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## Reapply by May 31, 2023, to Keep Getting Health Care Benefits

During the COVID-19 pandemic, the federal government created temporary policies which allowed the Wisconsin Department of Health Services to temporarily change program rules to help protect the health and safety of members. As a result, most members of our BadgerCare Plus, Wisconsin Medicaid, or Family Planning Only Services programs have kept their benefits since March 2020. The federal government is now ending these temporary policies.

**To see if you can keep getting benefits as a member of BadgerCare Plus, a Wisconsin Medicaid program, or the Family Planning Only Services program, you must reapply by May 31, 2023.** If you do not act by that date, your benefits will end. If you reapply after May 31, 2023, you may have a gap in coverage.

There are four ways to apply for benefits:

1. **Online** – You can apply online using the ACCESS website at [access.wi.gov](http://access.wi.gov).
2. **Phone** – You can apply by phone by calling your income maintenance or tribal agency. Your agency's phone number can be found at [www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/forwardhealth/imagency](http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/forwardhealth/imagency).
3. **In Person** – You can apply by going to your agency. Your agency's address and contact information can be found at [www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/forwardhealth/imagency](http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/forwardhealth/imagency).
4. **Mail** – Fill out and mail a paper application to your agency. Your agency's address can be found at [www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/forwardhealth/imagency](http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/forwardhealth/imagency).

For more information about applying for benefits, go to [www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/forwardhealth/apply.htm](http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/forwardhealth/apply.htm).

After you reapply, you will get a letter telling you if you qualify for benefits. If you have questions about this letter or want to stop getting benefits, please call your agency. You can find your agency's phone number at [www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/forwardhealth/imagency](http://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/forwardhealth/imagency).