



MEDICAID UPDATE, 2024

Some types of Medicaid require monthly payments, either called premiums or spend downs. Since 2020, we have had extra protections due to the COVID-19 public health emergency.

One of those protections ensured your Medicaid could not be closed for non-payment, even if you had a type of Medicaid that would normally require monthly payments.

That is now ending. Family Support Division is in the process of sending out notices to warn people about payments restarting. **June will be the first month where you will lose coverage if you missed a payment.**

You will get invoices in the mail if you owe a premium.

People who will have to make payments:

- 1) children who are on CHIP coverage, and whose families have income above 150% of the federal poverty level,
- 2) adults who are elderly (65+) or disabled and have income above 85% of the federal poverty level
- 3) disabled adults on Ticket to Work coverage.

The amount of premium is very fact-specific based on your family size and income.

Your exact amount will appear on your Medicaid approval notice as well as your monthly invoices. You can also contact Family Support Division to learn more.

Call at 1-855-373-4636 (FSD INFO), visit your local office, or visit the DSS website at: <https://apps.dss.mo.gov/BenefitReview/BenefitSummary.aspx>



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