- Par.1. <u>Material Transmitted and Purpose</u> Transmitted with this Manual Letter are changes to Service Chapter 510-03 Non-ACA Medicaid Eligibility. This manual letter incorporates changes made with the following IM's if the information in the IM continues to be valid.
- Par.2. <u>Effective Date Policy Changes included in this manual letter</u> are effective September 1, 2020. Policy that was incorporated with the IM's is effective based on the date listed in the IM. Items that include a change in policy are indicated in **red**.

Related Programs 510-05-95

1. 510-05-95 Related Programs under ACA Medicaid incorporates the following changes below in Red. All other sections remain unchanged.

Primary Care Provider Program 510-05-95-30

The <u>Department</u> has elected mandatory enrollment of eligible caretaker relatives, poverty level pregnant women, and children 19 (effective 01-01-14) years of age and under, into managed care. The purpose of this mandatory enrollment is to assure adequate access to primary care, improve the quality of care, promote coordination and continuity of health care, reduce costs, and to assist recipients to use the health care system appropriately. The Primary Care Provider Program also establishes co-payments for certain services. Information about the program can be found in <u>Service Chapter 510-06</u> at: http://www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid/managedcare.html.