



**Do you need healthcare insurance for your children?
Are you caught in the healthcare gap?**

There are 8.4 million uninsured children in the United States; 502,000 of them are in Florida. Many are eligible for low-cost or free health care coverage through Medicaid or Florida KidCare and do not realize it.

Florida KidCare is our state's children's health insurance program for uninsured children under age 19. Eligibility for Florida KidCare is based on your child's age and family income.

Florida KidCare is for children, not adults. To qualify, a child must:

- Be under age 19,
- Be uninsured,
- Meet income eligibility requirements,
- Be a U.S. citizen or [qualified non-citizen](#),
- Not be the dependent of a state employee eligible for health insurance, and
- Not be in a public institution.
- There is no charge for Medicaid for children (KidCare Medicaid).
- For other Florida KidCare programs, monthly premiums depend on your household's size and income. Most families usually are required to pay just \$15 or \$20 a month
- You may have to pay small charges or co-payments for some services.
- If you are a grandparent, grandchildren that live with you may be eligible for Florida KidCare. The grandchildren you are applying for must live in your home, but it does not matter how long they have lived with you.
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Do you want to know more?

You can [print a Florida KidCare application](#) from this web site, or call **1-888-540-5437** toll-free and one will be sent to you.