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DIGEST

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Present law in the context of the hospitals under the supervision of the Louisiana State University in Shreveport, "medically indigent" is defined as any person whose income is below 200% of the federal poverty level and who is uninsured.

Proposed law redefines "medically indigent" as any person whose income is below 138% of the federal poverty level and who is uninsured.

Effective August 1, 2016.

(Amends R.S. 17:1518(A)(2), 1518.1(A)(2) and 1519.1(12))