



MEDI-CAL RENEWALS

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UPCOMING MEDI-CAL & CALFRESH CHANGES IN 2023

- Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2023
- Medi-Cal Continuous Eligibility Coverage (CEC)
- Medi-Cal Annual Redeterminations
- Medi-Cal Outreach



WHAT IS IT?

- The Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2023, is a \$1.7 trillion omnibus spending bill funding the U.S. Federal Government for the 2023 FY
- The bill was passed by Congress and signed into law by President Biden on December 29, 2022
- The bill contained provisions that cut funding for Pandemic provisions that have provided enhanced benefits and services to both the Medicaid and SNAP programs during the COVID-19 Pandemic
- Eliminating these provisions will directly impact all Medi-Cal and CalFresh recipients in California



WHAT IS CEC?

- CEC requirements preserved Medi-Cal coverage for beneficiaries throughout the Pandemic by maintaining coverage, regardless of eligibility
- Currently, over 1 million residents in San Diego County receive Medi-Cal
- The Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2023 de-links the CEC requirement from the Federal Public Health Emergency, which ended on May 11, 2023
- CEC requirements ended on March 31, 2023
- Unwinding of CEC requirement began on April 1, 2023



RESUMPTION OF ANNUAL REDETERMINATIONS

- Counties began processing Medi-Cal Annual Redeterminations in April, for the benefit month of June
- Not all beneficiaries will be required to complete a packet
- Medi-Cal packets will be mailed in yellow envelopes through June 2024
- Redeterminations will be processed with an effective date of July 1, 2023 until all renewals are completed over the next year
- Changes in eligibility, including “adverse” changes (share of cost, reduction of benefits, etc.) and discontinuances began on July 1, 2023



DHCS & SAN DIEGO COUNTY ACTIVITIES

- DHCS has launched a marketing campaign to spread the word about Medi-Cal Annual Redeterminations through June 2024
- DHCS has launched the www.KeepMediCalCoverage.org website with resources for beneficiaries
- New Access Customer Service Center IVR option added for Medi-Cal Annual Redeterminations
- San Diego County is also be conducting outreach to inform beneficiaries to update their address and contact information with the County and also inform them of their upcoming Annual Redetermination when due
- There are ways you also can help spread the word!



Have you moved?

tell us!

How do I do that?

It's easy! Choose any of these methods

-Call us: (866) 262-9881 TDD 711

-Online: www.benefitscal.org

-LaterDocs: getcalfresh.org

-Mail: PO Box 939043

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Monthly Medi-Cal Renewal Report

Medi-Cal Renewals			Data as of 6/30					
	Jun-23	%	Jun-23	%	Jul-23	%	Aug-23	%
Total Medi-Cal Renewals Due	46,900	100%	46,900	100%	47,860	100%	46,235	100%
Total Medi-Cal Renewals Auto Renewed	12,890	27%	12,890	27%	13,110	27%	13,581	29%
Total Medi-Cal Renewals Renewed via Combo Case*	7,364	16%	15,046	32%	7,081	15%	7,053	15%
Total Medi-Cal Renewal Packets Mailed	26,646	57%	26,646	57%	27,669	58%	25,601	55%
Packets Received, Not Yet Processed			5,967	13%	4,691	10%	10	0%
Total Medi-Cal Renewals Completed	20,254	43%	27,936	60%	20,191	42%	20,634	45%
Total Medi-Cal Renewals Pending Receipt	26,646	57%	12,997	28%	22,978	48%	25,591	55%

Source: Daily RRR Status Report

*Combo: Medi-Cal With Active CF/GR/CW

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QUESTIONS?



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