

Which Door Could You Enter To Get Health Insurance?





Type of Insurance	Who is Eligible	Where to Enroll	When to Enroll
Health Insurance Marketplace	 Everyone from newborn to 65 65 and over, not enrolled in Medicare 	 Depends on the type of Marketplace Federally-facilitated or Partnership – Enroll through HealthCare.gov or the Marketplace Call Center at 1-800-318-2596, TTY: 1-855-889-4325 State based – State's Marketplace website and the state's Marketplace Call Center All – agents and brokers 	 Marketplace Open Enrollment: November 1, 2017 – December 15, 2017 Special Enrollment Period (if you qualify) Any time for Medicaid and CHIP
Employer—Sponsored Health Plan (includes Small Business Health Options Program or SHOP)	 People who are actively employed, and their spouse/dependents Retirees 	 With your employer HealthCare.gov starting November 15 if your employer participates in SHOP 	 At the time you're hired (there may be a waiting period) When you have a life changing event (marriage, birth or adoption of child, etc)
Medicare	 People who are 65 and older People of any age who have End-Stage Renal Disease People under 65 with certain disabilities and entitled to Social Security Disability Insurance 	 With Social Security (<u>SocialSecurity.gov</u>), if not automatically enrolled With the Railroad Retirement Board (<u>RRB.gov</u>), if not automatically enrolled (for railroad retirees) 	 Medicare Initial Enrollment Period Medicare Special Enrollment Period Medicare General Enrollment Period For ESRD, enrollment date is based on when you qualify (4 month waiting period)
Medicaid and CHIP (other Government— Sponsored Programs)	 People who have been determined eligible for these programs 	 With the state or federal agency Health Insurance Marketplace 	■ Apply anytime
VA and TRICARE	 Veterans and their families, depending on the service members' discharge from active military service, their active duty status or retiree status 	 With your military employer Apply online at <u>VA.gov/HEALTHBENEFITS/</u> <u>Apply</u>, or at your local VA health care facility 	 At the time you enlist or are comissioned as a Department of Defense employee When you receive your military separation or retirement orders
Private Insurance Market	Everyone from newborn to 6565 and over, not enrolled in Medicare	With private insurance companiesAgents and brokers	Open Enrollment PeriodSpecial Enrollment PeriodAny time depending on the company

Visit healthcare.gov/people-with-disabilities/ssdi-and-medicare/ for information about the Marketplace, Medicare, and Medicaid for people receiving Social Security Disability Insurance. Visit healthcare.gov/medicare/changing-from-marketplace-to-medicare/ for information about someone who has a Marketplace plan and becomes eligible for Medicare.

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