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CA-300239 – Restricting Federal Funding for Certain QNCs Phase II

1 OVERVIEW

The House Resolution 1 (H.R. 1) legislation makes significant changes to Medi-Cal policy, including the restriction of Federal Funding for certain QNCs. Due to the change in the Federal Funding for certain QNCs, starting October 1, 2026, eligible members with certain QNC statuses will no longer be considered to have Satisfactory Immigration Status, causing them to transition to state-funded Medi-Cal benefits.

Per ACWDL 18-09, MEDIL I 25-18, ACWDL 26-XX, and in coordination with CalHEERS Change Request (CR) 313671, CalSAWS will be updated to display a new Eligibility Evaluation Reason Code (EERC) and verification information regarding Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizens (ENC).

1.1 Current Design

Currently in CalSAWS, EERCs are received via Electronic Health Information Transfer (eHIT) transactions and, if applicable, displayed on the MAGI Determination Summary page, MAGI Determination Detail page, and MAGI Referral Detail page. There is no EERC sent by CalHEERS to identify if an individual who attested to being an immigrant and the Verify Lawful Presence (VLP) Response verifies them as either a US Citizen or as having a more beneficial immigration category than their attested status and document. As a result, County Eligibility Workers (CEWs) are required to manually identify when the VLP response contains a more beneficial immigration category than what was attested by the Medi-Cal member.

Additionally, the eHIT interface allows for two groups of verifications to be sent from CalHEERS to CalSAWS:

- Administrative Verifications
- E-Verifications

When a Determination of Eligibility Response (DER) or an unsolicited DER (DER-U) is received with E-Verified or Admin Verified statuses from eHIT, CalSAWS captures, stores, and displays both sets of data, if applicable, and displays the values on the MAGI Person Detail Page. The verification status for 'Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen' is not sent by CalHEERS and therefore is not displayed in the MAGI Person Detail Page.

1.2 Requests

Based on the updates being completed by CalHEERS with CR 313671, update CalSAWS to display the new EERC for 'VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status' and the new verification status for 'Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen' received via eHIT.

1.3 Overview of Recommendations

1. Create a Code Table Change Request (CTCR) to add the Eligibility Evaluation Reason Code (EERC) 'VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status'.
2. Display the new EERC on the MAGI Determination Detail page, MAGI Determination Summary page, and MAGI Referral Detail page.
3. Display a new soft validation message on the Run EDBC page when the individual has the EERC 'VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status' in the applicable DER or DER-U for the EDBC Benefit Month.
4. Create a CTCR to add the Verification Code for 'Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen'.
5. Display the new Verification Code on the MAGI Person Detail Page.

1.4 Assumptions

1. With Release 26.06, CA-293020 completed Phase I of Restricting Federal Funding for Certain QNCs.
2. All existing functionalities will remain unchanged unless called out as part of the design.

2 RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 MAGI Determination Detail Page, MAGI Determination Summary, and MAGI Referral Detail Page - EERC 'VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status'

2.1.1 Overview

The MAGI Determination Detail page, MAGI Determination Summary page, and MAGI Referral Detail page must be updated to display the newly added EERC 'VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status'.

2.1.2 Page Mockups

MAGI Determination Detail Close

Name:
John, Doe

Evaluation Criteria

Pregnant: No	Postpartum End Date:	Postpartum Period:
Aged: Yes	Deceased: No	
Lawful Presence: Yes	Qualified Non-Citizen: Yes	Five Year Bar Exempt/Met: Yes
PRUCOL: No	PRUCOL - INS Acknowledgement:	Tax Status: No
Other Insurance: No	Immigration Eligibility: Paroled into United States for one year or more	
Eligible Non-Citizen - APTC: Yes	Eligible Non-Citizen - MC: Yes	

IAP Transition

Carry Forward Status:	Carry Forward Begin Date:
IAP Transition Begin Date:	IAP Transition End Date:

Eligibility

Enrollment Period: No	Documents: No	Change Timeframe: No
Primary Aid Code: M3	Secondary Aid Code:	Tertiary Aid Code:
Eligibility Evaluation Reasons: VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status	Consumer Protection Program:	Income Proof Required:

Figure 1 – MAGI Determination Detail Page

MAGI Determination Summary

[Dispositions](#)
[Close](#)
Request ID:
[10350744635](#)
Benefit Month:

