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This bulletin updates the policy for the deduction of Medicare part B premiums budgeted for the community spouse. Policy is being adjusted to eliminate the Medicare part B premium as a community spouse budget income expense. The Medicare part B premium is included in the federal calculations of the Minimum Monthly Needs Allowance standard.

## Manual Maintenance

Retain this bulletin until the information is incorporated into the Bridges Eligibility Manual.

## Questions

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