

# Health coverage for DACA recipients

Starting November 1, 2024, DACA recipients are eligible for OHP Bridge and Marketplace health coverage.

## What is Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA)?

DACA is a federal program that protects some people living without documentation from being deported. These immigrants came to the United States when they were children. DACA recipients can work and go to school. DACA isn't permanent. It needs to be renewed every two years.



## What is Oregon Health Plan (OHP) Plus?

The Oregon Health Plan (OHP) is Oregon's Medicaid program and includes Healthier Oregon. OHP Plus is available to kids and adults regardless of immigration status. OHP Plus covers medical, dental, and behavioral health care. Members have access to additional benefits, like transportation to medical appointments and health-related services. OHP Plus has no member costs. That means no premiums, no co-payments, no coinsurance and no deductibles.



## What is OHP Bridge?

Oregon Health Plan (OHP) Bridge is a new health coverage benefit for adults with income just above the traditional OHP Plus limit. You must have an eligible immigration status to qualify, which now includes DACA recipients. OHP Bridge does not cover long-term services and supports or climate, housing, or nutrition benefits. Just like OHP Plus, OHP Bridge has no member costs.



## What is the Marketplace?

The Oregon Health Insurance Marketplace helps Oregonians compare and enroll in private health insurance plans. It is the only place where enrollees may get help paying for health coverage and care. The Marketplace works directly with the state to refer people who are potentially eligible for OHP Plus and OHP Bridge. You must have an eligible immigration status to qualify, which now includes DACA recipients.

Questions?



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## What do these plans cover?

OHP Plus, OHP Bridge, and Marketplace plans offer a wide range of benefits, including:

- Free check-ups and preventive care
- Vaccinations
- Hospital care (both overnight and day visits)
- Maternity and newborn care
- Emergency services
- Lab tests, x-rays, and prescription medications
- Rehabilitation and support services
- Mental health and substance use treatment
- Dental and vision care for children

## How do I sign up?

No matter where you start, you will be referred to the right program for you. Help is available in many languages. All relay calls are accepted.

OHP Plus and OHP Bridge:

- Online at [benefits.oregon.gov](https://benefits.oregon.gov)
- By calling 800-699-9075
- In person at an [Oregon Department of Human Services \(ODHS\) office](https://orhim.info/DHSoffice) ([orhim.info/DHSoffice](https://orhim.info/DHSoffice))

Marketplace health coverage:

- Online at [HealthCare.gov](https://HealthCare.gov)
- By calling 800-318-2596


## Where should I start?

Use our Window Shopping tool to learn what program and savings are available to you. Visit the tool at [OregonHealthCare.gov/WindowShop](https://OregonHealthCare.gov/WindowShop).

## Can I get help?

Yes! Application assisters and insurance agents are available to help you apply for benefits. Find free local help near you at [OregonHealthCare.gov/GetHelp](https://OregonHealthCare.gov/GetHelp).

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