



# Application for Health Coverage

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## Who can use this application?

Anyone who needs health coverage and isn't looking for help with costs can use this application.

If someone is helping you fill out this application, you may need to complete Appendix C.



## What happens next?

Make a copy to keep, then send your complete, signed application to the address on page 4. **If you don't have all the information we ask for, sign and submit your application anyway.**

We'll follow up with you within 1–2 weeks, and you may get a call from the Marketplace if we need more information. You'll get an Eligibility Notice in the mail after we process your application.

Filling out this application doesn't mean you have to buy health coverage.



## Get help with costs

**You need to use a different application to get help with costs.** You may qualify for:

- A tax credit that can immediately help lower your premiums for health coverage.
- Free or low-cost coverage through Medicaid or the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP). **Certain income levels may qualify for free or low-cost programs.**

Visit [HealthCare.gov](https://HealthCare.gov) or call the Marketplace Call Center to learn more.



## Get help with this application

- **Online:** [HealthCare.gov](https://HealthCare.gov).
- **Phone:** Call the Marketplace Call Center at **1-800-318-2596**. TTY users can call **1-855-889-4325**.
- **In-person:** There may be assisters in your area who can help. Visit [HealthCare.gov](https://HealthCare.gov), or call the Marketplace Call Center at **1-800-318-2596** for more information.
- **En Español:** Llame a nuestro centro de ayuda gratis al **1-800-318-2596**.
- **Other languages:** If you need help in a language other than English, call **1-800-318-2596** and tell the customer service representative the language you need. We'll get you help at no cost to you.

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Print in capital letters using black or dark blue ink only.

Fill in the circles (○) like this → ●.

## Step 1: Tell us about yourself (PERSON 1).

(We need 1 adult in the household to be the contact person for your application.)

1. First name		Middle name		Last name		Suffix	
2. Home address (leave blank if you don't have one)		3. Home address 2					
4. City	5. State	6. ZIP code		7. County			
8. Mailing address (if different from home address)	9. Home address 2						
10. City	11. State	12. ZIP code		13. County			
14. Daytime phone number ( ) -		15. Evening phone number ( ) -					
16. Do you want to get information about this application by email? ..... <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No							
Email address:							
17. Preferred language: Written			Spoken				
18. Do you need health coverage for yourself? <input type="radio"/> YES. If yes, answer all the questions below. <input type="radio"/> NO. If no, skip to Step 2 on page 2. (Leave the rest of this page blank.)							
19. Social Security Number (SSN) -							
<p>★ We need an SSN if you want health coverage and have an SSN or can get one. We use SSNs to check income and other information to find out who's eligible for help paying for health coverage. For more information on getting an SSN, visit <a href="https://ssa.gov">SSA.gov</a>, or call Social Security at 1-800-772-1213. TTY users can call 1-800-325-0778.</p>							
20. Sex <input type="radio"/> Female <input type="radio"/> Male		21. Date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy)					
22. Are you a U.S. citizen or U.S. national? ..... <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No							
23. Are you a naturalized or derived citizen? (This usually means you were born outside the U.S.) <input type="radio"/> YES. If yes, complete a and b. <input type="radio"/> NO. If no, continue to question 24.							
a. Alien number:		b. Certificate number:		After you complete a and b, skip to question 25.			
24. If you aren't a U.S. citizen or U.S. national, do you have eligible immigration status? <input type="radio"/> YES. Enter document type and ID number. Go to instructions.							
Immigration document type	Status type (optional)	Write your name as it appears on your immigration document.					
Alien or I-94 number		Card number or passport number					
SEVIS ID or expiration date (optional)		Other (category code or country of issuance)					

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**Optional:** (Providing this information won't impact eligibility, plan options, or costs.)

**Fill in all that apply.**

25. If Hispanic/Latino, ethnicity:

☐ Mexican ☐ Mexican American ☐ Chicano/a ☐ Puerto Rican ☐ Cuban ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

26. Race:

☐ White ☐ Black or African American ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native ☐ Filipino ☐ Japanese ☐ Korean ☐ Asian Indian ☐ Chinese

☐ Vietnamese ☐ Other Asian ☐ Native Hawaiian ☐ Guamanian or Chamorro ☐ Samoan ☐ Other Pacific Islander ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Choose one response.**

27. Sex assigned at birth (may be found on your birth certificate):

☐ Female ☐ Male ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Don't know ☐ Prefer not to answer

28. Current gender:

☐ Female ☐ Male ☐ Transgender female ☐ Transgender male ☐ A different term: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Don't know ☐ Prefer not to answer

29. Sexual orientation:

☐ Bisexual ☐ Lesbian or gay ☐ Straight (not lesbian or gay) ☐ A different term: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Don't know ☐ Prefer not to answer

## Step 2: Tell us about anyone who needs health coverage.

(If you have more people to include, make a copy of pages 2–3 and attach.)

