# 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 1-877-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 employersponsored 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 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 January 31, 2023. Contact your State for more information on eligibility -

# ALABAMA - Medicaid

WEBSITE http://myalhipp.com/ 1-855-692-5447

#### ALASKA - Medicaid

The AK Health Insurance Premium Payment Program

http://myakhipp.com/ WEBSITE PHONE 1-866-251-4861

EMAIL CustomerService@MvAKHIPP.com

MEDICAID https://health.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/default.aspx

#### ARKANSAS - Medicaid

WERSITE http://myarhipp.com/

1-855-MyARHIPP (855-692-7447) PHONE

#### **CALIFORNIA** - Medicaid

Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program

WEBSITE http://dhcs.ca.gov/hipp

PHONE 916-445-8322 / (fax) 916-440-5676

hipp@dhcs.ca.gov

# COLORADO - Health First Colorado (Colorado's Medicaid Program) & Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+)

Health First Colorado Website: WEBSITE

https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/

Health First Colorado Member Contact Center: PHONE

1-800-221-3943 / State Relay 711

CHP+ WEBSITE https://hcpf.colorado.gov/child-health-plan-plus CHP+ PHONE Customer Service: 1-800-359-1991 / State Relay 711

WEBSITE Health Insurance Buy-In Program (HIBI):

https://www.mycohibi.com/

PHONE HIBI Customer Service: 1-855-692-6442

# FLORIDA - Medicaid

https://www.flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/hipp/ WEBSITE

index.html

1-877-357-3268 PHONE

#### **GEORGIA - Medicaid**

GA HIPP https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-

program-hipp

PHONE 678-564-1162, Press 1

GA CHIPRA https://medicaid.georgia.gov/programs/third-party-liability/childrens-WEBSITE

health-insurance-program-reauthorization-act-2009-chipra

678-564-1162. Press 2 PHONE

#### INDIANA - Medicaid

Healthy Indiana Plan for low-income adults 19-64

http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/ WEBSITE

1-877-438-4479 PHONE

All other Medicaid

https://www.in.gov/medicaid/ WEBSITE

1-800-457-4584 PHONE

### IOWA - Medicaid and CHIP (Hawki)

MEDICAID https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members

WEBSITE MEDICAID

1-800-338-8366

HAWKI WEBSITE http://dhs.iowa.gov/Hawki

HAWKI PHONE 1-800-257-8563

HIPP WEBSITE https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hipp

1-888-346-9562 HIPP PHONE

#### KANSAS - Medicaid

https://www.kancare.ks.gov/ WEBSITE

1-800-792-4884 PHONE 1-800-766-9012

# **KENTUCKY - Medicaid**

Kentucky Integrated Health Insurance Premium Payment (KI-HIPP) Program

https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms/member/Pages/kihipp.aspx

1-855-459-6328 PHONE KIHIPP.PROGRAM@ky.gov **EMAIL** 

KCHIP WEBSITE https://kidshealth.ky.gov/Pages/index.aspx

1-877-524-4718 KCHIP PHONE MEDICAID https://chfs.ky.gov

# LOUISIANA - Medicaid

www.medicaid.la.gov or www.ldh.la.gov/lahipp WERSITE

PHONE 1-888-342-6207 (Medicaid hotline) or 1-855-618-5488 (LaHIPP)

# MAINE - Medicaid

ENROLLMENT https://www.mymaineconnection.gov/benefits/s/?language=en\_US

1-800-442-6003 TTY: Maine relay 711 PHONE Private Health Insurance Premium WEBSITE

https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/applications-forms

1-800-977-6740 TTY: Maine relay 711 PHONE

#### **MASSACHUSETTS - Medicaid and CHIP**

https://www.mass.gov/masshealth/pa 1-800-862-4840 TTY: 617-886-8102 PHONE

#### MINNESOTA - Medicaid

https://mn.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/children-and-families/health-care/ WEBSITE

health-care-programs/programs-and-services/other-insurance.jsp

PHONE 1-800-657-3739

#### MISSOURI - Medicaid

WEBSITE http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm

PHONE 573-751-2005

#### **MONTANA** - Medicaid

WEBSITE http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HIPP

PHONE 1-800-694-3084

EMAIL HHSHIPPProgram@mt.gov

#### **NEBRASKA** - Medicaid

WEBSITE http://www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov

PHONE 1-855-632-7633 Lincoln: 402-473-7000

Omaha: 402-595-1178

# MEDICAID http://dlb.ofc.nu.g

MEDICAID WEBSITE http://dhcfp.nv.gov
MEDICAID PHONE 1-800-992-0900

#### **NEW HAMPSHIRE - Medicaid**

WEBSITE https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/medicaid/health-

insurance-premium-program

PHONE 603-271-5218

TOLL FREE FOR 1-800-852-3345, ext 5218

HIPP PROGRAM

#### **NEW JERSEY - Medicaid and CHIP**

MEDICAID WEBSITE http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmahs/clients/medicaid/

