Financial Eligibility and Sliding Fee Scale 65E-14.018

Review of records for financial eligibility - 394.674, F.S. and Sliding Fee Scale – 65E-14.018 and Attachment I D. 6. or Base Handbook Ch. M.
(1)(a) Sliding Fee Scale: the service provider shall make a determination of ability to pay in accordance with the sliding fee scale for all individual seeking substance abuse or mental health services. The sliding fee scale shall not apply to services provided under the Case Management covered service as defined in Rule 65E-14.021.
(2)(a) Each service provider shall develop a sliding fee scale, that is updated annually, in conjunction with the Federal Poverty Guidelines, and applies to individuals receiving services that are paid for by state, federal or local matching funds.
(2)(b) The provider shall request a sliding fee payment from persons not eligible for Medicaid or receiving services ineligible under Medicaid; and whose household income is less than 150% of the federal poverty guidelines in accordance with Section 409.9081, F.S. Nominal co-payments for the following substance abuse and mental health services shall apply: Outpatient treatment services $3.00 per day and Residentioal treatment services $2.00 per day

SFS - Does the agency's approved sliding fee scale align with the current HHS Federal Poverty Guidelines income thresholds? YES ____ NO _____

	Client Name	Client I.D.	Date of Initial Visit	Date Financial Eligibility Assessed	Documentation Presented	Date Financial Eligibility Determined	Was Sliding Fee Scale Applied	Did provider demonstrate sufficient effort in determining client eligibility	COMMENTS / NOTES
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