

CHIP NOTICE

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 Abilene Christian University, 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 on the following page, 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, dial **1-877-KIDS NOW**, or visit 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, 2024. Contact your State for more information on eligibility.

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

State	Website/E-mail	Phone
Alabama (Medicaid)	http://www.myalhipp.com/	1-855-692-5447
Alaska (Medicaid)	Premium Payment Program: http://myakhipp.com/ Medicaid Eligibility: https://health.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/default.aspx E-mail: CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com	1-866-251-4861
Arkansas (Medicaid)	http://myarhipp.com/	1-855-692-7447
California (Medicaid)	http://dhcs.ca.gov/hipp Email: hipp@dhcs.ca.gov	916-445-8322 916-440-5676 (fax)
Colorado (Medicaid and CHIP)	Medicaid: https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/ CHIP: https://hcpf.colorado.gov/child-health-plan-plus HIBI: https://www.mycohibi.com/	1-800-221-3943 1-800-359-1991 1-855-692-6442 State relay 711
Florida (Medicaid)	https://www.flmedicaidprecovery.com/flmedicaidprecovery.com/hipp/index.html	1-877-357-3268

State	Website/E-mail	Phone
Georgia (Medicaid)	HIPP: https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp CHIPRA: https://medicaid.georgia.gov/programs/third-party-liability/childrens-health-insurance-program-reauthorization-act-2009-chipra	678-564-1162, press 1 678-564-1162, press 2
Indiana (Medicaid)	Healthy Indiana Plan for low-income adults 19-64: http://www.in.gov/fssa/dfr/ All other Medicaid: https://www.in.gov/medicaid	1-800-403-0864 1-800-457-4584
Iowa (Medicaid and CHIP)	Medicaid: https://hhs.iowa.gov/programs/welcome-iowa-medicaid CHIP: http://dhs.iowa.gov/Hawki HIPP: https://hhs.iowa.gov/programs/welcome-iowa-medicaid/fee-service/hipp	1-800-338-8366 1-800-257-8563 1-888-346-9562
Kansas (Medicaid)	https://www.kancare.ks.gov/	1-800-792-4884 HIPP: 1-800-967-4660
Kentucky (Medicaid and CHIP)	Medicaid: https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms KI-HIPP: https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms/member/Pages/kihipp.aspx KI-HIPP E-mail: KIHIPPPROGRAM@ky.gov KCHIP: https://kynect.ky.gov	1-855-459-6328 1-877-524-4718
Louisiana (Medicaid)	www.medicaid.la.gov www.ldh.la.gov/lahipp	1-888-342-6207 1-855-618-5488
Maine (Medicaid)	https://www.mymaineconnection.gov/benefits/s/?language=e_n_US https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/applications-forms	Enroll: 1-800-442-6003 Private HIP: 1-800-977-6740 TTY: Maine relay 711
Massachusetts (Medicaid and CHIP)	https://www.mass.gov/masshealth/pa Email: masspremassistance@accenture.com	1-800-862-4840 TTY: 711
Minnesota (Medicaid)	https://mn.gov/dhs/health-care-coverage/	1-800-657-3672
Missouri (Medicaid)	http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm	573-751-2005
Montana (Medicaid)	http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HIPP HSHIPPProgram@mt.gov	1-800-694-3084
Nebraska (Medicaid)	http://www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov	1-855-632-7633 Lincoln: 402-473-7000 Omaha: 402-595-1178
Nevada (Medicaid)	http://dhcfp.nv.gov/	1-800-992-0900
New Hampshire (Medicaid)	https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/medicaid/health-insurance-premium-program Email: DHHS.ThirdPartyLiabi@dhhs.nh.gov	603-271-5218 or 1-800-852-3345, ext. 15218
New Jersey (Medicaid and CHIP)	Medicaid: http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmahs/clients/medicaid/ CHIP: http://www.njfamilycare.org/index.html	Medicaid: 609-631-2392 CHIP: 1-800-701-0710 (TTY: 711)
New York (Medicaid)	https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/	1-800-541-2831
North Carolina (Medicaid)	https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/	919-855-4100
North Dakota (Medicaid)	https://www.hhs.nd.gov/healthcare	1-844-854-4825
Oklahoma (Medicaid and CHIP)	http://www.insureoklahoma.org	1-888-365-3742
Oregon (Medicaid)	http://healthcare.oregon.gov/Pages/index.aspx	1-800-699-9075
Pennsylvania (Medicaid and CHIP)	Medicaid: https://www.pa.gov/en/services/dhs/apply-for-medicaid-health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp.html CHIP: https://www.pa.gov/en/agencies/dhs/resources/chip.html	Medicaid: 1-800-692-7462 CHIP: 1-800-986-KIDS (5437)
Rhode Island (Medicaid and CHIP)	http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/	1-855-697-4347 or 401-462-0311 (Direct Rlte)
South Carolina (Medicaid)	https://www.scdhhs.gov	1-888-549-0820
South Dakota (Medicaid)	http://dss.sd.gov	1-888-828-0059
Texas (Medicaid)	https://www.hhs.texas.gov/services/financial/health-insurance-premium-payment-hipp-program	1-800-440-0493
Utah (Medicaid and CHIP)	Medicaid: https://medicaid.utah.gov/ CHIP: https://chip.utah.gov/ Adult Expansion Website: https://medicaid.utah.gov/expansion/ Utah Medicaid Buyout Program Website: https://medicaid.utah.gov/buyout-program/	1-888-222-2542
Vermont (Medicaid)	https://dvha.vermont.gov/members/medicaid/hipp-program	1-800-250-8427
Virginia (Medicaid and CHIP)	https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premiumassistance/famis-select https://coverva.dmas.virginia.gov/learn/premiumassistance/health-insurance-premium-payment-hipp-programs	1-800-432-5924
Washington (Medicaid)	https://www.hca.wa.gov/	1-800-562-3022
West Virginia (Medicaid)	https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/ http://mywvhipp.com/	Medicaid: 304-558-1700 CHIP: 1-855-699-8447
Wisconsin (Medicaid and CHIP)	https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/badgercareplus/p-10095.htm	1-800-362-3002
Wyoming (Medicaid)	https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/programs-and-eligibility/	1-800-251-1269