AUBURN UNIVERSITY

Medicaid and the Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP)
Offers Free or Low-Cost Health Coverage to Children and Families

The effective date of this notice is January 1, 2015.

If you or your children are eligible for Medicaid or CHIP and you are eligible for health coverage from your employer, your state may have a premium assistance program that can help pay for coverage. These states use funds from their Medicaid or CHIP programs to help people who are eligible for these programs, but also have access to health insurance through their employer. If you or your children are not eligible for Medicaid or CHIP, you will not be eligible for these premium assistance programs.

If you or your dependents are already enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP and you live in a state listed below, you can contact your state Medicaid or CHIP office to find out if premium assistance is available.

If you or your dependents are NOT currently enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP and you think you or any of your dependents might be eligible for either of these programs, you can contact your state Medicaid or CHIP office or contact (877) KIDS NOW ((877) 543-7669) or www.insurekidsnow.gov to find out how to apply. If you qualify, you can ask the state if it has a program that might help you pay the premiums for an employer sponsored plan.

Once it is determined that you or your dependents are eligible for premium assistance under Medicaid or CHIP, as well as eligible under your employer plan, your employer must permit you to enroll in your employer plan if you are not already enrolled. This is called a “special enrollment” opportunity, and you must request coverage within 60 days of being determined eligible for premium assistance.

If you have questions about enrolling in your employer plan, you can contact the Department of Labor electronically at www.askesb. dol.gov or by calling toll-free 1 (866) 444-EBSA (3272).

If you live in one of the following states, you may be eligible for assistance in paying your employer health plan premiums. The following list of states is current as of July 31, 2014. You should contact your state for further information on eligibility.

**ALABAMA Medicaid**
Website: www.medicaid.alabama.gov
Phone: (855) 692-5447

**FLORIDA Medicaid**
Website: www.flmedicaidplerecovery.com
Phone: (877) 357-3268

**GEORGIA Medicaid**
Website: dch.georgia.gov
Click on Programs, then Medicaid, then Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP)
Phone: (800) 869-1150

**ALASKA Medicaid**
Website: health.hss.state.ak.us/dpa/programs/medicaid
Phone (Outside of Anchorage): (888) 318-8890
Phone (Anchorage): (907) 269-6529

**ARIZONA CHIP**
Website: www.azahcccs.gov/applicants
Phone (Outside of Maricopa County): (877) 764-5437
Phone (Maricopa County): (802) 417-5437

**COLORADO Medicaid**
Medicaid Website: www.colorado.gov
Phone (In state): (800) 866-3513
Phone (Out of state): (800) 221-3943

**IDAHO Medicaid and CHIP**
Medicaid Website:
www.accesstohealthinsurance.idaho.gov
CHIP Website: www.medicaid.idaho.gov
CHIP Phone: (800) 926-2588

**INDIANA Medicaid**
Website: www.in.gov/fssa
Phone: (800) 889-9949

**IOWA Medicaid**
Website: www.dhs.state.ia.us/hipp/
Phone: 1-888-346-9562

**KANSAS Medicaid**
Website: www.kdheks.gov/hcf
Phone: (800) 792-4884

**KENTUCKY Medicaid**
Website: chfs.ky.gov/dms/default.htm
Phone: (800) 635-2570

**LOUISIANA Medicaid**
Website: www.lahipp.dhh.louisiana.gov
Phone: (888) 695-2447

**MAINE Medicaid**
Website: www.maine.gov/dhs/ofi/publicassistance/index.html
Phone: (800) 977-6740
TTY: (800) 977-6741

**MASSACHUSETTS Medicaid and CHIP**
Website: www.mass.gov/MassHealth
Phone: (800) 462-1120

**MINNESOTA Medicaid**
Website: www.dhs.state.mn.us
Click on Health Care, then Medical Assistance
MISSOURI Medicaid
Website: www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm
Phone: (573) 751-2005

MONTANA Medicaid
Website: medicaidprovider.hhs.mt.gov/clientpages/clientindex.shtml
Telephone: (800) 694-3084

NEBRASKA Medicaid
Website: www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov
Phone: (800) 383-4278

NEVADA Medicaid
Medicaid Website: dwss.nv.gov
Medicaid Phone: (800) 992-0900

NEW HAMPSHIRE Medicaid
Website: www.dhhs.nh.gov/oii/documents/hippapp.pdf
Phone: (603) 271-5218

NEW JERSEY Medicaid and CHIP
Medicaid Website: www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmahs/clients/medicaid
Medicaid Phone: (609) 631-2392
CHIP Website: www.njfamilycare.org/index.html
CHIP Phone: (800) 701-0710

NEW YORK Medicaid
Website: www.nyhealth.gov/health_care/medicaid/
Phone: (800) 541-2831

NORTH CAROLINA Medicaid
Website: www.ncdhhs.gov/dma
Phone: (919) 855-4100

NORTH DAKOTA Medicaid
Website: www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid/
Phone: (800) 755-2604

OKLAHOMA Medicaid and CHIP
Website: www.insureoklahoma.org
Phone: (888) 365-3742

OREGON Medicaid and CHIP
Websites: www.oregonhealthykids.gov or www.hijossaludablesoregon.gov
Phone: (800) 699-9075

Pennsylvania Medicaid
Website: www.dpw.state.pa.us/hipp
Phone: (800) 692-7462

RHODE ISLAND Medicaid
Website: www.ohhs.ri.gov
Phone: (401) 462-5300

SOUTH CAROLINA Medicaid
Website: www.scdhhs.gov
Phone: (888) 549-0820

SOUTH DAKOTA Medicaid
Website: www.dss.sd.gov
Phone: (888) 828-0059

TEXAS Medicaid
Website: www.gethipptexas.com
Phone: (800) 440-0493

UTAH Medicaid and CHIP
Website: health.utah.gov/upp
Phone: (866) 435-7414

VERMONT Medicaid
Website: www.greenmountaincare.org
Phone: (800) 250-8427

VIRGINIA Medicaid and CHIP
Medicaid Website: www.dmas.virginia.gov/rcp-HIPP.htm
Medicaid Phone: (800) 432-5924
CHIP Website: www.famis.org
CHIP Phone: (866) 873-2647

WASHINGTON Medicaid
Website: hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/premiumpymt/Apply.shtm
Phone: (800) 562-3022 ext. 15473

WISCONSIN Medicaid
Website: www.dhs.state.wi.us/services/hipp
Phone: (877) 598-5280, HMS Third Party Liability

WYOMING Medicaid
Website: health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/equalitycare
Telephone: (307) 777-7531

As of July 31, 2014, Mississippi and Tennessee do not offer premium assistance programs. If you reside in either state and want to see if it has added a premium assistance program since July 31, 2013, or for more information on special enrollment rights, you can contact either:

U.S. Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration
www.dol.gov/ebsa
(866) 444-EBSA (3272)

Or

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services
www.cms.hhs.gov
(877) 267-2323, Menu Option 4, ext. 61565