02/2026

Date Run:

01/20/2026

Household Eligibility:

Partially Eligible

Run Reason:

Negative Action

Requested by Batch:

No

Name	Primary Aid Code	Status	Eligibility Evaluation Reasons	Negative Action Reason	Carry Forward Status
John, Doe	M3	Eligible	VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status		No

Figure 2 – MAGI Determination Summary Page

MAGI Referral Detail

[Images](#)
[Link to Case](#)
[Edit](#)
[Close](#)
MAGI Case Number:

5198397605

MAGI Case Name:

John

Initiated Date:

05/21/2026 7:39 PM

Origination:

Consumer

Determination ID:

3942836623

Determination Category:

Referral

Case Number:
Case Name:
Request ID:
Determination Type:

Referral

Status: *

Received

[Cancel DER](#)
Covered CA Change:

No

Run Reason:

Intake

Benefit Month:

10/01/2026

Program:

Application

Case Members

MAGI

RE Month:
Begin Month:

05/01/2026

Name	Status	Primary Aid Code	Soft Pause Lift	Negative Action Reason	Eligibility Evaluation Reasons
John, Doe 31M	Eligible		No		VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status

Figure 3 – MAGI Referral Detail Page

2.1.3 Description of Changes

1. Create a CTCR to add the EERC 'VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status' (CT466_VB).
Note: The new EERC 'VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status' will be displayed on the following pages:
 - a. MAGI Determination Detail page
 - b. MAGI Determination Summary page
 - c. MAGI Referral Detail page

2.1.4 Page Location

- **Global:** Eligibility
- **Local:** Customer Information
- **Task:** MAGI Eligibility

2.1.5 Security Updates

N/A

2.1.6 Page Mapping

N/A

2.1.7 Accessibility

N/A

2.1.8 Page Usage/Data Volume Impacts

N/A

2.2 Run EDBC – Soft Validation

2.2.1 Overview

The Run EDBC page must be updated to add the new soft validation for when an individual has an EERC of 'VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status'.

2.2.2 Page Mockups

Run EDBC

* - Indicates required fields

Change Reason Run EDBC Cancel

Benefit Processing Range:

Begin Month: * End Month: *

07/2026 07/2026

✓	Program	Status	Timely Notice Exception	Reason	Run Reason
✓	CalFresh	Active			
✓	Medi-Cal	Active			
✓	CalWORKs	Active			

The VLP Response has a more beneficial Citizenship Status. Please review the VLP Response and update the Citizenship information and send a new MAGI Request for the following person(s):

- JOHN DOE

To continue running EDBC, click the "Run EDBC" button.

Change Reason Run EDBC Cancel

Figure 4 – Run EDBC Page – Soft Validation

2.2.3 Description of Changes

1. Add a soft validation on the Run EDBC page when the user attempts to Run EDBC.
 - a. The trigger condition(s) are as follows:
 - i. On the click of 'Run EDBC'
 - ii. The individual has the EERC 'VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status' in the applicable DER or DER-U for the EDBC Benefit Month.
 - b. Display the following validation message:
 - i. "The VLP Response has a more beneficial Citizenship Status. Please review the VLP Response and update the Citizenship information and send a new MAGI Request for the following person(s): <Person Name(s)>"

Note: Users may proceed by clicking 'Run EDBC' again.

2.2.4 Page Location

- **Global:** Eligibility
- **Local:** Customer Information
- **Task:** Run EDBC

2.2.5 Security Updates

N/A

2.2.6 Page Mapping

N/A

2.2.7 Accessibility

N/A

2.2.8 Page Usage/Data Volume Impacts

N/A

2.3 MAGI Person Detail Page – Verification Code for Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen

2.3.1 Overview

The MAGI Person Detail Page must be updated to include the newly added Verification Code 'Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizens'.

