## 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 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 **1-866-444-EBSA (3272)**.

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**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, 2024. Contact your State for more information on eligibility –**

| ALABAMA – Medicaid | ALASKA – Medicaid |
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| Website: http://myalhipp.com/<br>Phone: 1-855-692-5447 | The AK Health Insurance Premium Payment Program<br>Website: http://myakhipp.com/<br>Phone: 1-866-251-4861<br>Email: CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com<br>Medicaid Eligibility:<br>https://health.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/default.aspx |
| **ARKANSAS – Medicaid** | **CALIFORNIA – Medicaid** |
| Website: http://myarhipp.com/<br>Phone: 1-855-MyARHIPP (855-692-7447) | Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program<br>Website:<br>http://dhcs.ca.gov/hipp<br>Phone: 916-445-8322<br>Fax: 916-440-5676<br>Email: hipp@dhcs.ca.gov |
| **COLORADO – Health First Colorado (Colorado's Medicaid Program) & Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+)** | **FLORIDA – Medicaid** |
| Health First Colorado Website:<br>https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/<br>Health First Colorado Member Contact Center:<br>1-800-221-3943/State Relay 711<br>CHP+: https://hcpf.colorado.gov/child-health-plan-plus<br>CHP+ Customer Service: 1-800-359-1991/State Relay 711<br>Health Insurance Buy-In Program (HIBI):<br>https://www.mycohibi.com/<br>HIBI Customer Service: 1-855-692-6442 | Website:<br>https://www.flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/hipp/index.html<br>Phone: 1-877-357-3268 |

| GEORGIA – Medicaid | INDIANA – Medicaid |
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| GA HIPP Website: https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp<br>Phone: 678-564-1162, Press 1<br>GA CHIPRA Website:<br>https://medicaid.georgia.gov/programs/third-party-liability/childrens-health-insurance-program-reauthorization-act-2009-chipra<br>Phone: 678-564-1162, Press 2 | Healthy Indiana Plan for low-income adults 19-64<br>Website: http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/<br>Phone: 1-877-438-4479<br>All other Medicaid<br>Website: https://www.in.gov/medicaid/<br>Phone: 1-800-457-4584 |
| **IOWA – Medicaid and CHIP (Hawki)** | **KANSAS – Medicaid** |
| Medicaid Website:<br>https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members<br>Medicaid Phone: 1-800-338-8366<br>Hawki Website:<br>http://dhs.iowa.gov/Hawki<br>Hawki Phone: 1-800-257-8563<br>HIPP Website: https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hipp<br>HIPP Phone: 1-888-346-9562 | Website: https://www.kancare.ks.gov/<br>Phone: 1-800-792-4884<br>HIPP Phone: 1-800-967-4660 |
| **KENTUCKY – Medicaid** | **LOUISIANA – Medicaid** |
| Kentucky Integrated Health Insurance Premium Payment Program (KI-HIPP) Website:<br>https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms/member/Pages/kihipp.aspx<br>Phone: 1-855-459-6328<br>Email: KIHIPP.PROGRAM@ky.gov<br>KCHIP Website: https://kynect.ky.gov<br>Phone: 1-877-524-4718<br>Kentucky Medicaid Website:<br>https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms | Website: www.medicaid.la.gov or www.ldh.la.gov/lahipp<br>Phone: 1-888-342-6207 (Medicaid hotline) or<br>1-855-618-5488 (LaHIPP) |
| **MAINE – Medicaid** | **MASSACHUSETTS – Medicaid and CHIP** |
| Enrollment Website:<br>https://www.mymaineconnection.gov/benefits/s/?language=en_US<br>Phone: 1-800-442-6003<br>TTY: Maine relay 711<br>Private Health Insurance Premium Webpage:<br>https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/applications-forms<br>Phone: 1-800-977-6740<br>TTY: Maine relay 711 | Website: https://www.mass.gov/masshealth/pa<br>Phone: 1-800-862-4840<br>TTY: 711<br>Email: masspremassistance@accenture.com |
| **MINNESOTA – Medicaid** | **MISSOURI – Medicaid** |
| Website:<br>https://mn.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/children-and-families/health-care/health-care-programs/programs-and-services/other-insurance.jsp<br>Phone: 1-800-657-3739 | Website:<br>http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm<br>Phone: 573-751-2005 |
| **MONTANA – Medicaid** | **NEBRASKA – Medicaid** |
| Website:<br>http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HIPP<br>Phone: 1-800-694-3084<br>Email: HHSHIPPProgram@mt.gov | Website: http://www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov<br>Phone: 1-855-632-7633<br>Lincoln: 402-473-7000<br>Omaha: 402-595-1178 |

