



Newborn Medicaid Coverage Notice

If the mother of your newborn child had Medicaid coverage at the time of the child's birth, the child will get Medicaid benefits until he or she turns 1 year old.

The facility where the child was born will notify the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) about the birth, and your child will be assigned an identification number. You may use the mother's Medicaid identification number for coverage of services the child receives until the child has their own Medicaid identification number.

A packet will be sent in the mail when it's time to renew Medicaid benefits for the child.

If you have any questions about the child's Medicaid coverage, call HHSC at 2-1-1 or 877-541-7905, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Central time. After selecting a language, choose option 2.