



DHS Resumes Monthly Premiums for Certain MinnesotaCare Enrollees for July 2024 Coverage

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MinnesotaCare Premiums Resume

- The 2023 Minnesota legislature temporarily suspended MinnesotaCare Premiums from May 2023 through June 2024 ([See Bulletin #23-21-12](#)).
- This bulletin announces that MinnesotaCare premiums will resume beginning with premiums for July 2024 coverage.
 - Certain enrollees who have a premium will need to pay their monthly premium to keep MinnesotaCare coverage.
 - Applicants who have a premium will be required to pay their initial premium before MinnesotaCare coverage can begin.

MinnesotaCare Premiums Communications

- On April 22, 2024, DHS mailed an [Important Information About MinnesotaCare Premiums notice \(DHS-8566A\)](#) to MinnesotaCare enrollees as a reminder that premiums are resuming.
- July premium invoices will be sent to enrollees in mid-May.
- The [MinnesotaCare Premium Resumption Stuffer \(DHS-8566\)](#) will be enclosed with the July premium invoice to remind enrollees they must pay their premium to maintain their MinnesotaCare coverage.
 - The stuffer will only be sent to enrollees who have a premium.

MinnesotaCare Premiums for newly eligible enrollees between May 16 – 31, and after June 1, 2024

- People who are determined newly eligible for MinnesotaCare on or after June 1, 2024, and who are required to pay a monthly premium, their MinnesotaCare coverage begins the month after DHS receives their first premium payment.
- Applicants who are determined newly eligible for MinnesotaCare from May 16 until May 31, 2024, will be enrolled for coverage beginning June 1, 2024, without a premium for June.
- People who are newly determined eligible for MinnesotaCare on or after June 1, 2024, who do not have a monthly premium will have coverage begin the first day of the month after eligibility is approved.

Closure for Failure to pay the Premium

- MinnesotaCare enrollees must pay their premiums no later than the last business day of the month before the month of coverage to avoid gaps in coverage.
- An enrollee who does not pay the premium timely receives coverage for a one-month grace period.
- DHS mails a grace month notice and coverage stops at the end of the grace month if they fail to pay their past due premium by noon on the last business day of the grace month.

Premium Payment options

- Online at <https://payments.dhs.state.mn.us>
- By phone at 800-657-3672, option 1 for enrolled, option 1 again to make a payment
- By mail at the following address
 - MinnesotaCare
 - PO Box 64834
 - St. Paul, MN 55164-0834
- In person at the following address
 - Minnesota Department Human Services
 - 540 Cedar St
 - St. Paul, MN 55155

Questions?
Thank you!

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- Consumers with questions about MinnesotaCare premiums should contact Health Care Consumer Support (HCCS) at DHS
 - 651-297-3862 or 800-657-3672
 - Phone number is listed on one-time notice and stuffer
- HCCS workers received training on MinnesotaCare premium resumption in late April to respond to enrollee questions