

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.

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 **877.KIDS.NOW** or 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 or call **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, 2023. Contact your state for more information on eligibility.

ALABAMA – Medicaid http://myalhipp.com 855.692.5447	IOWA – Medicaid and CHIP (Hawki) Medicaid: https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members 800.338.8366 Hawki: http://dhs.iowa.gov/Hawki 800.257.8563 HIPP: https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hipp 888.346.9562
ALASKA – Medicaid The AK Health Insurance Premium Payment Program http://myakhipp.com/ 866.251.4861 CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com Medicaid Eligibility: https://health.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/default.aspx	KANSAS – Medicaid https://www.kancare.ks.gov/ 800.792.4884 HIPP Phone: 800.967.4660
ARKANSAS – Medicaid http://myarhipp.com 855.MyARHIPP (855.692.7447)	KENTUCKY – Medicaid Kentucky Integrated Health Insurance Premium Payment Program (KI-HIPP): https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms/member/Pages/kihipp.aspx 855.459.6328 KIHIPP.PROGRAM@ky.gov KCHIP: https://kidshealth.ky.gov/Pages/index.aspx 877.524.4718 Medicaid: https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms
CALIFORNIA – Medicaid Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program http://dhcs.ca.gov/hipp 916.445.8322 Fax: 916.440.5676 Email: hipp@dhcs.ca.gov	LOUISIANA – Medicaid www.medicaid.la.gov or www.ldh.la.gov/lahipp 888.342.6207 (Medicaid hotline) or 855.618.5488 (LaHIPP)
COLORADO – Medicaid and CHIP Health First Colorado (Colorado's Medicaid Program) https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com Member Contact Center: 800.221.3943 State Relay 711 Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+) https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/hcpf/child-health-plan-plus Customer Service: 800.359.1991 State Relay 711 Health Insurance Buy-In Program (HIBI) https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/hcpf/health-insurance-buy-program HIBI Customer Service: 855.692.6442	MAINE – Medicaid Enrollment: https://www.mymaineconnection.gov/benefits/s/?language=en_US 800.442.6003 TTY: Maine relay 711 Private Health Insurance Premium: https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/applications-forms 800.977.6740 TTY: Maine relay 711
FLORIDA – Medicaid www.flmedicaidplrecovery.com / http://www.flmedicaidplrecovery.com/hipp/index.html 877.357.3268	MASSACHUSETTS – Medicaid and CHIP https://www.mass.gov/masshealth/pa 800.862.4840 TTY: 711 Email: masspremessaging@accenture.com
GEORGIA – Medicaid GA HIPP Website: https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp 678.564.1162, Press 1 GA CHIPRA Website: https://medicaid.georgia.gov/programs/third-party-liability/childrens-health-insurance-program-reauthorization-act-2009-chipra 678.564.1162, Press 2	MINNESOTA – Medicaid https://mn.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/children-and-families/health-care/health-care-programs/programs-and-services/other-insurance.jsp 800.657.3739
INDIANA – Medicaid Healthy Indiana Plan for low-income adults 19-64 http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/ 877.438.4479 All other Medicaid https://www.in.gov/medicaid/ 800.457.4584	MISSOURI – Medicaid http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm 573.751.2005
	MONTANA – Medicaid http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HIPP 800.694.3084 Email: HHSHIPPPProgram@mt.gov
	NEBRASKA – Medicaid http://www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov Phone: 855.632.7633 Lincoln: 402.473.7000 Omaha: 402.595.1178

NEVADA – Medicaid http://dhcfp.nv.gov 800.992.0900	SOUTH CAROLINA – Medicaid http://www.scdhhs.gov 888.549.0820
NEW HAMPSHIRE – Medicaid https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/medicaid/ health-insurance-premium-program 603.271.5218 Toll free number for the HIPP program: 800.852.3345, ext. 5218	SOUTH DAKOTA – Medicaid http://dss.sd.gov 888.828.0059
NEW JERSEY – Medicaid and CHIP Medicaid: http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmhs/clients/medicaid 609.631.2392 CHIP: http://www.njfamilycare.org/index.html 800.701.0710	TEXAS – Medicaid http://gethipptexas.com 800.440.0493
NEW YORK – Medicaid https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/ 800.541.2831	UTAH – Medicaid and CHIP Medicaid: https://medicaid.utah.gov CHIP: http://health.utah.gov/chip 877.543.7669
NORTH CAROLINA – Medicaid https://dma.ncdhhs.gov 919.855.4100	VERMONT – Medicaid Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program Department of Vermont Health Access 800.250.8427
NORTH DAKOTA – Medicaid https://www.hhs.nd.gov/healthcare 844.854.4825	VIRGINIA – Medicaid and CHIP https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premium-assistance/famis-select https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premium-assistance/ health-insurance-premium-payment-hipp-programs Medicaid and Chip: 800.432.5924
OKLAHOMA – Medicaid and CHIP http://www.insureoklahoma.org 888.365.3742	WASHINGTON – Medicaid https://www.hca.wa.gov/ 800.562.3022
OREGON – Medicaid http://healthcare.oregon.gov/Pages/index.aspx 800.699.9075	WEST VIRGINIA – Medicaid https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/ or http://mywvhipp.com/ Medicaid: 304.558.1700 CHIP Toll-free: 855.MyWVHIPP (855.699.8447)
PENNSYLVANIA – Medicaid and CHIP https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Assistance/Pages/HIPP-Program.aspx 800.692.7462 CHIP Website: https://www.dhs.pa.gov/CHIP/Pages/CHIP.aspx CHIP Phone: 800.986.KIDS (5437)	WISCONSIN – Medicaid and CHIP https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/badgercareplus/p-10095.htm 800.362.3002
RHODE ISLAND – Medicaid and CHIP http://www.eohhs.ri.gov 855.697.4347 or 401.462.0311 (Direct Rite Share Line)	WYOMING – Medicaid https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/programs-and-eligibility/ 800.251.1269

To see if any other states have added a premium assistance program since July 31, 2023, or for more information on special enrollment rights, contact either:

U.S. Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration
www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa
866.444.EBSA (3272)

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
www.cms.hhs.gov
877.267.2323, Menu Option 4, Ext. 61565

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