| NEVADA – Medicaid | NEW HAMPSHIRE – Medicaid |
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| Medicaid Website: http://dhcfp.nv.gov<br>Medicaid Phone: 1-800-992-0900 | Website: https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/medicaid/health-insurance-premium-program<br>Phone: 603-271-5218<br>Toll free number for the HIPP program: 1-800-852-3345, ext. 5218 |
| **NEW JERSEY – Medicaid and CHIP** | **NEW YORK – Medicaid** |
| Medicaid Website:<br>http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmahs/clients/medicaid/<br>Medicaid Phone: 609-631-2392<br>CHIP Website: http://www.njfamilycare.org/index.html<br>CHIP Phone: 1-800-701-0710 | Website: https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/<br>Phone: 1-800-541-2831 |
| **NORTH CAROLINA – Medicaid** | **NORTH DAKOTA – Medicaid** |
| Website: https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/<br>Phone: 919-855-4100 | Website: https://www.hhs.nd.gov/healthcare<br>Phone: 1-844-854-4825 |
| **OKLAHOMA – Medicaid and CHIP** | **OREGON – Medicaid and CHIP** |
| Website: http://www.insureoklahoma.org<br>Phone: 1-888-365-3742 | Website: http://healthcare.oregon.gov/Pages/index.aspx<br>Phone: 1-800-699-9075 |
| **PENNSYLVANIA – Medicaid and CHIP** | **RHODE ISLAND – Medicaid and CHIP** |
| Website:<br>https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Assistance/Pages/HIPP-Program.aspx<br>Phone: 1-800-692-7462<br>CHIP Website: Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) (pa.gov)<br>CHIP Phone: 1-800-986-KIDS (5437) | Website: http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/<br>Phone: 1-855-697-4347, or<br>401-462-0311 (Direct RIte Share Line) |
| **SOUTH CAROLINA – Medicaid** | **SOUTH DAKOTA - Medicaid** |
| Website: https://www.scdhhs.gov<br>Phone: 1-888-549-0820 | Website: http://dss.sd.gov<br>Phone: 1-888-828-0059 |
| **TEXAS – Medicaid** | **UTAH – Medicaid and CHIP** |
| Website: Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program \| Texas Health and Human Services<br>Phone: 1-800-440-0493 | Medicaid Website: https://medicaid.utah.gov/<br>CHIP Website: http://health.utah.gov/chip<br>Phone: 1-877-543-7669 |
| **VERMONT– Medicaid** | **VIRGINIA – Medicaid and CHIP** |
| Website: Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program \| Department of Vermont Health Access<br>Phone: 1-800-250-8427 | Website: https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premium-assistance/famis-select<br>https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premium-assistance/health-insurance-premium-payment-hipp-programs<br>Medicaid/CHIP Phone: 1-800-432-5924 |
| **WASHINGTON – Medicaid** | **WEST VIRGINIA – Medicaid and CHIP** |
| Website: https://www.hca.wa.gov/<br>Phone: 1-800-562-3022 | Website: https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/<br>http://mywvhipp.com/<br>Medicaid Phone: 304-558-1700<br>CHIP Toll-free phone: 1-855-MyWVHIPP (1-855-699-8447) |

| WISCONSIN – Medicaid and CHIP | WYOMING – Medicaid |
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| Website:<br>https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/badgercareplus/p-10095.htm<br>Phone: 1-800-362-3002 | Website:<br>https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/programs-and-eligibility/<br>Phone: 1-800-251-1269 |

To see if any other states have added a premium assistance program since January 31, 2024, 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)

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
**www.cms.hhs.gov**
1-877-267-2323, Menu Option 4, Ext. 61565

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