

Tribal H.R.1 Timeline			
Section	Overview	Effective Date	Native Exemption
71119: Work/Community Engagement Requirements	Requires Medicaid expansion beneficiaries and applicants complete community engagement activities	May 1, 2026	Yes
71109: Eligibility Changes for Immigrants	Removes certain immigration statuses from being eligible for Medicaid	October 1, 2026	Yes*
71107: Six Month Redeterminations	Increases redeterminations for the Medicaid expansion group from every 12 months to every 6 months	January 1, 2027	Yes
71112: Retroactive Coverage Limits	Limits retroactive coverage to 1 month for the Medicaid expansion group and 2 months for all other Medicaid beneficiaries	January 1, 2027	No
Section 71118: Budget Neutrality for 1115 Waivers	Section 1115 Demonstration Waivers will have to follow new budget-neutrality rules	January 1, 2027	No
71120: Cost-Sharing for Expansion Adults	Implements cost-sharing for the Medicaid expansion group	October 1, 2028	Yes

***Native Americans born outside of the United States must have a lawful permanent resident status to remain eligible**

Exempted individuals

- American Indians and Alaska Natives (AI/AN), Urban Indians and California Indians
- Individuals eligible for services at an IHS facility, Tribally operated facility, or Urban Indian Organization (I/T/U)

Reporting a Native Exemption

- At application
 - Mark that the applicant is Native American on the Medicaid application and/or screener questions
- Other ways to report
 - Call, mail, or visit DHHS to report Tribal enrollment of affiliation
 - General Phone Number: (855) 632-7633
 - Lincoln Phone Number: (402) 473-7000
 - Omaha Phone Number: (402) 585-1178
 - Work with a Tribal facility to get the information to DHHS
 - Tribal facilities can submit a letter to DHHS stating that applicants and/or beneficiaries receive services from their facility
 - Online: <https://iserve.nebraska.gov>
 - By mail: P.O. Box 2992 Omaha, NE 68103-2992
 - By email: DHHS.ANDICenter@nebraska.gov