How to Enroll in Medicaid After Release

What is Healthy Louisiana?

Healthy Louisiana is Louisiana's Medicaid program.

- Healthy Louisiana provides health insurance to people or families who are low income.
- Medicaid is free to you.
- You may have to pay a small cost ("co-pay") for certain medications (the co-pay may be 50 cents, $1, $2, or $3 depending on the drug).

What does Medicaid cover?

Picking a Plan:

Healthy Louisiana offers five health plans to pick from. You are free to pick the plan of your choice. If you have any additional questions, call Healthy Louisiana at 1-855-229-6848.

If you were released, but were not enrolled in Medicaid prior to your discharge, there are several different ways to apply:

● **Telephone Application** — Call Healthy Louisiana at 1-855-229-6848 and we will answer any questions you may have and will walk you through the application process.

● **Online Application** – Visit www.myplan.healthy.la.gov. Here you can find answers to any questions you have, research the information you need to choose a provider, and complete your application step by step.

● **Paper Application** – To obtain a paper application, visit the Louisiana Department of Health's website at www.ldh.la.gov and download/print an application to fill out and either deliver in person or mail to LDH. You can also visit a Medicaid Application Center to obtain an application to fill out and submit. For a list of Medicaid Application Centers, visit the Healthy Louisiana website.

● **In-Person Application** — Hospitals, community health clinics (including Federally Qualified Health Centers) and even some churches conduct in-person applications.