

## What is covered?\*

- All routine visits to the doctor's office for checkups, sickness or minor injury
- Visits to specialists
- Prescription and non-prescription drugs
- Lab work, x-rays and other diagnostic services
- Vision services including lenses and frames
- Emergency services
- Inpatient hospital services for medical, surgical, mental health, alcohol, and substance abuse care
- Outpatient surgery
- Durable medical equipment, prosthetics and orthotics
- Therapeutic services
- Speech and hearing services including hearing aids
- Home health care
- Outpatient visits for mental health and for the diagnosis and treatment of alcoholism and substance abuse
- Dental care
- Hospice services



## How do I enroll?

Univera Community Health provides a special enrollment process so that new members can learn everything they need to know about the program. A marketing staff member will explain the Child Health Plus program and help complete necessary enrollment forms. The parent or guardian will need to submit proof of the child's birth date (copy of the birth certificate; passport; visa; or hospital, school or religious record), proof of residency (copy of a phone or utility bill), and proof of the household's income level (copy of W-2 forms, last years' income tax return, or payroll stubs).

Call the Univera Community Health's marketing office at **716-504-0560** or **1-800-494-2215** to find out more or to arrange a Child Health Plus enrollment meeting.



Child Health Plus is administered by  
the New York State Department of Health.

**For Information Call:**  
**716-504-0560** or  
**1-800-494-2215**

For NYS Relay Service, call **1-800-421-1220**. To use a TTY, call **1-800-662-1220**. For translation service, call **847-0881**, and ask for the AT&T language line.

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New York State's Health Plan for Kids

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*Community Health*

[www.univeracommunityhealth.org](http://www.univeracommunityhealth.org)

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## What is Child Health Plus?



There are many families today who have no health insurance. The children of these families may not receive routine health care and prompt treatment for illnesses and injuries. This can result in future health problems for these children.

New York State is responding by sponsoring the **Child Health Plus** program. **Child Health Plus is a health insurance program for children up to the age of 19 who have no health insurance coverage and are not eligible for Medicaid.** Child Health Plus insurance coverage is available locally through Univera Community Health.

Univera Community Health's Child Health Plus program offers coverage for such services as doctor's office visits, prescriptions, diagnostic services including lab and x-ray services, necessary emergency care, and hospitalization. The goal is to provide complete, high-quality health care.



## Who is eligible?



Children under the age of 19 may join Univera Community Health's Child Health Plus program if they meet the following guidelines:

- Must be a resident of New York State
- Cannot be covered under any other health insurance program
- Meet specific family income guidelines defined by the State to determine if your child (ren) will be eligible for free or low cost coverage. (Coverage is available for the full premium if household income exceeds guidelines.) Consult the annual income guidelines chart to determine your cost.

All children must recertify each year. When a child reaches the age of 19, he or she is no longer eligible for the program.



## Where will your kids receive care?

Children who enroll in Child Health Plus through Univera Community Health will have access to **all Univera Community Health affiliated medical centers, offices, and physician practices located throughout the area.** First you select a primary care doctor from the Univera Community Health provider directory. This provider becomes your children's family doctor who will provide or arrange for all their health care needs. Care is by appointment except in emergencies.



## What does it cost?

Depending on your family income, you may have Child Health Plus coverage at no cost or you may have to pay a contribution toward the premium. Find your annual gross household income on the chart below and read the information in that category to see how much, if any you will have to pay.

### Child Health Plus Income Guidelines\*

Household Size	If your gross family income is <u>below</u> this amount the program is <b>FREE</b>	If your gross family income is between these amounts, the program cost is <b>\$9.00 per child per month</b> (\$27.00/mo. family maximum)	If your gross family income is between these amounts, the program cost is <b>\$15.00 per child per month</b> (\$45.00/mo. family maximum)	If your gross family income is <u>above</u> these amounts, the program cost is <b>Full Premium</b> <b>\$98.55 per child per month</b>
	<b>Gross Family Income</b>			
1	Below 1,241	1,242 – 1,723	1,724 – 1,940	Above 1,940
2	Below 1,665	1,666 – 2,311	2,312 – 2,603	Above 2,603
3	Below 2,089	2,090 – 2,899	2,900 – 3,265	Above 3,265
4	Below 2,513	2,514 – 3,488	3,489 – 3,928	Above 3,928
5	Below 2,937	2,938 – 4,076	4,077 – 4,590	Above 4,590
6	Below 3,361	3,362 – 4,664	4,665 – 5,253	Above 5,253
Extra Person	424	589	663	663

\*Effective 1/1/2004