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MASKED, NY 11554

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR MEDICAID COVERAGE

Ricardo Dane

Member ID: PX110424861 / CIN: FK54901M

Decision About Your Benefits

You continue to qualify for Community Medicaid from November 01, 2025 to January 31, 2026.

You do not qualify for **Community Medicaid** after **January 31, 2026**. If the Medicaid Program is paying for health insurance premiums (including Medicare), the payment of these premiums will end on the same date your Medicaid ends.

Starting February 01, 2026, you qualify for Medicare Savings Program - Qualified Medicare Beneficiary.

Action Needed:

Log into your account to learn more about your health coverage. You can find out how to access services.

Helpful Information:

- You cannot pick a new Medicaid Managed Care Plan until October 31, 2025. You cannot pick a new health plan unless you have a good reason. For more information, please contact NY State of Health.
- **You may get your health insurance premiums paid by Medicaid.** If you are enrolled or can enroll in employer group health insurance, call us for more information.
- Show your other health insurance or MEDICARE card and your Medicaid card when you get medical services. The provider must bill the other health insurance or MEDICARE before billing Medicaid.
- Medicaid may pay for extra benefits and services not covered by your other health insurance or MEDICARE if your provider takes Medicaid.

- The Medicare Savings Program - Qualified Medicare Beneficiary helps you pay for your Medicare premium, deductibles, and co-insurance.

Matthias Julia

Member ID: PX110424870 / CIN: JE88606F

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How We Made Our Decision

We look at your household size, income, resources and other information listed in the application or a change you submitted on December 01, 2025, and information from state and federal data sources to decide if you qualify.

Note: The Medicare Savings Program does not look at your resources. If you think we made a mistake, contact us right away at 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

Ricardo Dane

Member ID: PX110424861 / CIN: FK54901M

You qualify for Medicaid without Long Term Care because:

- Your monthly countable income of \$1,160.00 is under the income limits of \$2,433.00 for a household size of 2 to qualify for Medicaid without Long Term Care. Your income is the amount of money you make in a month. We base your income on information you gave us. We base your income on information we get from state and federal data sources. Come back and update your account if this is no longer your household income.
- Your total resources (things you own) of \$0.00 that you reported to us is under the resource limit of \$43,781.00 for a household size of 2 to qualify for Medicaid without Long Term Care. We base your resources on information you give us and information we may get from other sources.

You qualify for Community Medicaid from November 1, 2025 to January 31, 2026 because:

- Your monthly countable income of \$600.00 is under the income limits of \$0.00 for a household size of 1 to qualify for Community Medicaid. Your income is the amount of money you make in a month. We base your income on information we get from state and federal data sources. Come back and update your account if this is no longer your household income.
- Your total resources (things you own) of \$0.00 that you reported to us is under the resource limit of \$0.00 for a household size of 1 to qualify for Community Medicaid. We base your resources on information you give us and information we may get from other sources.
- Certain individuals who are age 65 or older or have Medicare, must have their Medicaid eligibility determined on a different basis that considers resources, income and certain deductions.

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- Since you do not qualify for Medicaid without Long Term Care, you do not need to provide:

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You qualify for Community Medicaid from November 1, 2025 to January 31, 2026 because:

- Your monthly countable income of \$580.00 is under the income limits of \$0.00 for a household size of 1 to qualify for Community Medicaid. Your income is the amount of money you make in a month. We base your income on information we get from state and federal data sources. Come back and update your account if this is no longer your household income.
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- Since you do not qualify for Medicaid without Long Term Care, you do not need to provide:

Legal Reference

► We made our decision for Ricardo Dane based on these rules:

- United States Code: 42 U.S.C. § 1396w
- New York Codes, Rules and Regulations: 18 N.Y.C.R.R. § 349.3(b); § 351.1(b)(2)(ii); § 351.2; § 351.2(h); § 351.5; § 351.6; § 351.8(a)(2)(ii); § 360-4.1; § 360-4.2; § 360-4.3; § 360-4.4; § 360-4.5; § 360-4.6; § 360-4.7; § 360-4.8 and § 360-7.7(g)
- New York Social Services Law: N.Y.S.O.S. § 366-a(2) and § 367-a(3)(a)

Legal Reference

Important! You must take steps to set up your online account.

► We made our decision for Matthias Julia based on these rules:

Your NY State of Health online account has important information about your household. You can view and update your application at any time by accessing your online account. This means you can keep track of your health insurance information, including your notices.

• United States Code: 42 U.S.C. § 1396w

• New York Codes, Rules and Regulations: 18 N.Y.C.R.R. § 349.3(b); § 351.1(b)(2)(ii); § 351.2; § 351.2(h); § 351.5; § 351.6; § 351.8(a)(2)(ii); § 360-4.1; § 360-4.2; § 360-4.3; § 360-4.4; § 360-4.5; § 360-4.6; § 360-4.7; § 360-4.8 and § 360-7.7(g)

To set up your online account, go to nystateofhealth.ny.gov. Click on GET STARTED. Then, Click LOGIN if you already have a NY.gov ID, or Click on REGISTER if you are a new user.

- New York Social Services Law: N.Y.S.O.S. § 366-a(2) and § 367-a(3)(a)

After you log in, enter this invitation code- MC199093242560512- to confirm your personal information and finish setting up your account.

You Must Report Changes

Over the next year, you must tell NY State of Health about any changes that would affect your eligibility for enrollment in health insurance within 30 days of such a change. You need to tell us if:

- Your income changes;
- You get access to or enroll in the New York State Health Insurance Program (NYSHIP);
- Your eligibility for health insurance from a job changes;
- The cost of your health insurance premium from a job changes;
- You become qualified for other health insurance;
- You move;
- There is a change in immigration status;
- Your household changes. For example, you marry/divorce, become pregnant, or have a child; adopt a child, or a child is placed for adoption with you;
- There is a change in full-time student status (if applicable to application members);
- You change how you plan to file your taxes. For example, you will claim new dependents.

If you do not report changes within 30 days and they affect your ability to get government help with insurance costs, you may have to pay back some or all of the assistance subsidies you received.

HOW TO REPORT CHANGES TO NY STATE OF HEALTH

Contact us if you have any questions about this Notice. Let us know if you need help applying for or accessing your health insurance coverage.

Call us at:
1-855-355-5777
(TTY: 1-800-662-1220)

Mail:
NY State of Health
PO Box 11781
Albany, NY 12211

Log into your account at nystateofhealth.ny.gov or contact us to tell us about any changes.

If You Think We Made a Mistake

If you think we made a mistake about your eligibility, you can call us to discuss your concerns. Call NY State of Health at 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

You can appeal a decision:

- That you do not meet the rules for coverage under Medicaid;
- That you do not meet the rules for the Medicare Savings Program;
- Delayed by NY State of Health. Example: You did not get a notice telling you if you meet the rules for Medicaid coverage within the required 45 days.

NY State of Health has a coordinated appeals process, which means that its Appeals Unit will hear all the issues listed above.

For appeals of **medical care or services** please contact the NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA). You can contact OTDA and request a fair hearing:

<https://otda.ny.gov/hearings/request/>

By Mail: NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance
Office of Administrative Hearings,
40 North Pearl Street, 15th Floor,
Albany, NY 12243

By Fax: 518-473-6735

By Phone: 1(800)342-3334

How to Request an Appeal and Additional Information

An appeal is your request to NY State of Health to review and change a decision we have made about your eligibility.

How and When to Ask for an Agency Conference

If you think our decision was wrong or if you do not understand our decision, please call us to arrange a meeting. Sometimes this is the fastest way to solve any problems you may have. We encourage you to do this even when you ask for an appeal.

If you only ask for a meeting with us, we will not keep your benefits the same while you appeal. Your benefits will stay the same only if you ask for your coverage to continue.

How and When to Ask for an Appeal

You have 60 calendar days from the date on this notice to ask for an appeal. You will receive a letter from NY State of Health saying that we received your request. We will send you a letter telling you the date and time of your appeal hearing.

