

Changes to Medicaid:

Extending Medicaid to more low-income Ohioans for coverage

beginning January 1, 2014.

Who is newly eligible for Medicaid coverage?

- Beginning January 1, 2014, an additional group of residents – also referred to as Group 8 – will become eligible for Medicaid coverage in Ohio.
- Group 8: This group includes adults between the ages of 19 to 64, who are between 0 – 138% FPL* and are not eligible under another category of Medicaid.
- Parents: Parents living with their minor children between 0-90% FPL are currently eligible for Medicaid coverage. **NEW:** Parents 91-138% FPL are now eligible as Group 8 adults. Adults without children are now eligible as Group 8 adults.

How can I apply for Medicaid?

- You can go to www.Benefits.Ohio.Gov to apply on line or
- You may now apply for Medicaid over the phone by calling **1-844-640-OHIO (6446)**. You do not have to go to your county DJFS if you're only apply for Medicaid.

*What does 138% FPL look like for an individual or household per year in 2018?

- 1 \$16,242
- 2 \$21,983
- 3 \$27,724
- 4 \$33,465
- 5 \$39,205
- 6 \$44,946