

## MEDICAID AND THE CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM (CHIP)

### Premium Assistance Under Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)

If you or your children are eligible for Medicaid or CHIP and you're eligible for health coverage from your employer, your state may have a premium assistance program that can help pay for coverage, using funds from their Medicaid or CHIP programs. If you or your children aren't eligible for Medicaid or CHIP, you won't be eligible for these premium assistance programs but you may be able to buy individual insurance coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplace. For more information, visit [www.healthcare.gov](http://www.healthcare.gov).

If you or your dependents are already enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP and you live in a State listed below, contact your State Medicaid or CHIP office to find out if premium assistance is available. If you or your dependents are NOT currently enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP, and you think you or any of your dependents might be eligible for either of these programs, contact your State Medicaid or CHIP office or dial +1-877-KIDS NOW or [www.insurekidsnow.gov](http://www.insurekidsnow.gov) to find out how to apply. If you qualify, ask your state if it has a program that might help you pay the premiums for an employer-sponsored plan.

If you or your dependents are eligible for premium assistance under Medicaid or CHIP, as well as eligible under your employer plan, your employer must allow you to enroll in your employer plan if you aren't already enrolled. This is called a "special enrollment" opportunity, and you must request coverage within 60 days of being determined eligible for premium assistance. If you have questions about enrolling in your employer plan, contact the Department of Labor at [www.askebsa.dol.gov](http://www.askebsa.dol.gov) or call +1-866-444-EBSA (3272).

**If you live in one of the following states, you may be eligible for assistance paying your employer health plan premiums. The following list of states is current as of July 31, 2019. Contact your State for more information on eligibility.**

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<p><b>ALABAMA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://myalhipp.com/">http://myalhipp.com/</a>            Phone: +1 855 692 5447</p>	<p><b>ALASKA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>The AK Health Insurance Premium Payment Program            Website: <a href="http://myakhipp.com/">http://myakhipp.com/</a>            Phone: +1 866 251 4861            Email: <a href="mailto:CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com">CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com</a>            Medicaid Eligibility:  <a href="http://dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/medicaid/default.aspx">http://dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/medicaid/default.aspx</a></p>
<p><b>ARKANSAS – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://myarhipp.com/">http://myarhipp.com/</a>            Phone: +1 855 MyARHIPP (+1 855 692 7447)</p>	<p><b>COLORADO – Health First Colorado (Colorado’s Medicaid Program) &amp; Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+)</b></p> <p>Health First Colorado Website:  <a href="https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/">https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/</a>            Health First Colorado Member Contact Center:            +1 800 221 3943/State Relay 711            CHP+: <a href="http://www.colorado.gov/pacific/hcpf/child-health-plan-plus">www.colorado.gov/pacific/hcpf/child-health-plan-plus</a>            CHP+ Customer Service: +1 800 359 1991/State Relay 711</p>
<p><b>FLORIDA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://flmedicaidprecovery.com/hipp/">http://flmedicaidprecovery.com/hipp/</a>            Phone: +1 877 357 3268</p>	<p><b>GEORGIA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp">https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp</a>            Phone: +1 678 564 1162 ext 2131</p>
<p><b>INDIANA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Healthy Indiana Plan for low-income adults 19-64            Website: <a href="http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/">http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/</a>            Phone: +1 877 438 4479            All other Medicaid            Website: <a href="http://www.indianamedicaid.com">http://www.indianamedicaid.com</a>            Phone: +1 800 403 0864</p>	<p><b>IOWA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://dhs.iowa.gov/Hawki">http://dhs.iowa.gov/Hawki</a>            Phone: +1 800 257 8563</p>
<p><b>KANSAS – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.kdheks.gov/hcf/">http://www.kdheks.gov/hcf/</a>            Phone: +1 785 296 3512</p>	<p><b>KENTUCKY – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="https://chfs.ky.gov">https://chfs.ky.gov</a>            Phone: +1 800 635 2570</p>
<p><b>LOUISIANA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://dhh.louisiana.gov/index.cfm/subhome/1/n/331">http://dhh.louisiana.gov/index.cfm/subhome/1/n/331</a>            Phone: +1 888 695 2447</p>	<p><b>MAINE – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/public-assistance/index.html">http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/public-assistance/index.html</a>            Phone: +1 800 442 6003            TTY: Maine relay 711</p>
<p><b>MASSACHUSETTS – Medicaid and CHIP</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/masshealth/">http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/masshealth/</a>            Phone: +1 800 862 4840</p>	<p><b>MINNESOTA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website:  <a href="https://mn.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/seniors/health-care/health-care-programs/programs-and-services/other-insurance.jsp">https://mn.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/seniors/health-care/health-care-programs/programs-and-services/other-insurance.jsp</a>            Phone: +1 800 657 3739</p>
<p><b>MISSOURI – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm">http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm</a>            Phone: +1 573 751 2005</p>	<p><b>MONTANA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HIPP">http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HIPP</a>            Phone: +1 800 694 3084</p>
<p><b>NEBRASKA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov">http://www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov</a>            Phone: +1 855 632 7633            Lincoln: +1 402 473 7000            Omaha: +1 402 595 1178</p>	<p><b>NEVADA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Medicaid Website: <a href="https://dhcfp.nv.gov">https://dhcfp.nv.gov</a>            Medicaid Phone: +1 800 992 0900</p>