Asking for Your Coverage to Continue

If you have coverage, you can ask to keep it while you go through the appeals process. You must ask for this when you ask for an appeal. This means that your current insurance program will continue until a decision is made about your appeal. If you have Medicaid coverage, we will continue your coverage if you request it within 10 days from the date of this notice OR before the eligibility effective date listed in this notice, whichever is later.

The Appeal Hearing

The hearing is your chance to explain why you disagree with the NY State of Health's decision. A hearing officer will make a decision about your appeal. The hearing officer will not take sides and will not favor you or NY State of Health. The officer will conduct the hearing by phone. Here is what you need to do before, during, and after the hearing.

Before the hearing

Look at the documents NY State of Health used to make a decision about your eligibility. You can send us information that might help us understand your appeal.

You can request specific policy materials necessary to help you decide whether to ask for an appeal or to help you prepare for your appeal hearing. We may try to resolve your issues through an informal dispute resolution process.

During the hearing

You can have someone with you during your telephone hearing if you want to. That person can be a friend, relative, lawyer, or other individual. Or you can participate in your hearing on your own.

If you think you need a lawyer to help you with this problem, you may be able to obtain a lawyer at no cost to you by contacting:

New York State of Health
1-855-355-5777
(TTY: 1-800-662-1220)

NY State of Health
PO Box 11782
Albany, NY 12211

After the hearing

The outcome of an appeal could change the eligibility of other people on your account even if they do not ask for an appeal.

If the appeal is not resolved in your favor, you may be responsible for the cost of the health coverage that you used while your appeal was being processed. Here are some examples of what you may have to do when the appeal is not resolved in your favor:

- If you received coverage through Medicaid while your appeal is being determined, you may have to pay back the cost of Medicaid benefits you received.

HOW TO REQUEST AN APPEAL OR REQUEST MORE INFORMATION

Contact us if you have any questions about this Notice. Let us know if you need help applying for or accessing your health insurance coverage.

Call us at:

1-855-355-5777
(TTY: 1-800-662-1220)

Fax your response to:

1-855-900-5557

Mail request to:

NY State of Health
PO Box 11782
Albany, NY 12211

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Go Paperless

Make managing your account easier by going paperless. All your important notices will be in one secure place. You can read your notices online at any time. We will send you an email alert when a new notice is available on your NY State of Health account. You must log into your account to view your notices. We will not include any private or confidential information in the email.

If you want to go paperless, log into your account and select “Manage Case Profile” in the left navigation panel of the dashboard. Under “Communication Preferences,” choose “Send me an email” to get email alerts when new notices are posted to your NY State of Health account. You can change this selection at any time.

It is important your address is correct in your account. Make sure that we have your current mailing and residential address. Coverage for you or your family may be impacted if we do not have your current address.

Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)

New York State is committed to protecting your privacy. To learn more about NY State of Health’s privacy practices go to nystateofhealth.ny.gov or call customer service at 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

Notice of Nondiscrimination Policy

NY State of Health complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and state laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, creed/religion, sex, age, marital/family status, disability, pregnancy-related conditions, arrest record, criminal conviction(s), gender identity, sexual orientation, predisposing genetic characteristics, military status, domestic violence victim status and/or retaliation.

If you believe that NY State of Health has discriminated against you, you may file a complaint by going to: health.ny.gov/regulations/discrimination_complaints/ or by emailing the Diversity Management Office at DMO@health.ny.gov.

You may also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/smartscreen/main.jsf> or by mail or phone at U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue, SW, Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, D.C. 20201; 1-800-368-1019 (TTY: 1-800-537-7697). Complaint forms are available at hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html.

Accommodations

NY State of Health provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:

- TTY through New York Relay Service
- If you are blind or seriously visually impaired and need notices or other written materials in an alternative format (large print, audio or data CD, or Braille), contact 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

NY State of Health also provides free language assistance services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:

- Qualified interpreters
- Written information in other languages

If you need these services or for more information on Reasonable Accommodations, please call 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

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Getting Help in a Language Other than English

This is an important document. If you need help to understand it, please call 1-855-355-5777. We can give you an interpreter for free in the language you speak.

Español (Spanish)

Este es un documento importante. Si necesita ayuda para entenderlo, llame al 1-855-355-5777. Podemos proporcionarle gratuitamente un intérprete en el idioma que habla.

繁體中文 (Traditional Chinese)

這是一份重要文件。如果您在理解這份文件上需要幫助，請撥打電話：1-855-355-5777。我們可為您免費提供一名會講您的語言的口譯人員。

简体中文 (Simplified Chinese)

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Русский (Russian)

Это важный документ. Если вам нужна помощь, чтобы понять его, позвоните по телефону 1-855-355-5777. Мы можем бесплатно предоставить вам переводчика на ваш родной язык.

Kreyòl Ayisyen (Haitian Creole)

Sa a se yon dokiman enpòtan. Si ou bezwen èd pou w konprann li, tanpri rele 1-855-355-5777. Nou ka ba ou yon entèprèt gratis nan lang ou pale a.

বাংলা (Bengali)

এটি একটি গুরুত্বপূর্ণ নথি। যদি এটি বুঝতে আপনার সাহায্যের প্রয়োজন হয় তবে অনুগ্রহ করে 1-855-355-5777 এ কল করুন। আপনি যে ভাষায় কথা বলেন আমরা আপনাকে বিনামূল্যে সে ভাষায় দোভাষী প্রদান করতে পারি।

اللغة العربية (Arabic)

هذه الوثيقة مهمة. وإذا كنت بحاجة إلى مساعدة لفهم الوثيقة، يُرجى الاتصال على الرقم 1-855-355-5777. ويمكننا أن نوفر لك مترجمًا فورًا باللغة التي تتحدثها مجانًا.

한국어 (Korean)

중요 문서입니다. 이해하는 데 도움이 필요하시면, 1-855-355-5777번으로 전화하십시오. 귀하가 사용하는 언어의 무료 통역사를 제공해드릴 수 있습니다.

Français (French)

Ceci est un document important. Si vous avez besoin d'aide pour le comprendre, appelez le 1-855-355-5777. Nous pouvons vous offrir gratuitement les services d'un interprète qui parle votre langue.

Polski (Polish)

Ten ocument jest ważny. Jeśli potrzebuje Pan(i) pomocy w jego zrozumieniu, proszę zadzwonić pod numer 1-855-355-5777. Możemy zapewnić bezpłatne usługi tłumacza w Pana(i) języku.

हिन्दी (Hindi)

यह एक महत्वपूर्ण दस्तावेज है। यदि आपको इसे समझने के लिए सहायता की आवश्यकता हो, तो कृपया 1-855-355-5777 पर कॉल करें। हम आपको आप जो भाषा (हिंदी) बोलते हैं उसमें निःशुल्क दुभाषिया सेवा प्रदान कर सकते हैं।

ودرا (Urdu)

یہ اہم دستاویز ہے۔ اگر آپ کو اسے سمجھنے میں مدد درکار ہے، تو براہ کرم 1-855-355-5777 پر کال کریں۔ ہم آپ کو آپ کی زبان میں مفت ترجمان فراہم کر سکتے ہیں۔

shqip (Albanian)

Ky është një dokument i rëndësishëm. Nëse ju nevojitet ndihmë për ta kuptuar, ju lutemi të telefononi në 1-855-355-5777. Mund t'ju caktojmë një përkthyes pa pagesë, në gjuhën tuaj.

नेपाली (Nepali)

यो एउटा महत्वपूर्ण कागजात हो। यदि तपाईंलाई यसलाई बुझ्नमा मद्दत आवश्यक पर्छ भने कृपया 1-855-355-5777 मा फोन गर्नुहोस्। हामी तपाईंले बोल्ने भाषामा तपाईंलाई निःशुल्क रूपमा दोभाषे उपलब्ध गराउन सक्छौं।

Tiếng Việt (Vietnamese)

Đây là tài liệu quan trọng. Nếu quý vị cần trợ giúp để hiểu tài liệu này, vui lòng gọi 1-855-355-5777. Chúng tôi có thể cung cấp cho quý vị một thông dịch viên miễn phí bằng ngôn ngữ quý vị nói.

