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New Jersey Care
... Special Medicaid Programs

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and
Disabled
Coverage**



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New Jersey Department of Human Services

What services are offered?

Complete Medicaid coverage is available to people eligible for this New Jersey Care program. Medicaid pays for:

- all physician services in the doctor's office, clinic, hospital, or nursing home
- home health care, medical day care, and personal care assistant services
- full cost of prescribed drugs from a pharmacy (including limited over-the-counter medicines)
- eyeglasses, hearing aids, artificial limbs, braces, and orthopedic shoes
- inpatient and outpatient hospital care
- services from dentists, podiatrists, psychologists, optometrists and chiropractors
- medical supplies and equipment
- mental health services in doctor's office, approved mental health clinic, or hospital outpatient department
- clinic services including rehabilitation services such as audiology, speech-language pathology, physical therapy, and occupational therapy
- ambulance and invalid coach services
- transportation to and from Medicaid approved health care services
- X-ray and laboratory services

If you are eligible to receive it, New Jersey Care will also pay your monthly Medicare Part B premium.

In addition, New Jersey Care will pay part of the cost of nursing home services including skilled nursing facility services and intermediate care facility services.

What are the income and asset limits for the program?

Your total income and assets should be no higher than these figures for you to be eligible for this New Jersey Care program:

Family Size	Maximum Monthly Income	Maximum Current Assets
1	\$480	\$3,800*
2	\$644	\$5,700**

* \$4,000, as of January 1, 1989

**\$6,000, as of January 1, 1989

Examples of assets are:

- money in bank accounts
- a car in certain situations †
- real estate property OTHER than that in which you live
- stocks, bonds, or certificates of deposit
- trust funds or retirement accounts
- some life insurance policies
- some personal effects
- some household goods

†A car needed for work or medical transportation is not counted as an asset.

Contact your county welfare agency/board of social services for more information about what is counted as income and assets.

**IF YOU OWN YOUR HOME AND A
CAR, YOU MAY STILL BE ELIGIBLE
FOR THIS NEW JERSEY CARE
PROGRAM.**

What if my income or assets are over the eligible guidelines but I have large medical bills?

If you are over the income limit, you may still qualify for some coverage under the Medically Needy component of New Jersey Care. However, if you are over the asset limit, you are not eligible for New Jersey Care.

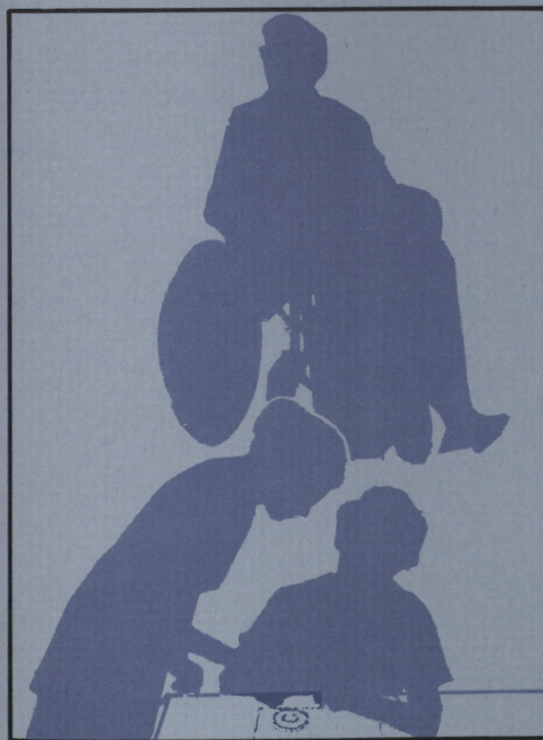
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Where should I apply?

If you think you may be eligible, call the county welfare agency/board of social services in the county where you live to make an appointment to apply for the New Jersey Care program.

Will New Jersey Care cover health services received before I applied for the program?

Yes! You may qualify for Medicaid coverage of unpaid bills for health services you received up to three months before you applied for this program. However, you must have met the eligibility requirements of the program at the time you received the services.



What are the telephone numbers of county welfare agencies/boards of social services?

ATLANTIC	(609) 348-3001
BERGEN	(201) 393-4500
BURLINGTON	(609) 261-1000
CAMDEN	(609) 757-6600
CAPE MAY	(609) 886-6200
CUMBERLAND	(609) 691-4600
ESSEX	(201) 733-3059
GLOUCESTER	(609) 582-9200
HUDSON	(201) 420-3021
HUNTERDON	(201) 788-1300
MERCER	(609) 989-4664
MIDDLESEX	(201) 745-3550
MONMOUTH	(201) 431-6300
MORRIS	(201) 326-7272
OCEAN	(201) 349-1500
PASSAIC	(201) 881-3228
SALEM	(609) 299-7200
SOMERSET	(201) 526-8800
SUSSEX	(201) 383-3600
UNION	(201) 351-1112
WARREN	(201) 475-4744

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