

Medicaid Customer Service Center Phone Numbers

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**Make sure you identify yourself
as a Former Foster Care youth on
your Medicaid application to
prevent the unnecessary
collection of your income
information.**

**Remember, Former Foster Care
youth are eligible for Medicaid,
regardless of their income.**

Don't Wait In Line . . . Go Online!

Web Address:

www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov

Online Services:

- ➡ Do I Qualify?
- ➡ Apply
- ➡ Report Changes
- ➡ Benefit Inquiry
- ➡ Submit Documents



Complete your renewal online too!

If you have been contacted for a review, you can now complete this online. You can access your renewal application via your Benefit Inquiry Account on the ACCESSNebraska website.

Former Foster Care Youth:

A NEW Healthcare Option

Effective

January 1, 2014,

**Former Foster Care
youth** may be eligible to
receive Medicaid up to
the age of 26.

Department of Health & Human Services

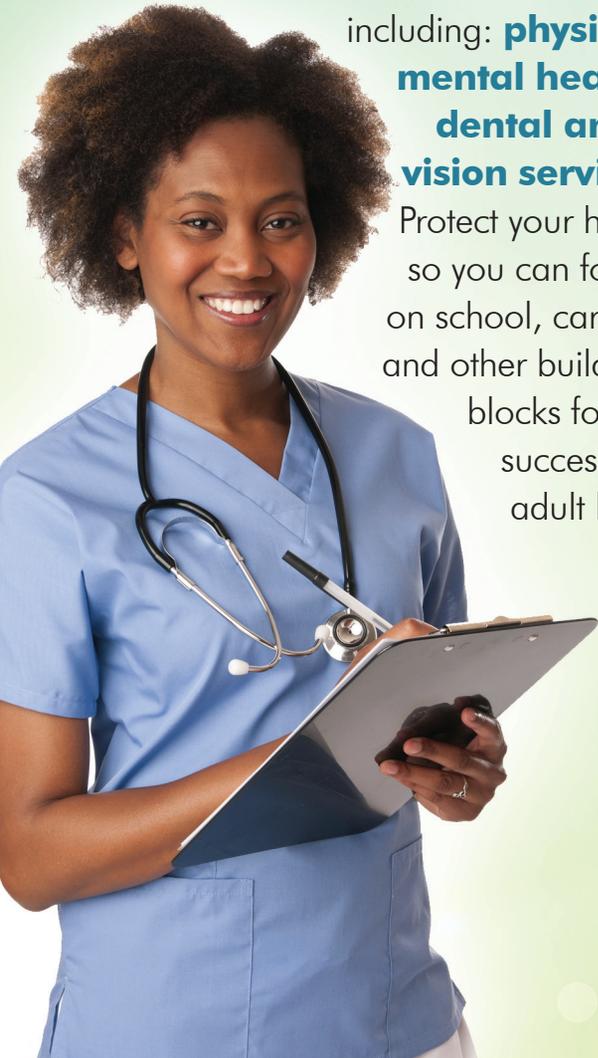


Former Foster Care youth now have a new option for health care coverage.

If you meet the requirements, Former Foster Care youth you may be eligible for Medicaid through age 26. There are NO income or asset guidelines.

Former Foster Care youth are eligible for full Medicaid services, including: **physical, mental health, dental and vision services.**

Protect your health so you can focus on school, career, and other building blocks for a successful adult life.



Former Foster Care Medicaid Eligibility Requirements

(477 NAC 24-006)



In order to receive Medicaid, Former Foster Care youth must:

1. Be under the age of 26;
2. Have received Medicaid at the time they aged out of foster care;
3. Have been in foster care under Nebraska or Nebraska tribe's responsibility; and
4. Not be eligible for or enrolled in mandatory Medicaid coverage through another Medicaid eligibility category (including parent/caretaker relatives, pregnant women, children, or Aid to the AABD/MA)

How can a Former Foster Care youth apply for Medicaid?

Online:

www.AccessNebraska.ne.gov/HealthCare.gov

By Mail:

Call the Nebraska Medicaid Customer Service Center to request that a paper application be mailed to you. When completed, this may be mailed, faxed, or electronically submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services.

In Person:

Stop by any local DHHS office to request a paper application. When completed, this may be mailed, faxed or electronically submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services.

By Phone:

Or, call the Nebraska Medicaid Customer Service Center to complete an application over the phone with a case worker.