Italiano (Italian)

Questo è un documento importante. Se ha bisogno di assistenza per capirlo, chiami il numero 1-855-355-5777. Possiamo fornirle gratuitamente un interprete per la lingua da lei parlata.

日本語 (Japanese)

これは重要な書類です。理解するのにアシスタンスが必要な場合は1-855-355-5777までお電話下さい。お客様の話しになる言語の通訳を無料でお付け致します。

Ελληνικά (Greek)

Αυτό είναι ένα σημαντικό έγγραφο. Αν χρειάζεστε βοήθεια με την κατανόησή του, καλέστε στο 1 855 355 5777. Μπορούμε να σας παρέχουμε δωρεάν διερμηνέα στη γλώσσα που μιλάτε.

Tagalog (Tagalog)

Ito ay isang mahalagang dokumento. Kung kailangan mo ng tulong upang maunawaan ito, mangyaring tawagan ang 1-855-355-5777. Maaari ka naming bigyan ng isang interpreter ng libre sa wika na sinasalita mo.

Soomaali (Somali)

Kani waa dokumenti muhiim ah. Haddi aad caawimaad ugu baahantahay fahamkiisa, fadlan wac 1-855-355-5777. Waxaan si bilaash ah kuugu siin karnaa adeeg turjumaan luuqadda aad ku hadasha ah.

יידיש (Yiddish)

דאס איז א וויכטיקער דאקומענט. אויב איר דארפט הילף דאס צו פארשטיין, ביטע רופט 1-855-355-5777. מיר קענען אייך צולייגן א טייטשער אומזיסט אינעם שפראך וואס איר רעדט.

Kiswahili (Swahili)

Hii ni hati muhimu. Ikiwa unahitaji msaada wa kuielewa, tafadhali piga simu kwa 1-855-355-5777. Tunaweza kukupa mkalimani bila malipo kwa lugha unayozungumza.

Akan kasa (Twi)

Wei ye nhomaa eho sombo. Se wobe hia mboa de ateasie a, ye sre fre 1-855-355-5777. Ye be tumi ama wo nkyerɛkyerɛmuni a yen gye ho hwee wo kasa wo ka mu.



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IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT YOUR PLAN ENROLLMENT

This notice concerns your health insurance through NY State of Health as of December 01, 2025.

If any of the enrollment information listed below is not correct, call us right away.

Ricardo Dane

Member ID: PX110424861 / CIN: FK54901M

Member Details:

First Name & Last Name: Ricardo Dane

Member ID: PX110424861

CIN: FK54901M

Medicaid Plan Information:

Plan Name: Empire BlueCross BlueShield HealthPlus

Insurance Company: Empire BlueCross BlueShield HealthPlus

Plan Type: Medicaid Managed Care

Your Premium: \$0 (free) per month

Enrollment Start Date: February 01, 2026

Phone Number: 800-600-4441 (TTY:1-800-662-1220)

Legal Reference

► We made our decision for Ricardo Dane based on these rules:

- Section § 364-j of the Social Services Law.

Next Steps for Health Plan Enrollment in Medicaid:

- If you need health care before your health plan starts, use your New York State Benefit Identification card. You can use it at any health provider who accepts Medicaid.
- All consumers enrolled in a Medicaid Managed Care plan get two cards. You get a Medicaid card and a health plan identification card. You must bring both cards each time you use medical services.
- Some services, like pharmacy benefits, are not covered by your health plan. You must get them from Medicaid providers. NYRx, the NY Medicaid Pharmacy Program, will cover your prescription drugs. Most pharmacies in New York State accept NYRx. Show your New York State Benefit Identification card or your health plan identification card to the pharmacy when getting your prescriptions filled.
- You will get information about your health plan benefits and available providers from your health plan. Your health plan will cover services like doctor's visits, hospital care, lab tests, and more. For any questions about your health plan's services and providers, you must contact your health plan directly.
- You must contact your new health plan to choose your Primary Care Provider (PCP). If you pick a new doctor, call the office first. Make sure they accept new patients and is participating in your health plan.
- You may opt out of enrolling in a Medicaid Managed Care plan. Some people have special situations allowing them to choose either a health plan or regular (fee-for-service) Medicaid. This includes Native Americans and people in certain waiver programs, like the Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) waiver and Office for People With Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) waiver. If you think you have one of these special situations or want to learn more, you may call NY State of Health.
- You may select and enroll in a Special Needs Plan (SNP) if one is available where you live. SNPs have their own doctors, providers, and hospitals. They meet the health needs of people who are homeless, transgender, or living with HIV/AIDS. Medicaid members who qualify for SNPs can switch to these plans at any time.
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- If you qualify for HARP or SNP, you can switch plans anytime. If you qualify for other plans, you must switch within 90 days of starting your plan. You can only switch plans if another plan is available in your area. After 90 days, you must wait 9 months to switch, unless you have a good reason. For more information, contact us at NY State of Health.

How to pick a plan

- If you want to change plans, log into your NY State of Health account. Click on "Manage Health Plan" to access the Plan Selection Dashboard. Then click on "Find A Different Plan" to pick a new Medicaid Managed Care plan.
- If you do not have internet access and want to pick a plan over the phone, call NY State of Health at 1-855-355-5777.

Remember: You must pick a plan by the 15th of the month for coverage to start on the first of the next month.

How to Contact NY State of Health:

Contact us if you have any questions about this Notice. Let us know if you need help applying for or accessing your health insurance coverage.

- Call: 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220)
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OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Information About Ending or Changing Your Coverage through NY State of Health

Ending Your Coverage

You can end your coverage through NY State of Health at any time. You can end coverage for yourself, for everybody in your household, or just for some household members. Call us at NY State of Health at 1-855-355-5777 to learn more about ending your coverage.

Important Things to Consider When Ending Your Coverage:

- If you end your Medicaid coverage, you will no longer be able to access services after your coverage ends.

Changing Your Coverage

If anything has changed in your life that might affect how you are covered and what you pay for health insurance, you must go to nystateofhealth.ny.gov. Log into your account to update your application with any changes about you or your household members. The types of changes that may affect your eligibility can be found in the section, “You Must Report Changes,” of this notice.

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You Must Report Changes

Over the next year, you must tell NY State of Health about any changes that would affect your eligibility for enrollment in health insurance within 30 days of such a change. You need to tell us if:

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- The cost of your health insurance premium from a job changes;
- You become qualified for other health insurance;
- You move;
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You may also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/smartscreen/main.jsf> or by mail or phone at U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue, SW, Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, D.C. 20201; 1-800-368-1019 (TTY: 1-800-537-7697). Complaint forms are available at hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html.

Accommodations

NY State of Health provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:

- TTY through New York Relay Service
- If you are blind or seriously visually impaired and need notices or other written materials in an alternative format (large print, audio or data CD, or Braille), contact 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

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- Qualified interpreters
- Written information in other languages

If you need these services or for more information on Reasonable Accommodations, please call 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

Go Paperless

Make managing your account easier by going paperless. All your important notices will be in one secure place. You can read your notices online at any time. We will send you an email alert when a new notice is available on your NY State of Health account. You must log into your account to view your notices. We will not include any private or confidential information in the email.

If you want to go paperless, log into your account and select “Manage Case Profile” in the left navigation panel of the dashboard. Under “Communication Preferences,” choose “Send me an email” to get email alerts when new notices are posted to your NY State of Health account. You can change this selection at any time.

It is important your address is correct in your account. Make sure that we have your current mailing and residential address. Coverage for you or your family may be impacted if we do not have your current address.

