

Get Covered: Options to Get the Health Insurance You Need

The Affordable Care Act requires that most lawfully present individuals have health care coverage. For many, the best options for finding health care coverage include:

Covered California

The state's health insurance marketplace offers Californians the chance to choose plans from a number of insurance companies and offers subsidies to those who meet certain requirements based on income and family size. Open enrollment for individuals and families is November 15, 2014 through February 15, 2015. If you experience a major life event such as a marriage, birth of a child, change in immigration status or loss of coverage, you may qualify for Covered California coverage at any time.

Medi-Cal

Medi-Cal provides health care coverage to low-income adults, families, seniors, persons with disabilities, children in foster care and pregnant women. This program now covers more Californians, including adults between the ages of 19 and 64, and many eligible recipients receive Medi-Cal coverage at little or no cost.

Get Help to Get Covered

Help finding a health insurance plan that's right for you is available in person, online and by phone.

In Person Assistance

A local certified insurance broker can help you enroll in a health plan. Many local health centers also have navigators who can help you get the coverage you need. Find a certified insurance broker or a health center by using Covered California's tool "Find Help Near You" at www.coveredca.com/enrollment-assistance.

Online

More information about Covered California and Medi-Cal can be found on Covered California's website at www.coveredca.com.

By Phone

Talk to someone who can help answer your questions by calling Covered California at [800-300-1506](tel:800-300-1506).

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