

Pregnant and on Medicaid?

Before you make any changes to your health insurance coverage, the Alabama Medicaid Agency wants you to know how HIPP can help you and your family.



“I already receive Medicaid benefits. How can HIPP help me?”

Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) is a program that is sponsored by the Alabama Medicaid Agency and covers most out-of-pocket medical expenses for Medicaid recipients in addition to reimbursing patients for their health insurance premium.

By reimbursing the cost of your health insurance premium, HIPP allows you to keep the following health insurance benefits, at no cost to you:

- Access to a larger network of hospitals
- Additional health care services that Medicaid may not cover
- Ability to continue health insurance coverage of any pregnant family member after pregnancy coverage with Medicaid ends
- Ability to cover your entire family, even those not on Medicaid

“If I am a pregnant mother on Medicaid, can I have health insurance?”

Yes. In most cases, a HIPP member's doctor visit will be paid by their health insurance first, while any remaining balance will be covered by Medicaid if services are performed by a Medicaid-enrolled health care provider.

“How do I know if I qualify for HIPP?”

Your family should apply to HIPP if:

1. There is at least one Medicaid recipient in your household
2. A household member is either currently enrolled or has access to health insurance that will cover at least one person that is Medicaid eligible
3. This health insurance is provided by a job or through COBRA
4. You can prove that the cost of your care is more than the cost of your health care insurance premium.



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- Apply online at: www.MyALHIPP.com
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