



PROGRAMS DEPARTMENT
MEDICAID/ HUSKY / TITLE 19

Medicaid is a form of health insurance designed to help people pay some or all of their medical-related bills. Full or limited coverage is made available to people who meet the Connecticut Medicaid guidelines. HUSKY A, HUSKY B, HUSKY C and HUSKY D are the four main coverage options for CT Medicaid.

HUSKY A – provides coverage if you are a child, a parent or a relative caregiver, depending on household income. In some instances, pregnant women also qualify for Medicaid under HUSKY A in Connecticut.

HUSKY B – provides coverage if you are an uninsured child under the age of 19, you may be eligible for Medicaid under the HUSKY B plan, which serves as the state’s form of the Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP).

HUSKY C – provides coverage for those age 65 and older, blind, disabled and the working disabled beginning at age 18.

HUSKY D – provides coverage for adults between the ages of 19 and 65 with no dependent children. In order to meet HUSKY D Medicaid qualifications, candidates must not receive Medicare and cannot be pregnant.

In addition to all of the above, women who need Medicaid benefits to treat breast cancer or cervical cancer also qualify for Medicaid in CT.

To apply for any of the CT Medicaid/Husky programs, visit [Connecticut’s Official State Website](#).



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Applying for Medicare:

You can apply online for Medicare even if you are not ready to retire. You may also apply by phone or in person.

- Online at the [Social Security Administration](#).
- By phone - Call Social Security at 1-800-772-1213 from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday. If you are deaf or hard of hearing, you can call TTY 1-800-325-0778.
- In person - Visit your [local Social Security office](#). (Call first to make an appointment.)

For additional information on Medicaid/Husky:

- CHOICES at (800) 994-9422 or (203) 333-9288.
- [Connecticut's Health Care for Children & Adults](#).