

Does your child have health insurance?



Your child may qualify for **NC's Health Check (Medicaid for Children)** or **NC Health Choice (CHIP)** – free or low-cost health insurance for children and teens under 19 years old*. Even children in a family of four with working parents earning \$51,276 a year or slightly more may qualify.

* NC's children in foster care on their 18th birthday may have Medicaid coverage until age 26.

Income guidelines: Effective April 2016

Monthly income before taxes

Family size**	Health Check/ Medicaid for Children (0-5 years old)	Health Check/ Medicaid for Children (6-20 years old)	NC Health Choice (CHIP) (6-18 years old)
2	\$2,804	\$1,776	\$2,817
3	\$3,528	\$2,235	\$3,545
4	\$4,253	\$2,694	\$4,273
5	\$4,977	\$3,153	\$5,001
6 or more	add \$732 for each additional child		

**By law, a new method is used to determine eligibility. This method determines both how income is counted and also how household/family size is considered.

Benefits include

- Well-child checkups
- Medicines
- Sick visits
- Dental care
- Immunizations (shots)
- Hospital care
- Lab tests
- Counseling
- Therapies
- Surgeries
- Medical equipment & supplies
- Vision & hearing care

For more information, call the NC DHHS Customer Service Center at 1-800-662-7030 between 8am-5pm Monday through Friday.

For an application or more information, go to <http://dma.ncdhhs.gov/medicaid/get-started/apply-for-medicare-or-health-choice>
Take, or mail, the completed application, with required documents, to your county Department of Social Services.



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