

AFFORDABLE CARE ACT (ACA)

# FACT SHEET

FOR PARENTS AND FAMILIES



For more information and to enroll, contact Covered California:

[www.coveredca.com](http://www.coveredca.com)  
1 (800) 300-1506

## AFFORDABLE HEALTH COVERAGE JUST GOT EASIER!

- ▶ Financial assistance will be available for many families and individuals, students, parents, and employees.
- ▶ No one can be denied coverage because of a pre-existing health condition, such as asthma or diabetes.
- ▶ Several plans and cost choices will be available.

### Affordable Health Coverage Means

- ▶ Preventive care for children and adults will be provided at no cost. For example, there will be no co-payments for services like check-ups and immunizations for children or health screenings for adults.
- ▶ Insurers can no longer set annual maximums on care received.

## Two Health Care Options for Children and Families:

### 1 COVERED CALIFORNIA— Affordable Health Insurance

**Covered California** is the new health insurance marketplace in the state. Four different levels of health insurance plans are available through Covered California. The level determines how much you pay each month, but ALL plans include the same comprehensive benefits.

Financial assistance may be available to help with monthly premium costs. For example, a family of four making between \$32,500 and \$94,200 or a family of two making \$21,400 to \$62,040 a year may be eligible for financial assistance.

### 2 MEDI-CAL— No or Low-Cost Health Coverage

**FOR ADULTS**— If, for example, annual income for a family of two is less than \$21,400, adults (including those without children) may be eligible to enroll in Medi-Cal.

**FOR CHILDREN**— If annual income for a family of four is less than \$58,875, children may qualify for Medi-Cal.

Apply online at [www.coveredca.com](http://www.coveredca.com). For more information or assistance, call 1 (800) 300-1506.

## CHECK IT OUT

- ▶ Use Covered California's online calculator to find out what you may qualify for:  
[www.coveredca.com/fieldcalc/#calculator](http://www.coveredca.com/fieldcalc/#calculator)
- ▶ Find out what health care plans and benefits are available on Covered California's website:  
[www.coveredca.com/individuals\\_and\\_families.html](http://www.coveredca.com/individuals_and_families.html)

## ENROLL NOW!

- ▶ Open Enrollment:  
**October 1, 2013 – March 31, 2014.**
- ▶ Enroll by December 15, 2013 for health coverage that starts January 1, 2014.
- ▶ Children eligible for Medi-Cal can enroll any time for coverage that starts right away.

## DID YOU KNOW?

**2.6 MILLION** Californians may be able to get financial assistance through Covered California.

**461,000** currently uninsured children can NOW enroll in Medi-Cal.

**2.4 MILLION** adults—including those without children—can enroll in Medi-Cal.

## 1 2 3 WAYS TO ENROLL

- 1 ONLINE:** go to [www.coveredca.com](http://www.coveredca.com)
- 2 BY PHONE:** call 1 (800) 300-1506
- 3 IN PERSON:** call 1 (800) 300-1506 for the location nearest you

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[www.allinforhealth.org](http://www.allinforhealth.org)  
(916) 844-2413

A PROJECT OF THE CHILDREN'S PARTNERSHIP

ALL IN is a Campaign to inform millions of people in the school community who are uninsured about health coverage options and help them enroll. This includes children, parents, school and child-care employees, and after-school staff.

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