

Maryland Medical Assistance
Family Planning Program

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What benefits are covered?

The Family Planning Program covers family planning services only. Services included in visits to the doctor or clinic for birth control:

- Pelvic exam;
- Screenings such as, pap smears, and sexually transmitted infections as part of annual visit;
- Advice about birth control methods;
- Birth control pills and devices;
- Permanent sterilizations (Must be age 21 or over).

NOTE: Abortion and infertility treatments are not covered.

How Do I apply?

- Mail or Fax, by printing an application at <http://www.dhmf.maryland.gov/mma/familyplanning/>
- Do not apply for this program if you are enrolled in any of the Maryland Medical Assistance programs. You already have family planning benefits.
- If you are pregnant, apply for MCHP. Contact your Local Health Department. Do not apply for the Family Planning Program.

How are services provided?

Check with your primary care provider or Federally Qualified Health Center to see if they participate. Services may also be provided by your Local Health Department or Planned Parenthood.

For More Questions:

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- Call the Medical Assistance Hotline:
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2	\$17,064	\$17,064	\$29,420	\$36,775	\$44,130	\$36,775	\$29,420
3	N/A	\$21,495	\$37,060	\$46,325	\$55,590	\$46,325	\$37,060
4	N/A	\$25,926	\$44,700	\$55,875	\$67,050	\$55,875	\$44,700
5	N/A	\$30,358	\$52,340	\$65,425	\$78,510	\$65,425	\$52,340
6	N/A	\$34,789	\$59,980	\$74,975	\$89,970	\$74,975	\$59,980
Each person add	N/A	\$4,432	\$7,640	\$9,550	\$11,460	\$9,550	\$7,640
You Pay	N/A	\$0	\$0	\$55	\$67	\$0	\$0

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