### PERSON 2

1. First name	Middle name	Last name	Suffix
<input type="text"/>			
2. Relationship to PERSON 1 <input type="text"/>			
3. Social Security Number (SSN) <input type="text"/>		4. Date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy) <input type="text"/>	5. Sex <input type="radio"/> Female <input type="radio"/> Male
6. Does PERSON 2 live at the same address as PERSON 1? ..... <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No			
If no, list address: <input type="text"/>			
7. Is PERSON 2 a <b>U.S. citizen</b> or <b>U.S. national</b> ? ..... <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No			
8. Is PERSON 2 a <b>naturalized</b> or <b>derived citizen</b> ? (This usually means they were born outside the U.S.) <input type="radio"/> <b>YES. If yes</b> , complete a and b. <input type="radio"/> <b>NO. If no</b> , continue to question 9.			
a. Alien number: <input type="text"/>		b. Certificate number: <input type="text"/>	
After you complete a and b, skip to question 10.			
9. If <b>PERSON 2 isn't a U.S. citizen or U.S. national</b> , do they have eligible immigration status? <input type="radio"/> <b>YES</b> . Enter document type and ID number. Go to instructions.			
Immigration document type <input type="text"/>	Status type (optional) <input type="text"/>	Write PERSON 2's name as it appears on their immigration document. <input type="text"/>	
Alien or I-94 number <input type="text"/>		Card number or passport number <input type="text"/>	
SEVIS ID or expiration date (optional) <input type="text"/>		Other (category code or country of issuance) <input type="text"/>	
Is PERSON 2, or their spouse or parent, a veteran or an active-duty member of the U.S. military? ..... <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No			

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**Optional:** (Providing this information won't impact eligibility, plan options, or costs.)

**Fill in all that apply.**

10. If Hispanic/Latino, ethnicity:

☐ Mexican ☐ Mexican American ☐ Chicano/a ☐ Puerto Rican ☐ Cuban ☐ Other

11. Race:

☐ White ☐ Black or African American ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native ☐ Filipino ☐ Japanese ☐ Korean ☐ Asian Indian ☐ Chinese

☐ Vietnamese ☐ Other Asian ☐ Native Hawaiian ☐ Guamanian or Chamorro ☐ Samoan ☐ Other Pacific Islander ☐ Other

**Choose one response.**

12. Sex assigned at birth (may be found on PERSON 2's birth certificate):

☐ Female ☐ Male ☐ Other:  ☐ Don't know ☐ Prefer not to answer

13. Current gender:

☐ Female ☐ Male ☐ Transgender female ☐ Transgender male ☐ A different term:  ☐ Don't know ☐ Prefer not to answer

14. Sexual orientation:

☐ Bisexual ☐ Lesbian or gay ☐ Straight (not lesbian or gay) ☐ A different term:  ☐ Don't know ☐ Prefer not to answer

### Step 3: American Indian or Alaska Native (AI/AN) household member(s)

American Indians and Alaska Natives can get services from the Indian Health Service, tribal health programs, or urban Indian health programs. They also may not have to pay cost sharing and may get special monthly enrollment periods. Answer these questions to make sure your household gets the most help possible.

1. Are you or is anyone in your household American Indian or Alaska Native?

☐ **NO.** If no, skip questions 2 and 3. ☐ **YES.** If yes, continue. If you have more people to include, make a copy of this page and attach.

2. Name (First name, Middle name, Last name)

3. Member of a federally recognized tribe? ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, tribe name:

State tribe is located in:



#### Would you like information on registering to vote? (Optional)

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Prefer not to answer

You can get information, registration deadlines, and find resources for your state at [Vote.gov](https://www.vote.gov).





## Step 4: Your agreement & signature

Is anyone applying for health insurance on this application incarcerated (detained or jailed)?..... ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, tell us the person's name. The name of the incarcerated person is:

☐ Fill in here if this person is facing disposition of charges.

- I'm signing this application under penalty of perjury, which means I've provided true answers to all the questions on this form to the best of my knowledge. I know that I may be subject to penalties under federal law if I intentionally provide false or untrue information.
- I know that I must tell the Health Insurance Marketplace within 30 days if anything changes (and is different than) what I wrote on this application. I can visit [HealthCare.gov](https://www.healthcare.gov) or call **1-800-318-2596** to report any changes. I understand that a change in my information could affect my eligibility as well as eligibility for member(s) of my household.
- I know that under federal law, discrimination isn't permitted on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, or disability. I can file a complaint of discrimination by visiting [HHS.gov/civil-rights/filing-a-complaint](https://www.hhs.gov/civil-rights/filing-a-complaint).
- I know that information on this form will be used only to determine eligibility for health coverage, help paying for coverage (if requested), and for lawful purposes of the Marketplace and programs that help pay for coverage.

