

Find Your Way Around the Health Care Law

There's a lot to learn about the law. Follow your path to learn more about the new protections and benefits for you and your family.

Start Here

Do you have health insurance?

NO

There's a new, easier way to find a health plan that fits your needs.

The Health Insurance MARKETPLACE

It's like a shopping mall for health insurance. And help will be available every step of the way – online, by phone and in person.



Through the Marketplace, there's financial help available. Depending on your income, you may have access to low-cost or free plans.

Here's how it works:



You get to compare plans side-by-side. Simple language, no guesswork.



All plans will cover the important stuff: doctor visits, emergency and hospital care, prescriptions and more.



Don't forget – everyone will need to have health coverage starting in 2014.

YES



The health care law makes it easier to protect your family's health and finances.

There are new protections:



Nobody can be denied coverage because of a pre-existing condition.



You can't be dropped from your plan if you get sick.



More preventive care is covered – like flu shots and diabetes, cholesterol and cancer screenings.

Do you have kids?

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They can stay on your family health insurance plan until they turn 26.

Have Medicare?



You're covered and your guaranteed benefits are protected. So you can get the care you need, when you need it. That means things like doctor visits and hospital stays are still covered.

And there are new protections and benefits that strengthen Medicare:

- ✓ Yearly wellness visit
- ✓ More preventive care (like cancer screenings, diet counseling and immunizations)
- ✓ Cracks down on waste and fraud

Do you fall in the Medicare Part D doughnut hole?



You now get big discounts on prescription drugs – both brand name and generic.

The discounts will continue until 2020 when the gap is a thing of the past.

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