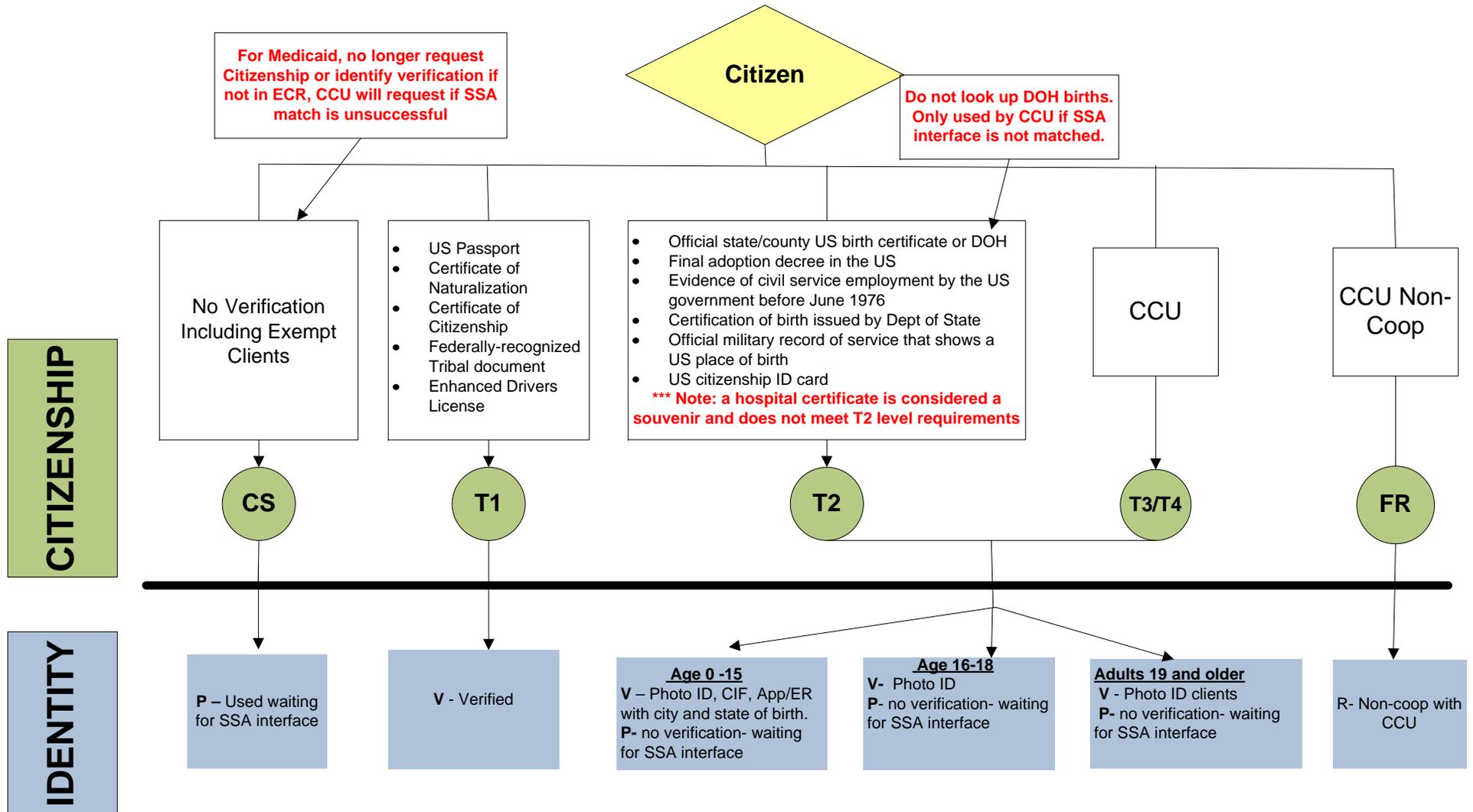# Medicaid Citizenship/Identity
Verification & Coding

The following Medicaid applications/recipients are exempt from the citizenship and identity requirements:

- People who receive Supplemental Security Income (SSI) or who have received SSI in the past.
- People who receive Social Security Disability based on their own disability.
- People who are entitled to or enrolled in Medicare.

- People who are not U.S. citizens or U.S. Nationals, regardless of immigration status.
- Newborn children, born to a mother on Medicaid, and automatically eligible for one year.
- Children receiving Foster Care.

For Medicaid, no longer request Citizenship or identify verification if not in ECR, CCU will request if SSA match is unsuccessful

Citizen

Do not look up DOH births. Only used by CCU if SSA interface is not matched.

CITIZENSHIP

No Verification Including Exempt Clients

- US Passport
- Certificate of Naturalization
- Certificate of Citizenship
- Federally-recognized Tribal document
- Enhanced Drivers License

- Official state/county US birth certificate or DOH
- Final adoption decree in the US
- Evidence of civil service employment by the US government before June 1976
- Certification of birth issued by Dept of State
- Official military record of service that shows a US place of birth
- US citizenship ID card

*** Note: a hospital certificate is considered a souvenir and does not meet T2 level requirements

CCU

CCU Non-Coop

CS | **T1** | **T2** | **T3/T4** | **FR**

IDENTITY

P – Used waiting for SSA interface

V - Verified

Age 0 -15
V – Photo ID, CIF, App/ER with city and state of birth.
P- no verification- waiting for SSA interface

Age 16-18
V- Photo ID
P- no verification- waiting for SSA interface

Adults 19 and older
V - Photo ID clients
P- no verification- waiting for SSA interface

R- Non-coop with CCU

* Citizenship code "EW", "FV" and Identity code "E", "F" are electronically crossmatched and cannot be changed.