# DC Healthy Families Insurance (SCHIP)

## What is DC Healthy Families Insurance?

DC Healthy Families is a Medicaid program for the children of parents whose incomes are too high for Medicaid, but still too low to pay for their children's health insurance. SCHIP covers doctor's visits, vision, dental care, prescription medication, hospitalization and more. Those who may be eligible include:

- Children
- Adolescents under the age of 19 who live alone
- Parents and guardians of children
- Pregnant women

#### How does it work?

Medical services are provided through a system of doctors located throughout the District of Columbia. DC Healthy Families coverage is quite complete and includes well and sick doctor visits, immunizations, vision, dental and other health services.

## How does one apply?

- Complete a DC Healthy Families Application for Health Insurance. Childless adults who are not pregnant, elderly and disabled individuals, and Medicare participants should complete and submit a Combined Application for Benefits form, instead.
  - Visit a local DHS Income Maintenance Administration Service Center.
  - Call a local DHS Income Maintenance Administration Service Center and ask that an application be mailed to you.
  - Pick up an application at your local library, Giant, Safeway, CVS, or Rite Aid.
  - Print out the DC Healthy Families Application for Health Insurance found on the DC Department of Health website. (DC Healthy Families Application for Health Insurance, Spanish)

### 2010 Income Limits for Children Only

People in Household	Yearly Income
1	\$32,490
2	43,710
3	54,930
4	66,150
5	77,370
6	88,590
7	99,810
8	111,030
Each additional person	+11,220

Source: DC Department of Health Care Finance

#### 2010 Income Limits for Entire Family

People in Household	Yearly Income
1	\$21,660
2	29,140
3	36,620
4	44,100
5	51,580
6	59,060
7	66,540
8	74,020
Each additional person	+7,480

Source: DC Department of Health Care Finance

#### **Contact Information**

DC Department of Health DC Healthy Families Enrollment Office 1820 Jefferson Place, NW Washington, DC 20036 Phone: (202) 639-4030

TTY: (202) 639-4041 Hours of Operation:

8 am-7 pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

8 am-9 pm Wednesday 8 am-1 pm Saturday

DC Department of Human Services Income Maintenance Administration Service Centers

Customers can call the IMA at (202) 724-5506 for help with the application process or to learn which Service Centers serve their addresses.

Anacostia Service Center 2100 Martin Luther King Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20020

Congress Heights Service Center 4001 South Capitol Street, SW Washington, DC 20032

Fort Davis Service Center 3851 Alabama Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20020 H Street Service Center 645 H Street, NE Washington, DC 20002

Taylor Street Service Center 1207 Taylor Street, NW Washington, DC 20011