## .01 Screening MA Referred Applications

Referring agencies screen applications for potential MA eligibility before they send the application to an FAA office. All referring agencies are trained to screen the application and refer only potentially eligible applicants. The referring agency does not determine eligibility for Title XIX MA.

Each referring agency uses a screening form that has been agreed to by FAA, AHCCCS, and the referring agency. The screening form contains information that helps the referring agency decide when potential eligibility exists.

## **EXCEPTION**

<u>Baby Arizona Providers</u> and <u>One-e-App</u> users are not required to complete a screening form. One-e-App users are not required to complete the application screening requirements.

Applications for CA or MA benefits may be referred to the local office by the Division of Children, Youth, and Families (DCYF). The application can be identified as a referred application by the following documentation on the application: LPG, KF, or YATI (See Legal Permanent Guardian, Kinship Foster Care, and Young Adult Transitional Insurance (YATI) DCYF does not complete a screening form.

Referring agencies determine whether the applicant is known to AZTECS before referring an application to FAA.

When the applicant is known to AZTECS, complete the following:

- Determine whether the applicant's case is in an active, inactive, or pending status.
- Refer applications for active or pending cases only when the participant requests benefits for other applicants or programs.
- Refer the applications for inactive cases.

When the applicant is unknown to AZTECS, refer the application to FAA.

The referring agency screens the application for potential MA eligibility. The MA categories include the following:

- <u>1931</u>
- <u>S.O.B.R.A.</u>
- YATI

Applicants listed on a referred application who do not meet citizenship or noncitizen status requirements for full services MA may be eligible for <u>Federal Emergency Services</u> eligibility.