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29605Director,  
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P.O. Box 8206,  
Columbia, S.C. 29202-8206

3 April 014

Dear Director,

It is rumored that ~~the~~ S.C. Medicaid benefits differ from benefits under the Medicaid Program(s) in other states.

Please help me understand this matter and if its possible, please address it with dispatch (as I have been trying to get to the bottom of the question for some weeks).

Sincerely,

Edward H. Paxton

EDWARD H. PAXTON

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4. <i>E. B. Hutto</i>	<i>4-11-14</i>		

Mr. Edward H. Paxton  
1 York Circle  
Greenville, SC 29605

Dear Mr. Paxton:

This is in response to your letter regarding South Carolina's Healthy Connections Medicaid program.

Healthy Connections (Medicaid) is South Carolina's grant-in-aid program by which the federal and state governments share the cost of providing medical care for individuals who meet non-financial, financial and categorical eligibility requirements. Title XIX of the Social Security Act that was signed into law by the President on July 30, 1965, authorized the program. Congress has continually changed the Medicaid program since it was created and enacted by legislation. South Carolina began participation in the Medicaid program in July 1968.

Because state and federal governments share the cost of the Medicaid program, the rules for Medicaid coverage vary from state to state. An individual who is eligible in South Carolina is not necessarily eligible if he or she moves to another state or vice versa. Enclosed is an overview of our programs.

If you have additional questions, you may contact Ms. Carolyn Roach in our Office of Member Relations and she will be happy to assist you. Ms. Roach may be reached at (803) 898-3967.

We appreciate your interest of the South Carolina Healthy Connections Medicaid program. If I may be of further assistance on this or any other matter, please let me know.

Sincerely,



Beth Hutto  
Deputy Director for Eligibility,  
Enrollment & Member Services

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Enclosure

# **SOUTH CAROLINA HEALTHY CONNECTIONS (MEDICAID) PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

## **WHAT IS HEALTHY CONNECTIONS (MEDICAID)?**

Healthy Connections (Medicaid) is South Carolina's grant-in-aid program by which the federal and state governments share the cost of providing medical care for needy persons who have low income. Title XIX of the Social Security Act that was signed into law by the president on July 30, 1965 authorized the program. Congress has continually changed the Medicaid program since it was created and enacted by legislation. South Carolina began participation in the Medicaid program in July 1968.

Because state and federal governments share the cost of the Medicaid program, states have some flexibility in providing coverage to its needy citizens. For this reason, the rules for Medicaid coverage vary from state to state. An individual who is eligible in South Carolina is not necessarily eligible if he or she moves to North Carolina, Georgia, etc.

## **ARE HEALTHY CONNECTIONS (MEDICAID) AND MEDICARE THE SAME?**

No, Healthy Connections (Medicaid) is a program that pays for health care for needy people of the state. To receive Medicaid benefits, an individual must meet certain non-financial and financial guidelines and categorical requirements.

Medicare is a health insurance program for people age 65 and over or people who have received Social Security disability benefits for 24 months. There is no financial eligibility test for Medicare. Medicare is divided into several parts, including Parts A, B and D. Part A is called hospital insurance. It pays at least part of such care as hospital services, skilled nursing home care, hospice care, etc. Part B is called medical insurance. It pays at least part of such care as doctor's services, X-ray and other radiation therapy, durable medical equipment, outpatient surgery, certain physical and occupational therapy, ambulance services, dialysis, home health services, etc. Part D is called prescription drug coverage. Medicare prescription drug coverage is insurance. Private companies provide coverage through Medicare drug plans. Medicare drug plans will help pay for both brand name and generic drugs you need.

A person can have both Healthy Connections (Medicaid) and Medicare. For a person who has both, Healthy Connections (Medicaid) will pay the monthly Medicare premium and certain services not covered by Medicare. Cost sharing will be paid only for Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries (QMB).

## **WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR HEALTHY CONNECTIONS (MEDICAID)?**

Individuals who meet certain non-financial and financial guidelines and categorical requirements may qualify for Healthy Connections (Medicaid) coverage. States are required to cover certain groups (mandatory groups) and states have the option of covering other groups (optional groups).

Historically, Medicaid eligibility rules have been closely linked to those of the cash assistance programs such as Family Independence (FI), which is the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program in South Carolina, previously known as Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC); or the Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program.

However, in recent years Congress has given states more flexibility in establishing policies for the different coverage groups. At the same time, Congress has added more mandatory coverage groups and placed more requirements on some of the services provided.

## **HOW DOES AN INDIVIDUAL APPLY FOR MEDICAID?**

The Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) determines eligibility for Medicaid. An individual applying for Medicaid as an SSI recipient must apply at their local Social Security office. Generally, individuals approved for SSI will automatically receive Medicaid. Applications for all other coverage groups may be filed online via the Healthy Connections Citizens Portal ([apply.scdhhs.gov](http://apply.scdhhs.gov)); via the federal website, the Health Information Marketplace ([healthcare.gov](http://healthcare.gov)); in person; or by mail. Additionally, applications may be filed at out-stationed locations such as the county health departments, community health centers, most hospitals and the county Department of Social Service offices.