For Testing

Getting Help in a Language Other than English

This is an important document. If you need help to understand it, please call 1-855-355-5777. We can give you an interpreter for free in the language you speak.

Español (Spanish)

Este es un documento importante. Si necesita ayuda para entenderlo, llame al 1-855-355-5777. Podemos proporcionarle gratuitamente un intérprete en el idioma que habla.

繁體中文 (Traditional Chinese)

這是一份重要文件。如果您在理解這份文件上需要幫助，請撥打電話：1-855-355-5777。我們可為您免費提供一名會講您的語言的口譯人員。

简体中文 (Simplified Chinese)

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Русский (Russian)

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Kreyòl Ayisyen (Haitian Creole)

Sa a se yon dokiman enpòtan. Si ou bezwen èd pou w konprann li, tanpri rele 1-855-355-5777. Nou ka ba ou yon entèprèt gratis nan lang ou pale a.

বাংলা (Bengali)

এটি একটি গুরুত্বপূর্ণ নথি। যদি এটি বুঝতে আপনার সাহায্যের প্রয়োজন হয় তবে অনুগ্রহ করে 1-855-355-5777 এ কল করুন। আপনি যে ভাষায় কথা বলেন আমরা আপনাকে বিনামূল্যে সে ভাষায় দোভাষী প্রদান করতে পারি।

اللغة العربية (Arabic)

هذه الوثيقة مهمة. وإذا كنت بحاجة إلى مساعدة لفهم الوثيقة، يُرجى الاتصال على الرقم 1-855-355-5777. ويمكننا أن نوفر لك مترجمًا فورًا باللغة التي تتحدثها مجانًا.

한국어 (Korean)

중요 문서입니다. 이해하는 데 도움이 필요하시면, 1-855-355-5777번으로 전화하십시오. 귀하가 사용하는 언어의 무료 통역사를 제공해드릴 수 있습니다.

Français (French)

Ceci est un document important. Si vous avez besoin d'aide pour le comprendre, appelez le 1-855-355-5777. Nous pouvons vous offrir gratuitement les services d'un interprète qui parle votre langue.

Polski (Polish)

Ten ocument jest ważny. Jeśli potrzebuje Pan(i) pomocy w jego zrozumieniu, proszę zadzwonić pod numer 1-855-355-5777. Możemy zapewnić bezpłatne usługi tłumacza w Pana(i) języku.

हिन्दी (Hindi)

यह एक महत्वपूर्ण दस्तावेज है। यदि आपको इसे समझने के लिए सहायता की आवश्यकता हो, तो कृपया 1-855-355-5777 पर कॉल करें। हम आपको आप जो भाषा (हिंदी) बोलते हैं उसमें निःशुल्क दुभाषिया सेवा प्रदान कर सकते हैं।

ودرا (Urdu)

یہ اہم دستاویز ہے۔ اگر آپ کو اسے سمجھنے میں مدد درکار ہے، تو براہ کرم 1-855-355-5777 پر کال کریں۔ ہم آپ کو آپ کی زبان میں مفت ترجمان فراہم کر سکتے ہیں۔

shqip (Albanian)

Ky është një dokument i rëndësishëm. Nëse ju nevojitet ndihmë për ta kuptuar, ju lutemi të telefononi në 1-855-355-5777. Mund t'ju caktojmë një përkthyes pa pagesë, në gjuhën tuaj.

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Tiếng Việt (Vietnamese)

Đây là tài liệu quan trọng. Nếu quý vị cần trợ giúp để hiểu tài liệu này, vui lòng gọi 1-855-355-5777. Chúng tôi có thể cung cấp cho quý vị một thông dịch viên miễn phí bằng ngôn ngữ quý vị nói.

Italiano (Italian)

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日本語 (Japanese)

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Ελληνικά (Greek)

Αυτό είναι ένα σημαντικό έγγραφο. Αν χρειάζεστε βοήθεια με την κατανόησή του, καλέστε στο 1 855 355 5777. Μπορούμε να σας παρέχουμε δωρεάν διερμηνέα στη γλώσσα που μιλάτε.

Tagalog (Tagalog)

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Soomaali (Somali)

Kani waa dokumenti muhiim ah. Haddi aad caawimaad ugu baahantahay fahamkiisa, fadlan wac 1-855-355-5777. Waxaan si bilaash ah kuugu siin karnaa adeeg turjumaan luuqadda aad ku hadasha ah.

יידיש (Yiddish)

דאס איז א וויכטיקער דאקומענט. אויב איר דארפט הילף דאס צו פארשטיין, ביטע רופט 1-855-355-5777. מיר קענען אייך צולייגן א טייטשער אומזיסט אינעם שפראך וואס איר רעדט.

Kiswahili (Swahili)

Hii ni hati muhimu. Ikiwa unahitaji msaada wa kuielewa, tafadhali piga simu kwa 1-855-355-5777. Tunaweza kukupa mkalimani bila malipo kwa lugha unayozungumza.

Akan kasa (Twi)

Wei ye nhomaa eho sombo. Se wobe hia mboa de ateasie a, ye sre fre 1-855-355-5777. Ye be tumi ama wo nkyerekyeremuni a yen gye ho hwee wo kasa wo ka mu.



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RICARDO DANE
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Case Number: MC923612458
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Matthias Julia

Member ID: PX110424870 / CIN: JE88606F

**ACTION TAKEN BY NY
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You are no longer enrolled in health insurance through NY State of Health. Your coverage with **Empire BlueCross BlueShield HealthPlus** will end on **January 31, 2026**.

We based this decision on information you submitted to us. If you think we made a mistake, contact us right away at **1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220)**.

**WHAT YOU NEED TO DO
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You may also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/smartscreen/main.jsf> or by mail or phone at U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue, SW, Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, D.C. 20201; 1-800-368-1019 (TTY: 1-800-537-7697). Complaint forms are available at hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html.

Accommodations

NY State of Health provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:

- TTY through New York Relay Service
- If you are blind or seriously visually impaired and need notices or other written materials in an alternative format (large print, audio or data CD, or Braille), contact 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

NY State of Health also provides free language assistance services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:

- Qualified interpreters
- Written information in other languages

If you need these services or for more information on Reasonable Accommodations, please call 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

Go Paperless

Make managing your account easier by going paperless. All your important notices will be in one secure place. You can read your notices online at any time. We will send you an email alert when a new notice is available on your NY State of Health account. You must log into your account to view your notices. We will not include any private or confidential information in the email.

If you want to go paperless, log into your account and select “Manage Case Profile” in the left navigation panel of the dashboard. Under “Communication Preferences,” choose “Send me an email” to get email alerts when new notices are posted to your NY State of Health account. You can change this selection at any time.

It is important your address is correct in your account. Make sure that we have your current mailing and residential address. Coverage for you or your family may be impacted if we do not have your current address.

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Getting Help in a Language Other than English

This is an important document. If you need help to understand it, please call 1-855-355-5777. We can give you an interpreter for free in the language you speak.

Español (Spanish)

Este es un documento importante. Si necesita ayuda para entenderlo, llame al 1-855-355-5777. Podemos proporcionarle gratuitamente un intérprete en el idioma que habla.

繁體中文 (Traditional Chinese)

這是一份重要文件。如果您在理解這份文件上需要幫助，請撥打電話：1-855-355-5777。我們可為您免費提供一名會講您的語言的口譯人員。

简体中文 (Simplified Chinese)

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Русский (Russian)

Это важный документ. Если вам нужна помощь, чтобы понять его, позвоните по телефону 1-855-355-5777. Мы можем бесплатно предоставить вам переводчика на ваш родной язык.

Kreyòl Ayisyen (Haitian Creole)

Sa a se yon dokiman enpòtan. Si ou bezwen èd pou w konprann li, tanpri rele 1-855-355-5777. Nou ka ba ou yon entèprèt gratis nan lang ou pale a.

