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If the agency provides Medicaid to the categorically needy under §435.212, it may provide it under the same rules to medically needy beneficiaries who are enrolled in MCOs or PCCMs.

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(a) If an agency provides Medicaid to categorically needy only to those aged, blind, or disabled individuals who meet more restrictive requirements than used under SSI and elects to cover the medically needy, it may provide Medicaid as medically needy to those aged, blind, or disabled individuals who:

(1) Do not qualify for Medicaid as categorically needy under §435.121 or §435.230; and

(2) If applying as blind or disabled, meet the definition of blindness or disability established under §435.121.

(b) Except as specified in paragraph (c) of this section, the agency must apply to individuals covered under the option of this section the same financial and nonfinancial requirements that are applied to individuals covered