The Newborn Gateway



What is Newborn Gateway?

If you are enrolled in Medi-Cal or Medi-Cal Access Program (MCAP) and you give birth in participating health care locations, your provider can help your baby get healthcare.

The Newborn Gateway requires certain health care providers to enroll your newborn into coverage within 72 hours of birth.

Your Baby May Be Eligible for Coverage Through the Newborn Gateway if:

- » You are active and enrolled in Medi-Cal or Medi-Cal Access Program (MCAP) when you gave birth and
- » The health care provider participates in "Presumptive Eligibility."

Be sure to let your health care provider know you have Medi-Cal or Medi-Cal Access Program coverage.

Provide them with a copy of your State of California Benefits Identification Card (BIC). If you don't have a copy of your BIC, you should still let them know you have coverage.

» Medi-Cal Members:

If your provider is not able to enroll your baby into coverage and you are receiving coverage through Medi-Cal, please report the birth information at <u>benefitscal.com</u>

» MCAP Members:

If your provider is not able to enroll your baby into coverage and you are receiving coverage through MCAP, please call to report the birth information: (800) 433-2611 Or fax: (888) 899-9238



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