We need this information to check your eligibility for health coverage. We'll check your answers using information in our electronic databases and databases from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Social Security, the Department of Homeland Security, and/or a consumer reporting agency. If the information doesn't match, we may ask you to send us proof.

### What should I do if I think my Eligibility Notice is wrong?

You'll get an Eligibility Notice in the mail after we process your application. If you don't agree with what you qualify for, in many cases, you can ask for an appeal. Review your Eligibility Notice to find appeals instructions specific to each person in your household who applies for coverage, including how many days you have to request an appeal. Here's important information to consider when requesting an appeal:

- You can have someone request or participate in your appeal if you want to. That person can be a friend, relative, lawyer, or other individual. Or, you can request and participate in your appeal on your own.
- If you request an appeal, you may be able to keep your eligibility for coverage while your appeal is pending.
- The outcome of an appeal could change the eligibility of other members of your household.

To appeal your Marketplace eligibility results, visit [HealthCare.gov/marketplace-appeals](https://www.healthcare.gov/marketplace-appeals). Or, call the Marketplace Call Center at **1-800-318-2596**. TTY users can call **1-855-889-4325**. You can also mail an appeal request form or your own letter requesting an appeal to **Health Insurance Marketplace**, Dept. of Health and Human Services, Attn: Appeals, 465 Industrial Blvd., London, KY 40750-0001. You can appeal eligibility for purchasing health coverage through the Marketplace, enrollment periods, tax credits, cost-sharing reductions, Medicaid, and CHIP, if you were denied these. If you qualify for tax credits or cost-sharing reductions, you can appeal the amount we determined you're eligible for. Depending on your state, you may be able to appeal through the Marketplace or you may have to request an appeal with the state Medicaid or CHIP agency.

**PERSON 1 should sign this application.** If you're an authorized representative, you may sign here as long as PERSON 1 signed Appendix C.

Signature

Date signed (mm/dd/yyyy)

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If you're signing this application outside of Open Enrollment (November 1–January 15), make sure you review Appendix D ("Questions about life changes").

## Step 5: Mail completed application.



Mail your signed application to:

**Health Insurance Marketplace**  
**Dept. of Health and Human Services**  
**465 Industrial Blvd.**  
**London, KY 40750-0001**

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Complete this section if you're a certified application counselor, navigator, agent, or broker filling out this application for somebody else.

10. Signature of PERSON 1 listed on this application	11. Date signed (mm/dd/yyyy)



## Appendix D: Questions about life changes



Form Approved  
OMB No. 0938-1191  
Expires: 09/30/2027

**(You must complete the rest of this application along with this page. Don't submit this page by itself.)**

If anyone on this application experienced certain life changes—like losing health coverage, getting married, or having a baby—in the past 60 days (OR expects to in the next 60 days), fill out this page and include it with your completed, signed application. Certain life changes allow your coverage through the Marketplace to start right away. We also recommend you answer these questions if you're applying outside Open Enrollment (November 1–January 15).

These questions are optional. If your life circumstances haven't changed, you can leave the answers blank. You can enroll in Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) any time of the year, even if you didn't experience life changes. Members of federally recognized tribes and Alaska Native shareholders can enroll in coverage through the Marketplace any time of the year.

### Tell us about changes in your household.

#### 1. Did anyone lose qualifying health coverage in the last 60 days, or expect to lose qualifying health coverage in the next 60 days?

Name(s)	Date coverage ended or will end (mm/dd/yyyy)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>

#### 2. Did anyone get married in the last 60 days?

Name(s)	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>

a. Did any of these people have qualifying health coverage at any time in the last 60 days? ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, enter their name(s) below:

Name(s)

#### 3. Did anyone get released from incarceration (detention or jail) in the last 60 days?

Name(s)	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>

#### 4. Did anyone gain eligible immigration status in the last 60 days?

Name(s)	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>

#### 5. Was anyone adopted, placed for adoption, or placed for foster care in the last 60 days?

Name(s)	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>

#### 6. Did anyone become a dependent due to a child support or other court order in the last 60 days?

Name(s)	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>

#### 7. Did anyone move in the last 60 days?

Name(s)	Date of move (mm/dd/yyyy)
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/>

a. What is the ZIP code of your previous address? ☐ Fill in here if you moved from a foreign country or U.S. territory.

b. Did any of these people have qualifying health coverage at any time in the last 60 days? ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, enter their name(s) below:

Name(s)



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