MEDICAID 609-631-2392

CHIP WEBSITE http://www.njfamilycare.org/index.html

CHIP PHONE 1-800-701-0710

#### **NEW YORK - Medicaid**

WEBSITE https://www.health.ny.gov/health\_care/medicaid/

PHONE 1-800-541-2831

## NORTH CAROLINA - Medicaid

WEBSITE https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/

PHONE 919-855-4100

#### NORTH DAKOTA - Medicaid

WEBSITE http://www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid/

PHONE 1-844-854-4825

# **OKLAHOMA – Medicaid and CHIP**

WEBSITE http://www.insureoklahoma.org

PHONE 1-888-365-3742

# OREGON - Medicaid

WEBSITE http://healthcare.oregon.gov/Pages/index.aspx

http://www.oregonhealthcare.gov/index-es.html

PHONE 1-800-699-9075

#### PENNSYLVANIA - Medicaid

WEBSITE https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Assistance/Pages/HIPP-Program.aspx

PHONE 1-800-692-7462

CHIP WEBSITE https://www.dhs.pa.gov/CHIP/Pages/CHIP.aspx

CHIP PHONE 1-800-986-KIDS (5437)

# RHODE ISLAND - Medicaid and CHIP

WEBSITE http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/

PHONE 1-855-697-4347, or 401-462-0311 (Direct Rite Share Line)

# SOUTH CAROLINA - Medicaid

WEBSITE https://www.scdhhs.gov PHONE 1-888-549-0820

#### **SOUTH DAKOTA - Medicaid**

WEBSITE http://dss.sd.gov PHONE 1-888-828-0059

#### **TEXAS - Medicaid**

WEBSITE http://gethipptexas.com/ PHONE 1-800-440-0493

#### UTAH - Medicaid and CHIP

MEDICAID website https://medicaid.utah.gov/
CHIP WEBSITE http://health.utah.gov/chip
PHONE 1-877-543-7669

#### **VERMONT- Medicaid**

WEBSITE https://dvha.vermont.gov/members/medicaid/hipp-program

PHONE 1-800-250-8427

#### VIRGINIA - Medicaid and CHIP

https://www.coverva.org/en/famis-select https://www.coverva.org/en/hipp

MEDICAID AND 1-800-432-5924

#### WASHINGTON - Medicaid

WEBSITE https://www.hca.wa.gov/ PHONE 1-800-562-3022

#### WEST VIRGINIA - Medicaid and CHIP

website http://dhhr.wv.gov/bms http://mywvhipp.com

MEDICAID 304-558-1700 PHONE

CHIP TOLL-FREE 1-855-MyWVHIPP (1-855-699-8447)

# WISCONSIN - Medicaid and CHIP

WEBSITE https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/badgercareplus/p-10095.htm

PHONE 1-800-362-3002

#### WYOMING - Medicaid

WEBSITE https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/programs-and-eligibility/

PHONE 1-800-251-1269

To see if any other states have added a premium assistance program since January 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

1-866-444-EBSA (3272)

and Human Services Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services www.cms.hhs.gov

U.S. Department of Health

1-877-267-2323, Menu Option 4,

Ext. 61565

#### **Paperwork Reduction Act Statement**

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13) (PRA), no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless such collection displays a valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. The Department notes that a Federal agency cannot conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it is approved by OMB under the PRA, and displays a currently valid OMB control number, and the public is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. See 44 U.S.C. 3507. Also, notwithstanding any other provisions of law, no person shall be subject to penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information if the collection of information does not display a currently valid OMB control number. See 44 U.S.C. 3512.

The public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average approximately seven minutes per respondent. Interested parties are encouraged to send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration, Office of Policy and Research, Attention: PRA Clearance Officer, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room N-5718, Washington, DC 20210 or email ebsa.opr@dol.gov and reference the OMB Control Number 1210-0137.