

What is Happening?

During the Public Health Emergency (PHE), Medicaid renewal, an annual verification process, was not required to keep beneficiaries covered. Starting April 1, 2023, The Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services (DMS) will resume conducting the annual renewal process.



What does this mean for me?

If your circumstances changed during the PHE, you may no longer be eligible for the same Medicaid coverage you previously had.



What can I do?

Kentucky has alternative options to ensure you have access to health coverage. The Qualified Health Plan (QHP) is one of the options available.



What is a QHP?



QHP is a health insurance plan on kynect, Kentucky's State-Based Marketplace, that provides essential health benefits and follows limits on cost-sharing. Plans are affordable and payment assistance is available for those who qualify.

How do I enroll in QHP?



To enroll or check eligibility, visit kynect.ky.gov or call 855-459-6328. Your eligibility will be determined by a variety of factors including: residency, citizenship, income, and household size. Based on your income level identified during the Medicaid application process you could qualify for payment assistance from the state. Payment assistance is known as Advance Premium Tax Credit (APTC) and is for anyone above 138% of the federal poverty level.