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<p><b>NEW HAMPSHIRE – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/oii/hipp.htm">https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/oii/hipp.htm</a>            Phone: +1 603 271 5218            Toll free number for the HIPP program: +1 800 852 3345, ext 5218</p>	<p><b>NEW JERSEY – Medicaid and CHIP</b></p> <p>Medicaid Website: <a href="http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmahs/clients/medicaid/">http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmahs/clients/medicaid/</a>            Medicaid Phone: +1 609 631 2392            CHIP Website: <a href="http://www.njfamilycare.org/index.html">http://www.njfamilycare.org/index.html</a>            CHIP Phone: +1 800 701 0710</p>
<p><b>NEW YORK – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/">https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/</a>            Phone: +1 800 541 2831</p>	<p><b>NORTH CAROLINA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/">https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/</a>            Phone: +1 919 855 4100</p>
<p><b>NORTH DAKOTA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid/">http://www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid/</a>            Phone: +1 844 854 4825</p>	<p><b>OKLAHOMA – Medicaid and CHIP</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.insureoklahoma.org">http://www.insureoklahoma.org</a>            Phone: +1 888 365 3742</p>
<p><b>OREGON – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://healthcare.oregon.gov/Pages/index.aspx">http://healthcare.oregon.gov/Pages/index.aspx</a>  <a href="http://www.oregonhealthcare.gov/index-es.html">http://www.oregonhealthcare.gov/index-es.html</a>            Phone: +1 800 699 9075</p>	<p><b>PENNSYLVANIA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.dhs.pa.gov/provider/medicalassistance/healthinsurancepremiumpaymenthippprogram/index.htm">http://www.dhs.pa.gov/provider/medicalassistance/healthinsurancepremiumpaymenthippprogram/index.htm</a>            Phone: +1 800 692 7462</p>
<p><b>RHODE ISLAND – Medicaid and CHIP</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/">http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/</a>            Phone: +1 855 697 4347, or +1 401 462 0311 (Direct Rlte Share Line)</p>	<p><b>SOUTH CAROLINA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="https://www.scdhhs.gov">https://www.scdhhs.gov</a>            Phone: +1 888 549 0820</p>
<p><b>SOUTH DAKOTA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://dss.sd.gov">http://dss.sd.gov</a>            Phone: +1 888 828 0059</p>	<p><b>TEXAS – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://gethiptexas.com/">http://gethiptexas.com/</a>            Phone: +1 800 440 0493</p>
<p><b>UTAH – Medicaid and CHIP</b></p> <p>Medicaid Website: <a href="https://medicaid.utah.gov/">https://medicaid.utah.gov/</a>            CHIP Website: <a href="http://health.utah.gov/chip">http://health.utah.gov/chip</a>            Phone: +1 877 543 7669</p>	<p><b>VERMONT – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.greenmountaincare.org/">http://www.greenmountaincare.org/</a>            Phone: +1 800 250 8427</p>
<p><b>VIRGINIA – Medicaid and CHIP</b></p> <p>Medicaid Website: <a href="http://www.coverva.org/programs_premium_assistance.cfm">http://www.coverva.org/programs_premium_assistance.cfm</a>            Medicaid Phone: +1 800 432 5924            CHIP Website: <a href="http://www.coverva.org/programs_premium_assistance.cfm">http://www.coverva.org/programs_premium_assistance.cfm</a>            CHIP Phone: +1 855 242 8282</p>	<p><b>WASHINGTON – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="https://www.hca.wa.gov/">https://www.hca.wa.gov/</a>            Phone: +1 800 562 3022 ext. 15473</p>
<p><b>WEST VIRGINIA – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="http://mywvhipp.com/">http://mywvhipp.com/</a>            Toll-free phone: +1 855 MyWVHIPP (+1 855 699 8447)</p>	<p><b>WISCONSIN – Medicaid and CHIP</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/publications/p1/p10095.pdf">https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/publications/p1/p10095.pdf</a>            Phone: +1 800 362 3002</p>
<p><b>WYOMING – Medicaid</b></p> <p>Website: <a href="https://wyequalitycare.acs-inc.com/">https://wyequalitycare.acs-inc.com/</a>            Phone: +1 307 777 7531</p>	

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To see if any other states have added a premium assistance program since July 31, 2019, or for more information on special enrollment rights, contact either:

**U.S. Department of Labor**  
Employee Benefits Security Administration  
[www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa](http://www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa)  
+1 866 444 EBSA (3272)

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services**  
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services  
[www.cms.hhs.gov](http://www.cms.hhs.gov)  
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