

Good News!

The five-year waiting period has been eliminated



Starting **July 1st, 2016** all lawfully residing children in Florida may now qualify for health insurance through Florida KidCare.

Call today for free in-person application assistance!



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Frequently Asked Questions

Who does the new law apply to?

Non-citizen children, up to their 19th birthday, who reside in Florida, meet the Florida KidCare income guidelines, and have the necessary documentation to prove they are lawfully present in the United States.

My child is enrolled in the Florida Healthy Kids or MediKids full-pay program but I think he/she may now be eligible for reduced-cost coverage. What should I do?

Currently enrolled full-pay children that become eligible for subsidized coverage because of this new legislation will be automatically changed to lower cost coverage effective July 1 and sent a letter. If you have not received a letter by July, but believe your child may be eligible for subsidized coverage, you may contact 1-800-821-5437 to find out if your child now qualifies.

My child was denied because of the five-year rule. What should I do to find out if he/she qualifies now?

Please call 1-888-540-5437 to update your information and find out if your child is now eligible.

How may a child who is covered through the federal marketplace, www.healthcare.gov switch to Florida KidCare?

If the child meets the income requirements, then www.healthcare.gov will transfer the child’s information to Florida KidCare during the next federal marketplace open enrollment period. Families may also contact www.healthcare.gov at any time to update their income information. Families with lawfully residing children no longer subject to the waiting period may also ask www.healthcare.gov to update their eligibility status based on the new law.

How may a child who is covered through employer-based or private coverage switch to Florida KidCare?

If a child is enrolled through employer-based or other private coverage, they can apply at any time, however, Florida KidCare coverage will not begin until the other coverage has ended.

No Change	5-Year Wait Eliminated	Newly Eligible
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refugee • Asylee • Cuban/Haitian Entrant • Granted Withholding of Deportation or Removal • Victims of Human Trafficking • Unmarried Dependents of Non-Citizens Serving in the US Military • Members of Federally Recognized Indian Tribe of American Indian Born in Canada 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lawful Permanent Resident (LPR) • Paroled into the US for at Least One Year • Battered Child or Child of Battered Person 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Granted Relief Under the Convention Against Torture (CAT) • Temporary Protected Status (TPS) • Deferred Enforcement Departure (DED) • Deferred Action • Paroled into US for Less than One Year • Individual with Non-Immigrant Status • Administrative Stay of Removal • Lawful Temporary Resident • Family Unity <p>Newly Eligible - Applicant</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant for LPR • Applicant for Asylum • Applicant for Special Immigrant Juvenile Status • Applicant for Victim of Trafficking VISA • Applicant for Withholding of Deportation or Removal <p>Newly Eligible - Employment Authorization Required</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant for Temporary Protected Status • Registry Applicants • Order of Supervision • Applicant for Cancellation of Removal or Suspension of Deportation • Applicant for Legalization Under IRCA • Applicant for LPR Under the LIFE Act