বাংলা (Bengali)

এটি একটি গুরুত্বপূর্ণ নথি। যদি এটি বুঝতে আপনার সাহায্যের প্রয়োজন হয় তবে অনুগ্রহ করে 1-855-355-5777 এ কল করুন। আপনি যে ভাষায় কথা বলেন আমরা আপনাকে বিনামূল্যে সে ভাষায় দোভাষী প্রদান করতে পারি।

اللغة العربية (Arabic)

هذه الوثيقة مهمة. وإذا كنت بحاجة إلى مساعدة لفهم الوثيقة، يُرجى الاتصال على الرقم 1-855-355-5777. ويمكننا أن نوفر لك مترجمًا فورًا باللغة التي تتحدثها مجانًا.

한국어 (Korean)

중요 문서입니다. 이해하는 데 도움이 필요하시면, 1-855-355-5777번으로 전화하십시오. 귀하가 사용하는 언어의 무료 통역사를 제공해드릴 수 있습니다.

Français (French)

Ceci est un document important. Si vous avez besoin d'aide pour le comprendre, appelez le 1-855-355-5777. Nous pouvons vous offrir gratuitement les services d'un interprète qui parle votre langue.

Polski (Polish)

Ten ocument jest ważny. Jeśli potrzebuje Pan(i) pomocy w jego zrozumieniu, proszę zadzwonić pod numer 1-855-355-5777. Możemy zapewnić bezpłatne usługi tłumacza w Pana(i) języku.

हिन्दी (Hindi)

यह एक महत्वपूर्ण दस्तावेज है। यदि आपको इसे समझने के लिए सहायता की आवश्यकता हो, तो कृपया 1-855-355-5777 पर कॉल करें। हम आपको आप जो भाषा (हिंदी) बोलते हैं उसमें निःशुल्क दुभाषिया सेवा प्रदान कर सकते हैं।

ودرا (Urdu)

یہ اہم دستاویز ہے۔ اگر آپ کو اسے سمجھنے میں مدد درکار ہے، تو براہ کرم 1-855-355-5777 پر کال کریں۔ ہم آپ کو آپ کی زبان میں مفت ترجمان فراہم کر سکتے ہیں۔

shqip (Albanian)

Ky është një dokument i rëndësishëm. Nëse ju nevojitet ndihmë për ta kuptuar, ju lutemi të telefononi në 1-855-355-5777. Mund t'ju caktojmë një përkthyes pa pagesë, në gjuhën tuaj.

नेपाली (Nepali)

यो एउटा महत्वपूर्ण कागजात हो। यदि तपाईंलाई यसलाई बुझ्नमा मद्दत आवश्यक पर्छ भने कृपया 1-855-355-5777 मा फोन गर्नुहोस्। हामी तपाईंले बोल्ने भाषामा तपाईंलाई निःशुल्क रूपमा दोभाषे उपलब्ध गराउन सक्छौं।

Tiếng Việt (Vietnamese)

Đây là tài liệu quan trọng. Nếu quý vị cần trợ giúp để hiểu tài liệu này, vui lòng gọi 1-855-355-5777. Chúng tôi có thể cung cấp cho quý vị một thông dịch viên miễn phí bằng ngôn ngữ quý vị nói.

Italiano (Italian)

Questo è un documento importante. Se ha bisogno di assistenza per capirlo, chiami il numero 1-855-355-5777. Possiamo fornirle gratuitamente un interprete per la lingua da lei parlata.

日本語 (Japanese)

これは重要な書類です。理解するのにアシスタンスが必要な場合は1-855-355-5777までお電話下さい。お客様の話しになる言語の通訳を無料でお付け致します。

Ελληνικά (Greek)

Αυτό είναι ένα σημαντικό έγγραφο. Αν χρειάζεστε βοήθεια με την κατανόησή του, καλέστε στο 1 855 355 5777. Μπορούμε να σας παρέχουμε δωρεάν διερμηνέα στη γλώσσα που μιλάτε.

Tagalog (Tagalog)

Ito ay isang mahalagang dokumento. Kung kailangan mo ng tulong upang maunawaan ito, mangyaring tawagan ang 1-855-355-5777. Maaari ka naming bigyan ng isang interpreter ng libre sa wika na sinasalita mo.

Soomaali (Somali)

Kani waa dokumenti muhiim ah. Haddi aad caawimaad ugu baahantahay fahamkiisa, fadlan wac 1-855-355-5777. Waxaan si bilaash ah kuugu siin karnaa adeeg turjumaan luuqadda aad ku hadasha ah.

יידיש (Yiddish)

דאס איז א וויכטיקער דאקומענט. אויב איר דארפט הילף דאס צו פארשטיין, ביטע רופט 1-855-355-5777. מיר קענען אייך צולייגן א טייטשער אומזיסט אינעם שפראך וואס איר רעדט.

Kiswahili (Swahili)

Hii ni hati muhimu. Ikiwa unahitaji msaada wa kuielewa, tafadhali piga simu kwa 1-855-355-5777. Tunaweza kukupa mkalimani bila malipo kwa lugha unayozungumza.

Akan kasa (Twi)

Wei ye nhomaa eho sombo. Se wobe hia mboa de ateasie a, ye sre fre 1-855-355-5777. Ye be tumi ama wo nkyerekyeremuni a yen gye ho hwee wo kasa wo ka mu.



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1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220)



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RICARDO DANE
C/O BRAULIO BRICE
2647 THOMAS COURT
MASKED, NY 11554

Case Number: MC923612458
Date of Notice: December 01, 2025
Submission Date: December 01, 2025

NOTICE - AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

You are receiving this notice because you have been given permission to be an authorized representative by the individuals listed in this notice.

As an authorized representative, you have permission to act on behalf the individuals listed in this notice on all matters that relate to the case or NY State of Health account.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR MEDICAID COVERAGE

Ricardo Dane

Member ID: PX110424861 / CIN: FK54901M

Decision About Your Benefits

You continue to qualify for Community Medicaid from November 01, 2025 to January 31, 2026.

You do not qualify for **Community Medicaid** after **January 31, 2026**. If the Medicaid Program is paying for health insurance premiums (including Medicare), the payment of these premiums will end on the same date your Medicaid ends.

Starting February 01, 2026, you qualify for Medicare Savings Program - Qualified Medicare Beneficiary.

Action Needed:

Log into your account to learn more about your health coverage. You can find out how to access services.

Helpful Information:

- You cannot pick a new Medicaid Managed Care Plan until October 31, 2025. You cannot pick a new health plan unless you have a good reason. For more information, please contact NY State of Health.
- **You may get your health insurance premiums paid by Medicaid.** If you are enrolled or can enroll in employer group health insurance, call us for more information.
- Show your other health insurance or MEDICARE card and your Medicaid card when you get medical services. The provider must bill the other health insurance or MEDICARE before billing Medicaid.
- Medicaid may pay for extra benefits and services not covered by your other health insurance or MEDICARE if your provider takes Medicaid.

- The Medicare Savings Program - Qualified Medicare Beneficiary helps you pay for your Medicare premium, deductibles, and co-insurance.

Matthias Julia

Member ID: PX110424870 / CIN: JE88606F

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- The Medicare Savings Program - Qualified Medicare Beneficiary helps you pay for your Medicare premium, deductibles, and co-insurance.

How We Made Our Decision

We look at your household size, income, resources and other information listed in the application or a change you submitted on December 01, 2025, and information from state and federal data sources to decide if you qualify.

Note: The Medicare Savings Program does not look at your resources. If you think we made a mistake, contact us right away at 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

Ricardo Dane

Member ID: PX110424861 / CIN: FK54901M

You qualify for Medicaid without Long Term Care because:

- Your monthly countable income of \$1,160.00 is under the income limits of \$2,433.00 for a household size of 2 to qualify for Medicaid without Long Term Care. Your income is the amount of money you make in a month. We base your income on information you gave us. We base your income on information we get from state and federal data sources. Come back and update your account if this is no longer your household income.
- Your total resources (things you own) of \$0.00 that you reported to us is under the resource limit of \$43,781.00 for a household size of 2 to qualify for Medicaid without Long Term Care. We base your resources on information you give us and information we may get from other sources.

