



## Maryland Medicaid Administration

### Is My Medicaid Going to Change?

You may have heard about new federal Medicaid rules. They change some Medicaid eligibility and work rules for some non-citizens and adults.

There will be no change for most of the 1.5 million Marylanders that Medicaid serves.

Maryland Medicaid will send you an official notice before any change happens that will affect you. The notice will explain what is changing, when it will happen, and what you need to do.

### Changes for Non-citizens as of October 2026

Some non-citizens will no longer be able to get Medicaid, including:

- Asylees
- Refugees
- Non-citizens granted parole for at least one year
- Certain victims of abuse or trafficking

You can still get Medicaid if you are a non-citizen. You must be a green card holder who meets the five year-year rule, a Cuban or Haitian non-citizen, a Compact of Free Association (COFA) migrant, are pregnant or a child who currently qualifies.

### Changes for Some Adults as of January 2027

These changes only apply to some adults ages 19 to 64 - around 300,000 Marylanders. Maryland Medicaid will let you know if these changes apply to you.

- You may need to complete 80 hours of approved activities each month. This is to keep your Medicaid coverage, unless you are exempt from the rule.
- You may also need to renew your coverage every six months instead of every 12 months.

### More Information

To see if these changes affect you, visit [bit.ly/MDMedicaidChanges](https://bit.ly/MDMedicaidChanges)



### Am I one of the adults who work requirements apply to?

Work requirements may apply to you if you are:

1. Aged 19 to 64 with no children. Your monthly income must fall at or below the amount in **Column A** for your household size.
2. Aged 19 to 64 with children who are 14 or older. Your monthly income must fall within the range in **Column B** for your household size.

### Am I one of the adults who will have to renew my Medicaid every six months?

Renewal every six months may apply to you if you are:

1. Aged 19 to 64 with no children. Your monthly income must fall at or below the amount in **Column A** for your household size.
2. Aged 19 to 64 with children. Your monthly income must fall within the range in **Column B** for your household size.

Family or Household Size	Monthly Income Limit Effective January 1, 2025	
	Column A	Column B
1	\$1,801	\$1,617 to \$1,801
2	\$2,433	\$2,186 to \$2,433
3	\$3,065	\$2,754 to \$3,065
4	\$3,698	\$3,321 to \$3,698
5	\$4,330	\$3,891 to \$4,330
6	\$4,962	\$4,457 to \$4,962
7	\$5,596	\$5,029 to \$5,596
8	\$6,228	\$5,591 to \$6,228

### Contact

For benefits or services information call your [managed care organization](#). The number is on your card. You can also call the HealthChoice Helpline at 800-284-4510. For eligibility questions call [Maryland Health Connection](#) at 855-642-8572.