

**2009**  
**South Carolina**  
**ADAP Sliding Fee Scale**

Fam Size	Scale 1 >550% Pt pays 100%	Scale 2 >500%&≤550% Pt pays 80%	Scale 3 >450%&≤500% Pt pays 60%	Scale 4 >400%&≤450% Pt pays 40%	Scale 5 >350%&≤400% Pt pays 25%	Scale 6 >300%&≤350% Pt pays 10%	Scale 7 ≤300% Pt pays 0%	2009 Fed Pov Guidelines	Fam Size
1	≥ \$65,781	\$59,801 - \$65,780	\$53,821 - \$59,800	\$47,841 - \$53,820	\$41,861 - \$47,840	\$35,881 - \$41,860	≤ \$35,880	\$11,960	1
2	≥ \$88,551	\$80,501 - \$88,550	\$72,451 - \$80,500	\$64,401 - \$72,450	\$56,351 - \$64,400	\$48,301 - \$56,350	≤ \$48,300	\$16,100	2
3	≥ \$111,321	\$101,201 - \$111,320	\$91,081 - \$101,200	\$80,961 - \$91,080	\$70,841 - \$80,960	\$60,721 - \$70,840	≤ \$60,720	\$20,240	3
4	≥ \$134,091	\$121,901 - \$134,090	\$109,711 - \$121,900	\$97,521 - \$109,710	\$85,331 - \$97,520	\$73,141 - \$85,330	≤ \$73,140	\$24,380	4
5	≥ \$156,861	\$142,601 - \$156,860	\$128,341 - \$142,600	\$114,081 - \$128,340	\$99,821 - \$114,080	\$85,561 - \$99,820	≤ \$85,560	\$28,520	5
6	≥ \$179,631	\$163,301 - \$179,630	\$146,971 - \$163,300	\$130,641 - \$146,970	\$114,311 - \$130,640	\$97,981 - \$114,310	≤ \$97,980	\$32,660	6
7	≥ \$202,401	\$184,001 - \$202,400	\$165,601 - \$184,000	\$147,201 - \$165,600	\$128,801 - \$147,200	\$110,401 - \$128,800	≤ \$110,400	\$36,800	7
8	≥ \$225,171	\$204,701 - \$225,170	\$184,231 - \$204,700	\$163,761 - \$184,230	\$143,291 - \$163,760	\$122,821 - \$143,290	≤ \$122,820	\$40,940	8

**Sources of Income:** Income to be considered in determination of co-payment is defined as money from all sources “before any deductions such as income taxes, Social Security taxes, insurance premiums, charitable contributions and bonds.” It includes the following:

Salaries	Unemployment Compensation	Pensions
Wages	Scholarships	Annuities
Net earnings from self-employment	Child Support	Public Assistance
Royalties and Commissions	Veteran’s Benefits	Sick Pay
Tips	Social Security cash benefits	Help from relatives and others
Business Profits	Workers’ Compensation	Gambling/Lottery winnings
Rents, Interest, Dividends	Alimony	Capital Gains

Income **does not** refer to the following money receipts: capital gains from primary residence; assets withdrawn from a bank; sale of property, house or car; tax refunds; gifts; loans; lump-sum inheritances; one-time insurance payments. Compensation for injury should not be included as income unless it is received for treatment that a DHEC program is providing. The value of food and fuel produced and consumed on farms and the imputed value of rent from owner-occupied housing would also be exempt when computing a client’s income.

The ADAP has the right to request additional information and/or documents to help determine eligibility. In addition, the ADAP has the right to amend/change policies as needed or required.

**Determining Household:** For SC ADAP eligibility purposes household is defined only as the patient, the patient’s spouse, dependent children or adult dependents.

**\* Based on 2009 Federal Poverty Guidelines**

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