You qualify for Community Medicaid from November 1, 2025 to January 31, 2026 because:

- Your monthly countable income of \$600.00 is under the income limits of \$0.00 for a household size of 1 to qualify for Community Medicaid. Your income is the amount of money you make in a month. We base your income on information we get from state and federal data sources. Come back and update your account if this is no longer your household income.
- Your total resources (things you own) of \$0.00 that you reported to us is under the resource limit of \$0.00 for a household size of 1 to qualify for Community Medicaid. We base your resources on information you give us and information we may get from other sources.
- Certain individuals who are age 65 or older or have Medicare, must have their Medicaid eligibility determined on a different basis that considers resources, income and certain deductions.

You qualify for Medicare Savings Program - Qualified Medicare Beneficiary because:

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- Since you do not qualify for Medicaid without Long Term Care, you do not need to provide:

Matthias Julia

Member ID: PX110424870 / CIN: JE88606F

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You qualify for Community Medicaid from November 1, 2025 to January 31, 2026 because:

- Your monthly countable income of \$580.00 is under the income limits of \$0.00 for a household size of 1 to qualify for Community Medicaid. Your income is the amount of money you make in a month. We base your income on information we get from state and federal data sources. Come back and update your account if this is no longer your household income.
- Your total resources (things you own) of \$0.00 that you reported to us is under the resource limit of \$0.00 for a household size of 1 to qualify for Community Medicaid. We base your resources on information you give us and information we may get from other sources.
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- Since you do not qualify for Medicaid without Long Term Care, you do not need to provide:

Legal Reference

► We made our decision for Ricardo Dane based on these rules:

- United States Code: 42 U.S.C. § 1396w
- New York Codes, Rules and Regulations: 18 N.Y.C.R.R. § 349.3(b); § 351.1(b)(2)(ii); § 351.2; § 351.2(h); § 351.5; § 351.6; § 351.8(a)(2)(ii); § 360-4.1; § 360-4.2; § 360-4.3; § 360-4.4; § 360-4.5; § 360-4.6; § 360-4.7; § 360-4.8 and § 360-7.7(g)
- New York Social Services Law: N.Y.S.O.S. § 366-a(2) and § 367-a(3)(a)

Legal Reference

Important! You must take steps to set up your online account.

► We made our decision for Matthias Julia based on these rules:

Your NY State of Health online account has important information about your household. You can view and update your application at any time by accessing your online account. This means you can keep track of your health insurance information, including your notices.

• United States Code: 42 U.S.C. § 1396w- New York Codes, Rules and Regulations: 18 N.Y.C.R.R. § 349.3(b); § 351.1(b)(2)(ii); § 351.2; § 351.2(h); § 351.5; § 351.6; § 351.8(a)(2)(ii); § 360-4.1; § 360-4.2; § 360-4.3; § 360-4.4; § 360-4.5; § 360-4.6; § 360-4.7; § 360-4.8 and § 360-7.7(g)

To set up your online account, go to nystateofhealth.ny.gov. Click on GET STARTED. Then, Click LOGIN if you already have a NY.gov ID, or Click on REGISTER if you are a new user.

- New York Social Services Law: N.Y.S.O.S. § 366-a(2) and § 367-a(3)(a)

After you log in, enter this invitation code- MC199093242560512- to confirm your personal information and finish setting up your account.

You Must Report Changes

Over the next year, you must tell NY State of Health about any changes that would affect your eligibility for enrollment in health insurance within 30 days of such a change. You need to tell us if:

- Your income changes;
- You get access to or enroll in the New York State Health Insurance Program (NYSHIP);
- Your eligibility for health insurance from a job changes;
- The cost of your health insurance premium from a job changes;
- You become qualified for other health insurance;
- You move;
- There is a change in immigration status;
- Your household changes. For example, you marry/divorce, become pregnant, or have a child; adopt a child, or a child is placed for adoption with you;
- There is a change in full-time student status (if applicable to application members);
- You change how you plan to file your taxes. For example, you will claim new dependents.

If you do not report changes within 30 days and they affect your ability to get government help with insurance costs, you may have to pay back some or all of the assistance subsidies you received.

HOW TO REPORT CHANGES TO NY STATE OF HEALTH

Contact us if you have any questions about this Notice. Let us know if you need help applying for or accessing your health insurance coverage.

Call us at:
1-855-355-5777
(TTY: 1-800-662-1220)

Mail:
NY State of Health
PO Box 11781
Albany, NY 12211

Log into your account at nystateofhealth.ny.gov or contact us to tell us about any changes.

If You Think We Made a Mistake

If you think we made a mistake about your eligibility, you can call us to discuss your concerns. Call NY State of Health at 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

You can appeal a decision:

- That you do not meet the rules for coverage under Medicaid;
- That you do not meet the rules for the Medicare Savings Program;
- Delayed by NY State of Health. Example: You did not get a notice telling you if you meet the rules for Medicaid coverage within the required 45 days.

NY State of Health has a coordinated appeals process, which means that its Appeals Unit will hear all the issues listed above.

For appeals of **medical care or services** please contact the NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA). You can contact OTDA and request a fair hearing:

<https://otda.ny.gov/hearings/request/>

By Mail: NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance
Office of Administrative Hearings,
40 North Pearl Street, 15th Floor,
Albany, NY 12243

By Fax: 518-473-6735

By Phone: 1(800)342-3334

How to Request an Appeal and Additional Information

An appeal is your request to NY State of Health to review and change a decision we have made about your eligibility.

How and When to Ask for an Agency Conference

If you think our decision was wrong or if you do not understand our decision, please call us to arrange a meeting. Sometimes this is the fastest way to solve any problems you may have. We encourage you to do this even when you ask for an appeal.

If you only ask for a meeting with us, we will not keep your benefits the same while you appeal. Your benefits will stay the same only if you ask for your coverage to continue.

How and When to Ask for an Appeal

You have 60 calendar days from the date on this notice to ask for an appeal. You will receive a letter from NY State of Health saying that we received your request. We will send you a letter telling you the date and time of your appeal hearing.

Asking for Your Coverage to Continue

If you have coverage, you can ask to keep it while you go through the appeals process. You must ask for this when you ask for an appeal. This means that your current insurance program will continue until a decision is made about your appeal. If you have Medicaid coverage, we will continue your coverage if you request it within 10 days from the date of this notice OR before the eligibility effective date listed in this notice, whichever is later.

The Appeal Hearing

The hearing is your chance to explain why you disagree with the NY State of Health's decision. A hearing officer will make a decision about your appeal. The hearing officer will not take sides and will not favor you or NY State of Health. The officer will conduct the hearing by phone. Here is what you need to do before, during, and after the hearing.

Before the hearing

Look at the documents NY State of Health used to make a decision about your eligibility. You can send us information that might help us understand your appeal.

You can request specific policy materials necessary to help you decide whether to ask for an appeal or to help you prepare for your appeal hearing. We may try to resolve your issues through an informal dispute resolution process.

During the hearing

You can have someone with you during your telephone hearing if you want to. That person can be a friend, relative, lawyer, or other individual. Or you can participate in your hearing on your own.

If you think you need a lawyer to help you with this problem, you may be able to obtain a lawyer at no cost to you by contacting:

New York State of Health
1-855-355-5777
(TTY: 1-800-662-1220)

NY State of Health
PO Box 11782
Albany, NY 12211

After the hearing

The outcome of an appeal could change the eligibility of other people on your account even if they do not ask for an appeal.

If the appeal is not resolved in your favor, you may be responsible for the cost of the health coverage that you used while your appeal was being processed. Here are some examples of what you may have to do when the appeal is not resolved in your favor:

- If you received coverage through Medicaid while your appeal is being determined, you may have to pay back the cost of Medicaid benefits you received.

