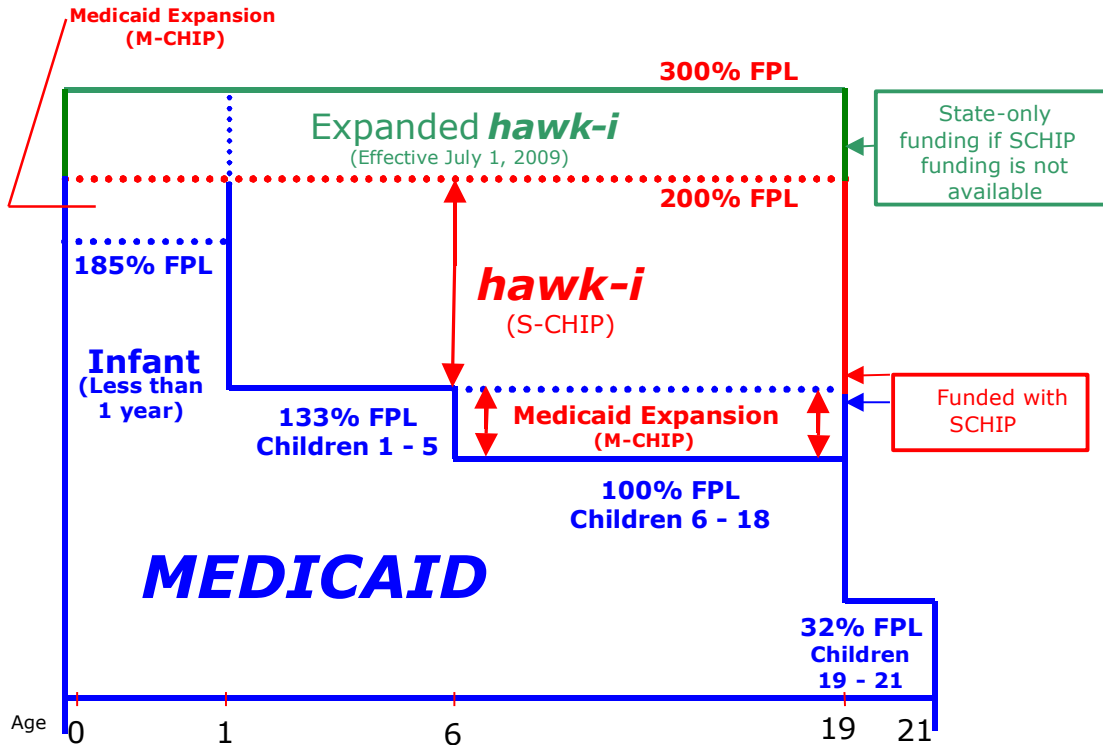


# How Iowa Children Qualify for Medicaid

## Programs for Non-Disabled Children



## Programs for Children with Disabilities

### Family Opportunity Act

- Income Limit – 300% FPL
- \$2,000 Resource Limit
- Parent must enroll in available group health insurance

### Medicaid Waivers

- Income Limit – 300% of SSI (221% of FPL)
- Parent's income not counted
- \$2,000 Resource Limit
- Child must either be in a facility or eligible for facility level care but live at home.

### Waiver Age Requirements

- Brain Injury – at least 1 month
- Mental Health – up to age 18
- Ill & Handicapped – none
- AIDS/HIV – none
- Mental Retardation – none
- Physical Disability – 18 - 64

### SSI Eligible

- Income deemed from parents must be less than \$637 month (74% of FPL)
- \$2,000 Resource Limit

### Definitions

**FPL** – Means the Federal Poverty Level

**SSI** – Means the Supplemental Security Income program administered by the Social Security Administration that provides cash assistance to low-income elderly and disabled people.