

MD Children's Health Program Premium

What is MCHP?

MCHP Premium is a low cost health coverage program for uninsured children under 19 years of age. MCHP Premium covers children whose families' incomes are too high to qualify for MCHP.

How does it work?

MCHP Premium recipients are not eligible for Medicaid or "regular" MCHP and pay a monthly fee of \$48 or \$60 per family. Services covered include:

- Well and sick doctor visits
- Hospital care
- Lab work and tests
- Dental
- Vision
- Immunizations
- Prescription medicines
- Transportation
- Mental health services
- Substance abuse treatment

Income Limits (Effective March 1, 2009)

People in Household	Children 200-250% FPL	Children 250-300% FPL
1	\$27,075	\$32,490
2	36,425	43,710
3	45,775	54,930
4	55,125	66,150
5	64,475	77,370
Each additional person	+9,350	+11,220
You Pay	\$48	\$60

*Includes unborn child.

Adapted from: *MCHP Income Guidelines*. Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. 28 June 2010. http://dhmh.maryland.gov/mma/mchp/pdf/2009/MCHP_Income_Guidelines_3-09.pdf

How does one apply?

Contact the Montgomery County Department of Health and Human Services or the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene.

Contact Information

[Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene](#)

Phone (Hotline): 1 (800) 456-8900

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Montgomery County Department of Health and Human Services offices

Up-County/Germantown

- Germantown Regional Services Center, 12900 Middlebrook Road

Mid-County/Rockville

- Mid-County Health and Human Services Building, 1301 Piccard Drive
- Mid-County Health Center, 1335 Piccard Drive
- Children's Resource Center, 332 W. Edmonston Road
- 401 Hungerford Drive, Rockville
- 751 Twinbrook Parkway
- 7300 Calhoun Place, Rockville

Down-County/Silver Spring

- DHHS East County Regional Office
- Silver Spring Health & Human Services Center, 8818 Georgia Avenue
- Silver Spring Health Center, 8630 Fenton Street
- Dennis Avenue Health Center, 2000 Dennis Avenue
- Progress Place, 8210 Colonial Lane
- TESS Center, 8513 Piney Branch Road