2.3.2 Page Mockups

Verification

E-Verified

Admin Verified

Verification Type	Verified	Attested Value	Verif Status	Verif Source	Verif Cache Date
SSN	Yes	286009556	E-Verified	FDSH:SSA	12/06/2022
SSN Waiver					
Applied for SSN					
US Citizenship	No		Not Verified		
Immigration Status					
Lawful Presence	Yes	Yes	Pass	FDSH:DHS	10/05/2026
Qualified Non-Citizen	Yes	Yes	Pass	FDSH:DHS	10/05/2026
Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen	Yes	Yes	Pass	FDSH:DHS	10/05/2026
Five Year Bar Exempt/Met	Yes	Yes	Pass	FDSH:DHS	10/05/2026
PRUCOL					
PRUCOL - INS Ack					
MAGI Income					
Projected Annual Income (Exchange Only)					
Federal Subsidy Income	Yes	10010.64	E-Verified	IRS:SSA	01/20/2026
State Subsidy Income	No	10010.64	Not Verified		
MEC MEDS					
MEC Employer Sponsored					
MEC Non-Employer Sponsored					
Medicare					
Former Foster Youth					
Incarceration					
Deceased					
American Indian/Alaska Native					
CA Resident	Yes	Yes	E-Verified	MEDS:FTB	12/06/2022

View Differences

Close

Figure 5 – MAGI Person Detail Page – E-Verified (DER)

Verification					
E-Verified		Admin Verified			
Verification Type	Verified	Attested Value	Verif Status	Verif Source	Verif Cache Date
SSN					
SSN Waiver					
Applied for SSN					
US Citizenship					
Immigration Status					
Lawful Presence	Yes	Yes	Pass	SAWS	10/05/2026
Qualified Non-Citizen	Yes	Yes	Pass	SAWS	10/05/2026
Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen	Yes	Yes	Pass	SAWS	10/05/2026
Five Year Bar Exempt/Met	Yes	Yes	Pass	SAWS	10/05/2026
PRUCOL					
PRUCOL - INS Ack					
MAGI Income	Yes	834.22	Pass	Not Applicable	01/20/2026
Projected Annual Income (Exchange Only)					
Federal Subsidy Income					
State Subsidy Income					
MEC MEDS	Yes	No	Fail	SAWS	01/20/2026
MEC Employer Sponsored	No	No	Pass	SAWS	01/20/2026
MEC Non-Employer Sponsored	No	No	Pass	SAWS	01/20/2026
Medicare	No	No	Pass	SAWS	01/20/2026
Former Foster Youth					
Incarceration	No	No	Pass	SAWS	01/20/2026
Deceased	No	No	Pass	SAWS	01/20/2026
American Indian/Alaska Native					
CA Resident	Yes	Yes	Pass	SAWS	01/20/2026

[View Differences](#)
[Close](#)

Figure 6 – MAGI Person Detail Page – Admin Verified (DER)

2.3.3 Description of Changes

1. Create a CTCR to add the Verification Code 'Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen' (CT10590_MN).
2. Display the new Verification Code 'Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen' on the following pages:
 - a. MAGI Person Detail Page

Note: For the DER, CalSAWS will receive the Verification Code 'Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen' as either E-Verified or Admin Verified.

2.3.4 Page Location

- **Global:** Case Information
- **Local:** e-Tools
- **Task:** MAGI Referral Search

2.3.5 Security Updates

N/A

2.3.6 Page Mapping

N/A

2.3.7 Accessibility

N/A

2.3.8 Page Usage/Data Volume Impacts

N/A

2.4 Eligibility Rules Updates – No Impact

2.5 Batch Name – No Impact

2.6 Interface Name – No Impact

2.7 eHIT – No Impact

2.8 Form/NOA Name – No Impact

2.9 Report Name – No Impact

2.10 Data Warehouse Name – No Impact

2.11 Data Change – No Impact

2.12 Automated Regression Test – No Impact

3 SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

N/A

4 OUTREACH

N/A

5 APPENDIX

A.1.1 CalHEERS Definition: EERC – VLP Verifies a More Beneficial Status

As part of CR 313671 CalHEERS has defined the newly added EERC as follows:

Individual attested to being an Immigrant and the VLP response verifies them as either a US Citizen or as having a more beneficial immigration category than their attested status/document. CalHEERS will use the following hierarchy for determining whether the VLP Response is more beneficial than the individual's attested immigration category:

1. US Citizen
2. Lawfully Present and a Qualified Non-Citizen and a Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen
3. Lawfully Present and a Qualified Non-Citizen but not a Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen
4. Lawfully Present but not a Qualified Non-Citizen or a Medi-Cal Eligible Non-Citizen
5. Not Lawfully Present