

State of California—Health and Human Services Agency Department of Health Care Services



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Aged, Blind, and Disabled Federal Poverty Level Program Expansion

Important news about your health coverage

Dear Beneficiary,

Good news!

A new California law has passed. It may change your Medi-Cal benefits. You may soon be eligible for free Medi-Cal.

Starting December 1, 2020, the new California law raises the monthly income limit for the Aged, Blind and Disabled Federal Poverty Level program. This means more applicants and beneficiaries will be eligible for free Medi-Cal.

What happens next?

Your Medi-Cal benefits will not change right now. You do **not** need to do anything now. You do **not** need to fill out a new Medi-Cal application. You will still have your yearly Medi-Cal renewal. If you get a renewal packet in the mail, fill it out. Send it to your county with the required proof.

If you are currently on Medi-Cal and got this letter, you will be checked for eligibility under the new law. If you are found eligible for free Medi-Cal, you will get a letter in the mail. The letter will tell you of the change.

To learn more about the change, read the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) that came with this letter. You can ask for materials in accessible formats. These include Braille, large print, audio or data CD, or another format if needed.

Questions?

If you have questions or you need help or free interpreter services, call the Medi-Cal Helpline at 1-800-541-5555 (TTY 1-800-430-7077). The call is free. Or email us at ABDexpansion@dhcs.ca.gov.

Thank you, Department of Health Care Services

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