## 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).

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, 2018. Contact your State for more information on eligibility –

ALABAMA – Medicaid	FLORIDA – Medicaid
Website: <u>http://myalhipp.com/</u>	Website: <u>http://flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/hipp/</u>
Phone: 1-855-692-5447	Phone: 1-877-357-3268
ALASKA – Medicaid	GEORGIA – Medicaid
The AK Health Insurance Premium Payment Program Website: <u>http://myakhipp.com/</u> Phone: 1-866-251-4861 Email: <u>CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com</u> Medicaid Eligibility: <u>http://dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/medicaid/default.asp</u> <u>x</u>	Website: <u>http://dch.georgia.gov/medicaid</u> - Click on Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Phone: 404-656-4507
ARKANSAS – Medicaid	INDIANA – Medicaid
Website: http://myarhipp.com/ Phone: 1-855-MyARHIPP (855-692-7447)	Healthy Indiana Plan for low-income adults 19-64 Website: <u>http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/</u> Phone: 1-877-438-4479 All other Medicaid Website: <u>http://www.indianamedicaid.com</u> Phone 1-800-403-0864
COLORADO – Health First Colorado (Colorado's Medicaid Program) & Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+)	IOWA – Medicaid
Health First Colorado Website: https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/	Website:
Health First Colorado Member Contact Center:	<u>http://dhs.iowa.gov/hawk-i</u> Phone: 1-800-257-8563
1-800-221-3943/ State Relay 711 CHP+: Colorado.gov/HCPF/Child-Health-Plan-Plus CHP+ Customer Service: 1-800-359-1991/ State Relay 711	

KANSAS – Medicaid	NEW HAMPSHIRE – Medicaid
Website: <u>http://www.kdheks.gov/hcf/</u>	Website: https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/ombp/nhhpp/
Phone: 1-785-296-3512	Phone: 603-271-5218
	Hotline: NH Medicaid Service Center at 1-888-901-
	4999
KENTUCKY – Medicaid	NEW JERSEY – Medicaid and CHIP
Website: <u>https://chfs.ky.gov</u>	Medicaid Website:
Phone: 1-800-635-2570	http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/
	dmahs/clients/medicaid/
	Medicaid Phone: 609-631-2392 CHIP Website:
	http://www.njfamilycare.org/index.html
	CHIP Phone: 1-800-701-0710
LOUISIANA – Medicaid	NEW YORK – Medicaid
Website:	Website:
http://dhh.louisiana.gov/index.cfm/subhome/1/n/331	https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/
Phone: 1-888-695-2447	Phone: 1-800-541-2831
MAINE – Medicaid	NORTH CAROLINA – Medicaid
Website: http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/public-	Website: https://dma.ncdhhs.gov/
assistance/index.html	Phone: 919-855-4100
Phone: 1-800-442-6003	
TTY: Maine relay 711	
MASSACHUSETTS – Medicaid and CHIP	NORTH DAKOTA – Medicaid
Website:	Website:
http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/masshe	http://www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid
alth/	/
Phone: 1-800-862-4840	Phone: 1-844-854-4825
<b>MINNESOTA – Medicaid</b>	OKLAHOMA – Medicaid and CHIP
Website:	Website: http://www.insureoklahoma.org
https://mn.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/seniors/health-	Phone: 1-888-365-3742
<u>care/health-care-programs/programs-and-</u>	
services/other-insurance.jsp	
Phone: 1-800-657-3739	
MISSOURI – Medicaid	OREGON – Medicaid
Website:	Website:
http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.	http://healthcare.oregon.gov/Pages/index.aspx
<u>htm</u> Phone: 573-751-2005	http://www.oregonhealthcare.gov/index-es.html Phone: 1-800-699-9075
MONTANA – Medicaid	PENNSYLVANIA – Medicaid
Website: http://dobbs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HL	Website: http://www.dhs.pa.gov/provider/medicalassistance/he
http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HI PP	<u>althinsurancepremiumpaymenthippprogram/index.ht</u>
Phone: 1-800-694-3084	m
	Phone: 1-800-692-7462
NEBRASKA – Medicaid	RHODE ISLAND – Medicaid
Website: http://www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov	Website: http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/
Phone: (855) 632-7633	Phone: 855-697-4347
Lincoln: (402) 473-7000	
Omaha: (402) 595-1178	
NEVADA – Medicaid	SOUTH CAROLINA – Medicaid
Medicaid Website: <u>http://dhcfp.nv.gov</u>	Website: https://www.scdhhs.gov
Medicaid Phone: 1-800-992-0900	Phone: 1-888-549-0820

SOUTH DAKOTA - Medicaid	WASHINGTON – Medicaid
Website: http://dss.sd.gov	Website: <u>http://www.hca.wa.gov/free-or-low-cost-</u>
Phone: 1-888-828-0059	health-care/program-administration/premium-payment-
	<u>program</u>
	Phone: 1-800-562-3022 ext. 15473
<b>TEXAS – Medicaid</b>	WEST VIRGINIA – Medicaid
Website: <u>http://gethipptexas.com/</u>	Website: <u>http://mywvhipp.com</u> /
Phone: 1-800-440-0493	Toll-free phone: 1-855-MyWVHIPP (1-855-699-8447)
UTAH – Medicaid and CHIP	WISCONSIN – Medicaid and CHIP
Medicaid Website: <u>https://medicaid.utah.gov/</u>	Website:
CHIP Website: <u>http://health.utah.gov/chip</u>	https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/publications/p1/p10095.p
Phone: 1-877-543-7669	df
	Phone: 1-800-362-3002
VERMONT– Medicaid	WYOMING – Medicaid
Website: http://www.greenmountaincare.org/	Website: <u>https://wyequalitycare.acs-inc.com/</u>
Phone: 1-800-250-8427	Phone: 307-777-7531
VIRGINIA – Medicaid and CHIP	
Medicaid Website:	
http://www.coverva.org/programs_premium_assistance.	
<u>cfm</u>	
Medicaid Phone: 1-800-432-5924	
CHIP Website:	
http://www.coverva.org/programs premium assistance.	
<u>cfm</u>	
CHIP Phone: 1-855-242-8282	

To see if any other states have added a premium assistance program since July 31, 2018, or for more information on special enrollment rights, contact either:

U.S. Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa 1-866-444-EBSA (3272)

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

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