

What is Care4Kids?

Care4Kids is a Medicaid program that provides comprehensive health care for your child. This program recognizes that children entering out-of-home care may have unique health needs, and deserve comprehensive and coordinated health care that is provided by primary care physicians who understand these needs. Your child will have a team of professionals dedicated to serving them, based on a comprehensive health care plan that meets your child's unique needs.

Your child is automatically enrolled in the program, but you have the option to discontinue enrollment at any time. You are encouraged to participate in the healthcare appointments, decisions, and planning involving your child.

What healthcare services will my child receive?

Through the **Care4Kids** program, your child will receive the full range of Medicaidcovered health services, tailored to meet the needs of children in out-of-home care, including:

- A Health Screen within two days of being placed in care
- A Comprehensive Initial Health Assessment within thirty days of being placed in care
- A mental health screen
- Dental care
- Vision care
- Ongoing routine check-ups
- A Comprehensive Health Care Plan
- Physical and mental health services that meet your child's needs

What happens next?

An Enrollment Specialist will be contacting you within the next five business days to discuss the **Care4Kids** program. The Enrollment Specialist will have additional details about the benefits of **Care4Kids**, and will confirm your child's enrollment. **Please note:** the Enrollment Specialist will not have information regarding your child welfare case, but will be able to provide information and answer questions related to the Care4Kids health program.