HOW TO REQUEST AN APPEAL OR REQUEST MORE INFORMATION

Contact us if you have any questions about this Notice. Let us know if you need help applying for or accessing your health insurance coverage.

Call us at:

1-855-355-5777
(TTY: 1-800-662-1220)

Fax your response to:

1-855-900-5557

Mail request to:

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OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)

New York State is committed to protecting your privacy. To learn more about NY State of Health’s privacy practices go to nystateofhealth.ny.gov or call customer service at 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

Notice of Nondiscrimination Policy

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ودرا (Urdu)

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shqip (Albanian)

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Tiếng Việt (Vietnamese)

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日本語 (Japanese)

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Ελληνικά (Greek)

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Tagalog (Tagalog)

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יידיש (Yiddish)

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Kiswahili (Swahili)

Hii ni hati muhimu. Ikiwa unahitaji msaada wa kuielewa, tafadhali piga simu kwa 1-855-355-5777. Tunaweza kukupa mkalimani bila malipo kwa lugha unayozungumza.

Akan kasa (Twi)

Wei ye nhomaa eho sombo. Se wobe hia mboa de ateasie a, ye sre fre 1-855-355-5777. Ye be tumi ama wo nkyerekyeremuni a yen gye ho hwee wo kasa wo ka mu.



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RICARDO DANE
C/O BRAULIO BRICE
2647 THOMAS COURT
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Case Number: MC923612458
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NOTICE - AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE



You are receiving this notice because you have been given permission to be an authorized representative by the individuals listed in this notice.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT YOUR PLAN ENROLLMENT

This notice concerns your health insurance through NY State of Health as of December 01, 2025.

If any of the enrollment information listed below is not correct, call us right away.

Ricardo Dane

Member ID: PX110424861 / CIN: FK54901M

Member Details:

First Name & Last Name: Ricardo Dane

Member ID: PX110424861

CIN: FK54901M

Medicaid Plan Information:

Plan Name: Empire BlueCross BlueShield HealthPlus

Insurance Company: Empire BlueCross BlueShield HealthPlus

Plan Type: Medicaid Managed Care

Your Premium: \$0 (free) per month

Enrollment Start Date: February 01, 2026

Phone Number: 800-600-4441 (TTY:1-800-662-1220)

Legal Reference

► We made our decision for Ricardo Dane based on these rules:

- Section § 364-j of the Social Services Law.

Next Steps for Health Plan Enrollment in Medicaid:

- If you need health care before your health plan starts, use your New York State Benefit Identification card. You can use it at any health provider who accepts Medicaid.
- All consumers enrolled in a Medicaid Managed Care plan get two cards. You get a Medicaid card and a health plan identification card. You must bring both cards each time you use medical services.
- Some services, like pharmacy benefits, are not covered by your health plan. You must get them from Medicaid providers. NYRx, the NY Medicaid Pharmacy Program, will cover your prescription drugs. Most pharmacies in New York State accept NYRx. Show your New York State Benefit Identification card or your health plan identification card to the pharmacy when getting your prescriptions filled.
- You will get information about your health plan benefits and available providers from your health plan. Your health plan will cover services like doctor's visits, hospital care, lab tests, and more. For any questions about your health plan's services and providers, you must contact your health plan directly.
- You must contact your new health plan to choose your Primary Care Provider (PCP). If you pick a new doctor, call the office first. Make sure they accept new patients and is participating in your health plan.
- You may opt out of enrolling in a Medicaid Managed Care plan. Some people have special situations allowing them to choose either a health plan or regular (fee-for-service) Medicaid. This includes Native Americans and people in certain waiver programs, like the Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) waiver and Office for People With Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) waiver. If you think you have one of these special situations or want to learn more, you may call NY State of Health.
- You may select and enroll in a Special Needs Plan (SNP) if one is available where you live. SNPs have their own doctors, providers, and hospitals. They meet the health needs of people who are homeless, transgender, or living with HIV/AIDS. Medicaid members who qualify for SNPs can switch to these plans at any time.
- You may qualify to enroll in a Health and Recovery Plan (HARP). HARPs assist adults who require physical and/or behavioral health services. HARPs provide doctor visits, mental health services, substance use disorder services, medications, and hospital care. Medicaid members eligible for HARP may switch plans at any time.
- If you qualify for HARP or SNP, you can switch plans anytime. If you qualify for other plans, you must switch within 90 days of starting your plan. You can only switch plans if another plan is available in your area. After 90 days, you must wait 9 months to switch, unless you have a good reason. For more information, contact us at NY State of Health.

How to pick a plan

- If you want to change plans, log into your NY State of Health account. Click on "Manage Health Plan" to access the Plan Selection Dashboard. Then click on "Find A Different Plan" to pick a new Medicaid Managed Care plan.
- If you do not have internet access and want to pick a plan over the phone, call NY State of Health at 1-855-355-5777.

Remember: You must pick a plan by the 15th of the month for coverage to start on the first of the next month.

How to Contact NY State of Health:

Contact us if you have any questions about this Notice. Let us know if you need help applying for or accessing your health insurance coverage.

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OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Information About Ending or Changing Your Coverage through NY State of Health

Ending Your Coverage

You can end your coverage through NY State of Health at any time. You can end coverage for yourself, for everybody in your household, or just for some household members. Call us at NY State of Health at 1-855-355-5777 to learn more about ending your coverage.

Important Things to Consider When Ending Your Coverage:

- If you end your Medicaid coverage, you will no longer be able to access services after your coverage ends.

Changing Your Coverage

If anything has changed in your life that might affect how you are covered and what you pay for health insurance, you must go to nystateofhealth.ny.gov. Log into your account to update your application with any changes about you or your household members. The types of changes that may affect your eligibility can be found in the section, “You Must Report Changes,” of this notice.

If you are enrolled in a Medicaid Managed Care plan and want to switch plans and do not want to make any other changes to your account, call us at NY State of Health to find out if you are eligible to switch plans and to pick a different plan.

You Must Report Changes

Over the next year, you must tell NY State of Health about any changes that would affect your eligibility for enrollment in health insurance within 30 days of such a change. You need to tell us if:

- Your income changes;
- You get access to or enroll in the New York State Health Insurance Program (NYSHIP);
- Your eligibility for health insurance from a job changes;
- The cost of your health insurance premium from a job changes;
- You become qualified for other health insurance;
- You move;
- There is a change in immigration status;
- Your household changes. For example, you marry/divorce, become pregnant, or have a child; adopt a child, or a child is placed for adoption with you;
- There is a change in full-time student status (if applicable to application members);
- You change how you plan to file your taxes. For example, you will claim new dependents.

If you do not report changes within 30 days and they affect your ability to get government help with insurance costs, you may have to pay back some or all of the assistance subsidies you received.

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If You Think We Made a Mistake

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You can appeal a decision:

- That you do not meet the rules for coverage under Medicaid;
- That you do not meet the rules for the Medicare Savings Program;
- Delayed by NY State of Health. Example: You did not get a notice telling you if you meet the rules for Medicaid coverage within the required 45 days.

NY State of Health has a coordinated appeals process, which means that its Appeals Unit will hear all the issues listed above.

For appeals of **medical care or services** please contact the NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA). You can contact OTDA and request a fair hearing:

<https://otda.ny.gov/hearings/request/>

By Mail: NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance
Office of Administrative Hearings,
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Albany, NY 12243

By Fax: 518-473-6735

By Phone: 1(800)342-3334

How to Request an Appeal and Additional Information

An appeal is your request to NY State of Health to review and change a decision we have made about your eligibility.

How and When to Ask for an Agency Conference

If you think our decision was wrong or if you do not understand our decision, please call us to arrange a meeting. Sometimes this is the fastest way to solve any problems you may have. We encourage you to do this even when you ask for an appeal.

If you only ask for a meeting with us, we will not keep your benefits the same while you appeal. Your benefits will stay the same only if you ask for your coverage to continue.

