

# How To: Apply for Health Insurance in MA



HEALTH CARE FOR ALL

**households under 65 years old:**

only fill out **one form** per household  
(but list everyone) to apply for:

- MassHealth (MA Medicaid + CHIP)
- Health Connector (private options)
- ConnectorCare with \$ assistance
- Health Safety Net ("free care")
- Children's Medical Security Plan

## online application

[www.MAhealthconnector.org](http://www.MAhealthconnector.org)

- 1) create account online
- 2) verify email
- 3) finish completing account
- 4) complete identity proofing  
(more information below)
- 5) fill out + **submit** application
- 6) **shop** for a health plan\*
- 7) **enroll** in a health plan\*
- 8) **pay** premium by 23rd day  
of the month\* \* if applicable



**"Intend to Reside" question:**  
check off EACH household  
member's name or they will  
be denied coverage

**DON'T WAIT TO APPLY!**

## in-person help

find a local **Navigator** or  
**Certified Application  
Coach (CAC)** at:

[https://my.  
MAhealthconnector.org  
/enrollment-assisters](https://my.MAhealthconnector.org/enrollment-assisters)

## phone application

**877-MA-ENROLL  
(877-623-6765)**

assistance also available via  
Health Care For All  
**HelpLine**  
**(800) 272-4232**

(Mon-Fri, 9a-5p in English, Spanish, + Portuguese)

## paper



**AVOID**

**not recommended**  
due to possible  
processing delays

**households over 65 years old:** submit a **paper SACA-2** application  
or person in need of long-term care (if anyone in household is < 19 years old, apply as if < 65 years old)