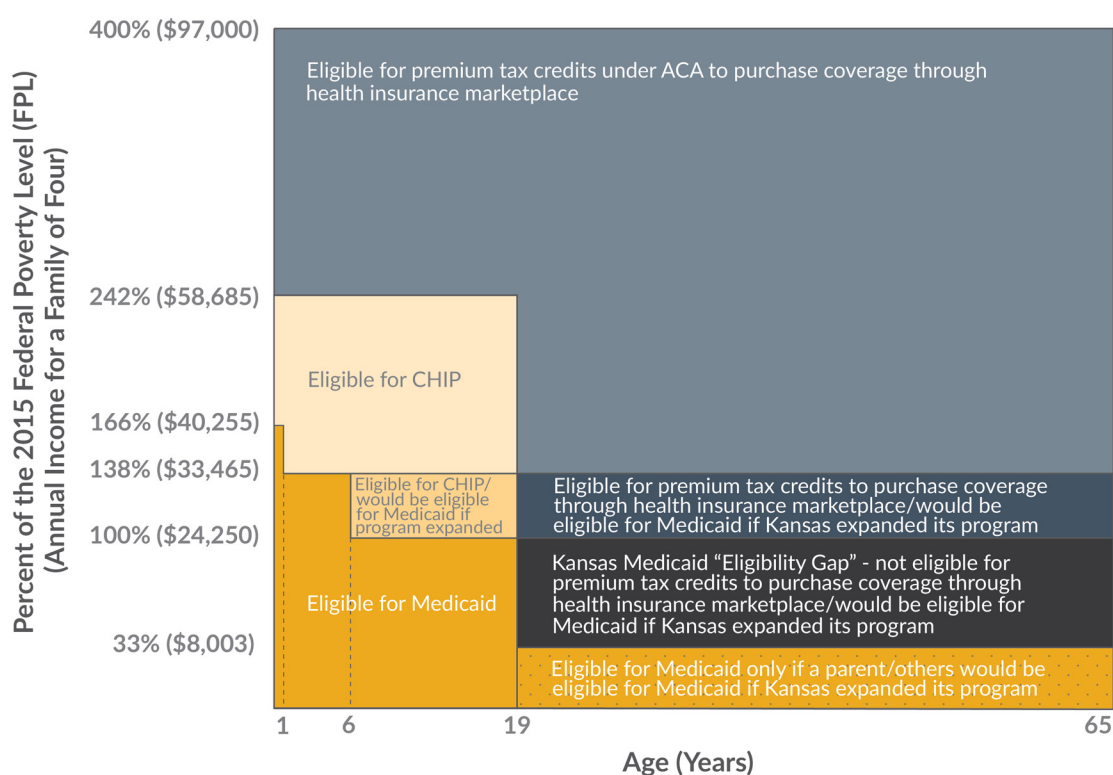
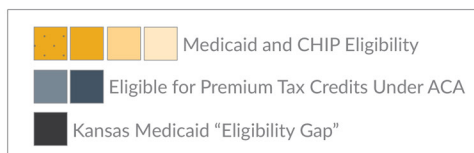


Eligibility for State/Federal Insurance Coverage by Income and Age in Kansas, 2015



Source: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Center for Medicaid & CHIP Services (CMS):
State Medicaid and CHIP Income Eligibility Standards (for MAGI Groups,
based on state decisions as of Oct. 1, 2014.



The graphic shows Kansas income levels for eligibility in Kansas Medicaid or CHIP and depicts eligibility levels for premium tax credit assistance through the marketplaces created by the Affordable Care Act (ACA). This helps illustrate who currently can get help with medical costs through Medicaid—primarily children below 242 percent of the federal poverty level (FPL) and some adults with children below 33 percent of FPL. All adults with incomes between 100 and 400 percent of FPL can get premium tax credit assistance to help purchase health insurance. Kansas' decision not to expand Medicaid means that adults age 19 to 65 with incomes below 100 percent of FPL are too poor to get premium tax credits, but make too much—above 33 percent—to receive Medicaid benefits, and this is called the "eligibility gap".