTRATION OR THE ADMINISTRATION'S DESIGNEE SHALL  
11 ANNUALLY RENEW THE ELIGIBILITY OF A PERSON WHO IS DETERMINED ELIGIBLE  
12 PURSUANT TO SECTION 36-2901, PARAGRAPH 6, SUBDIVISION (a), ITEM (iii)  
13 WITHOUT REQUIRING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE PERSON UNTIL THE PERSON  
14 REACHES TWENTY-SIX YEARS OF AGE, UNLESS THE PERSON NOTIFIES THE  
15 ADMINISTRATION THAT THE PERSON EITHER:

- 16 1. MOVED OUT OF THIS STATE.  
17 2. PROVIDED INFORMATION TO THE ADMINISTRATION INDICATING THAT THE  
18 PERSON MAY QUALIFY FOR A DIFFERENT ELIGIBILITY CATEGORY.

19 B. DURING THE PERSON'S ELIGIBILITY PERIOD, THE ADMINISTRATION OR  
20 ITS DESIGNEE MAY USE RELIABLE INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO THE AGENCY TO  
21 DETERMINE THE PERSON'S STATE RESIDENCY, INCLUDING THROUGH AN ELECTRONIC  
22 DATA MATCH.