How and When to Ask for an Appeal

You have 60 calendar days from the date on this notice to ask for an appeal. You will receive a letter from NY State of Health saying that we received your request. We will send you a letter telling you the date and time of your appeal hearing.

Asking for Your Coverage to Continue

If you have coverage, you can ask to keep it while you go through the appeals process. You must ask for this when you ask for an appeal. This means that your current insurance program will continue until a decision is made about your appeal. If you have Medicaid coverage, we will continue your coverage if you request it within 10 days from the date of this notice OR before the eligibility effective date listed in this notice, whichever is later.

The Appeal Hearing

The hearing is your chance to explain why you disagree with the NY State of Health's decision. A hearing officer will make a decision about your appeal. The hearing officer will not take sides and will not favor you or NY State of Health. The officer will conduct the hearing by phone. Here is what you need to do before, during, and after the hearing.

Before the hearing

Look at the documents NY State of Health used to make a decision about your eligibility. You can send us information that might help us understand your appeal.

You can request specific policy materials necessary to help you decide whether to ask for an appeal or to help you prepare for your appeal hearing. We may try to resolve your issues through an informal dispute resolution process.

During the hearing

You can have someone with you during your telephone hearing if you want to. That person can be a friend, relative, lawyer, or other individual. Or you can participate in your hearing on your own.

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After the hearing

The outcome of an appeal could change the eligibility of other people on your account even if they do not ask for an appeal.

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RICARDO DANE
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2647 THOMAS COURT
MASKED, NY 11554

Case Number: MC923612458
Date of Notice: December 01, 2025

NOTICE - AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE



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IMPORTANT NOTICE ABOUT YOUR PLAN ENROLLMENT

This notice concerns your health insurance coverage through NY State of Health for the individual(s) listed below.

If any of the enrollment information listed below is not correct, please call us right away.

Matthias Julia

Member ID: PX110424870 / CIN: JE88606F

**ACTION TAKEN BY NY
STATE OF HEALTH:**

You are no longer enrolled in health insurance through NY State of Health. Your coverage with **Empire BlueCross BlueShield HealthPlus** will end on **January 31, 2026**.

We based this decision on information you submitted to us. If you think we made a mistake, contact us right away at **1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220)**.

**WHAT YOU NEED TO DO
NEXT:**

If your circumstances change, you may re-apply for health insurance.

Legal Reference

- ▶ We made our decision for Matthias Julia based on these rules:
 - Section § 364-j of the Social Services Law.

If You Think We Made a Mistake

If you think we made a mistake about your eligibility, you can call us to discuss your concerns. Call NY State of Health at 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

You can appeal a decision:

- That you do not meet the rules for coverage under Medicaid;
- That you do not meet the rules for the Medicare Savings Program;
- Delayed by NY State of Health. Example: You did not get a notice telling you if you meet the rules for Medicaid coverage within the required 45 days.

NY State of Health has a coordinated appeals process, which means that its Appeals Unit will hear all the issues listed above.

For appeals of **medical care or services** please contact the NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA). You can contact OTDA and request a fair hearing:

<https://otda.ny.gov/hearings/request/>

By Mail: NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance
Office of Administrative Hearings,
40 North Pearl Street, 15th Floor,
Albany, NY 12243

By Fax: 518-473-6735

By Phone: 1(800)342-3334

How to Request an Appeal and Additional Information

An appeal is your request to NY State of Health to review and change a decision we have made about your eligibility.

How and When to Ask for an Agency Conference

If you think our decision was wrong or if you do not understand our decision, please call us to arrange a meeting. Sometimes this is the fastest way to solve any problems you may have. We encourage you to do this even when you ask for an appeal.

If you only ask for a meeting with us, we will not keep your benefits the same while you appeal. Your benefits will stay the same only if you ask for your coverage to continue.

How and When to Ask for an Appeal

You have 60 calendar days from the date on this notice to ask for an appeal. You will receive a letter from NY State of Health saying that we received your request. We will send you a letter telling you the date and time of your appeal hearing.

Asking for Your Coverage to Continue

If you have coverage, you can ask to keep it while you go through the appeals process. You must ask for this when you ask for an appeal. This means that your current insurance program will continue until a decision is made about your appeal. If you have Medicaid coverage, we will continue your coverage if you request it within 10 days from the date of this notice OR before the eligibility effective date listed in this notice, whichever is later.

The Appeal Hearing

The hearing is your chance to explain why you disagree with the NY State of Health's decision. A hearing officer will make a decision about your appeal. The hearing officer will not take sides and will not favor you or NY State of Health. The officer will conduct the hearing by phone. Here is what you need to do before, during, and after the hearing.

Before the hearing

Look at the documents NY State of Health used to make a decision about your eligibility. You can send us information that might help us understand your appeal.

You can request specific policy materials necessary to help you decide whether to ask for an appeal or to help you prepare for your appeal hearing. We may try to resolve your issues through an informal dispute resolution process.

During the hearing

You can have someone with you during your telephone hearing if you want to. That person can be a friend, relative, lawyer, or other individual. Or you can participate in your hearing on your own.

If you think you need a lawyer to help you with this problem, you may be able to obtain a lawyer at no cost to you by contacting:

New York State of Health
1-855-355-5777
(TTY: 1-800-662-1220)

NY State of Health
PO Box 11782
Albany, NY 12211

After the hearing

The outcome of an appeal could change the eligibility of other people on your account even if they do not ask for an appeal.

If the appeal is not resolved in your favor, you may be responsible for the cost of the health coverage that you used while your appeal was being processed. Here are some examples of what you may have to do when the appeal is not resolved in your favor:

- If you received coverage through Medicaid while your appeal is being determined, you may have to pay back the cost of Medicaid benefits you received.

HOW TO REQUEST AN APPEAL OR REQUEST MORE INFORMATION

Contact us if you have any questions about this Notice. Let us know if you need help applying for or accessing your health insurance coverage.

Call us at:

1-855-355-5777
(TTY: 1-800-662-1220)

Fax your response to:

1-855-900-5557

Mail request to:

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Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)

New York State is committed to protecting your privacy. To learn more about NY State of Health's privacy practices go to nystateofhealth.ny.gov or call customer service at 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

Notice of Nondiscrimination Policy

NY State of Health complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and state laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, creed/religion, sex, age, marital/family status, disability, pregnancy-related conditions, arrest record, criminal conviction(s), gender identity, sexual orientation, predisposing genetic characteristics, military status, domestic violence victim status and/or retaliation.

If you believe that NY State of Health has discriminated against you, you may file a complaint by going to: health.ny.gov/regulations/discrimination_complaints/ or by emailing the Diversity Management Office at DMO@health.ny.gov.

You may also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/smartscreen/main.jsf> or by mail or phone at U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue, SW, Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, D.C. 20201; 1-800-368-1019 (TTY: 1-800-537-7697). Complaint forms are available at hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html.

Accommodations

NY State of Health provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:

- TTY through New York Relay Service
- If you are blind or seriously visually impaired and need notices or other written materials in an alternative format (large print, audio or data CD, or Braille), contact 1-855-355-5777 (TTY: 1-800-662-1220).

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- Qualified interpreters
- Written information in other languages

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Go Paperless

Make managing your account easier by going paperless. All your important notices will be in one secure place. You can read your notices online at any time. We will send you an email alert when a new notice is available on your NY State of Health account. You must log into your account to view your notices. We will not include any private or confidential information in the email.

If you want to go paperless, log into your account and select “Manage Case Profile” in the left navigation panel of the dashboard. Under “Communication Preferences,” choose “Send me an email” to get email alerts when new notices are posted to your NY State of Health account. You can change this selection at any time.

It is important your address is correct in your account. Make sure that we have your current mailing and residential address. Coverage for you or your family may be impacted if we do not have your current address.

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Getting Help in a Language Other than English

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Español (Spanish)

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繁體中文 (Traditional Chinese)

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Kreyòl Ayisyen (Haitian Creole)

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