



CHIP and Children's Medicaid

Children in Texas without health insurance may be able to get low cost or free health coverage from the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) or Children's Medicaid. Both programs cover:

- Dentist visits, cleanings, and fillings
- Eye exams and glasses
- Choice of doctors, regular checkups, and office visits
- Prescription drugs and vaccines
- Access to medical specialists and mental health care
- Hospital care and services
- Medical supplies, X-rays, and lab tests
- Treatment of special health needs
- Treatment of pre-existing conditions

One application form covers both programs. Children may get health and medical services from either CHIP or Children's Medicaid, depending on the family's income. Families can apply online at: <http://www.chipmedicaid.org> or they can call 1-877-543-7669.