Persons approved for Medicaid receive permanent, plastic Healthy Connections (Medicaid) card. They are instructed to take the card with them when they receive a medical service.

## **SOUTH CAROLINA MEDICAID OPTIONS**

The South Carolina Medicaid program offers different ways for its members to receive healthcare services. The choices are either managed care or fee-for-service.

To find out more about these Medicaid options, please call the Member Services Call Center at 1-888-549-0820, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

## **CAN A MEDICAID MEMBER CHOOSE HIS OR HER MEDICAL PROVIDER?**

Medicaid beneficiaries have the right to choose their own physician, hospital, pharmacy, or other medical provider. The provider must be enrolled as a Medicaid provider in order for a payment to be made. The provider must also be willing to accept the Medicaid payment as payment in full.

The South Carolina Medicaid program has a freedom of choice waiver to cover high-risk pregnant women. The women enrolled in the waiver must receive their care from certain physicians and delivery services at certain hospitals. The purpose of the waiver is an attempt to improve upon birth outcomes in our state.

## **WHAT IF THE MEDICAID MEMBER HAS HEALTH INSURANCE?**

If a member has health insurance that covers a provided service, the insurance provider is the primary payer. Medicaid does not pay for services that the member's health insurance is legally obligated to pay.

## **MEDICAID COVERAGE GROUPS**

- A. Parent/Caretaker Relative (PCR) – At least one child in the home is under age 18 (age 19 if in a secondary school) and lives in a family with low income, which is less than 62% of the Federal Poverty Level (currently \$1,232.25 for a family of 4).**

- **Transitional Medicaid (TM)** – Up to 24 months of Medicaid benefits are available to beneficiaries who lost LIF eligibility because of increased earnings/hours of employment of the parent or caretaker relative.
- **Title IV-E** – Children who were or would have been eligible for FI at the time they were placed for adoption or in foster care. These children are automatically entitled to Medicaid coverage.
- **Ribicoff Children** – These are children whose family income is below 48% of the Federal Poverty Level. They can be eligible even if they live with both parents. South Carolina provides Medicaid benefits to these children up to age 18.

- B. Supplemental Security Income (SSI)** – A cash payment through the Social Security Administration and Medicaid benefits are available to aged, blind or disabled individuals. For an individual, the SSI income limit is \$721.00 and the resources must be at or below \$2,000. For a couple, the SSI income limit is \$1,082.00 and the resources must be at or below \$3,000. (Income limits change in January each year.) DHHS determines eligibility for retroactive SSI.

Some individuals who have lost their eligibility for SSI are still entitled to Medicaid coverage. They are:

- **1977 Pass Alongs** – These are individuals who would still be eligible for SSI "but for" Social Security cost of living increases they received since 1977.
- **Disabled Widows and Widowers** – These are individuals who would still be eligible for SSI "but for" a 1983 change in the actuarial reduction formula and subsequent cost of living increases.
- **Disabled Adult Children** – These are individuals who would still be eligible for SSI "but for" entitlement to or an increase in Social Security Disabled Adult Child benefits.
- **Early Widows/Widowers** – These are individuals age 60 through 64 who would still be eligible for SSI "but for" early receipt of Social Security benefits.

- C. Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries (QMB)** – These are individuals who have Medicare Part A hospital insurance and have a monthly income at or below 100% of the Federal Poverty Level (\$973 for an individual and \$1,311 for a couple). Their countable resources must be at or below \$7,160 for an individual or \$10,750 for a couple. A separate QMB determination is done for all Medicaid beneficiaries who have Medicare Part A, regardless of their coverage group.

- D. Specified Low Income Medicare Beneficiaries (SLMB)** – These are individuals who must have Medicare Part A hospital insurance and have a monthly income greater than 100% and less than 120% of the Federal Poverty Level for an individual (\$1,167) or a couple (\$1,573). Their countable resources must be at or below \$7,160 for an individual or \$10,750 for a couple. For these individuals, Medicaid does not pay Medicare co-insurance

and deductibles and any Medicaid covered services other than the Part B Premium.

- E. Qualifying Individuals (QI)** – These are individuals who must have Medicare Part A hospital insurance and have a monthly income greater than 120% and less than 135% of the Federal Poverty Level for an individual (\$1,313) or a couple (\$1,770). Their countable resources must be at or below \$7,160 for an individual or \$10,750 for a couple. For these individuals, Medicaid does not pay Medicare co-insurance and deductibles and any Medicaid covered services other than the Part B Premium.
- F. Optional Coverage for (Pregnant) Women and Infants (OCWI)** – Medicaid coverage provided to pregnant women and infants who have a monthly income at or below 194% of the Federal Poverty Level (currently \$3,855.75 for a family of four).
- G. Family Planning (FP)** – Coverage for Family Planning services provided to men and women with family income at or below 194% of the Federal Poverty Level (currently \$3,855.75 for a family of four).
- H. Partners for Healthy Children (PHC) – Ages 1-19** - These are children who live in families with income at or below 208% of the Federal Poverty Level (currently \$4,134.00 for a family of four).
- I. Home and Community-Based (Waiver) Services (HCBS)** – These are individuals who need nursing home care but choose to stay at home rather than in an institution and can receive special services through a waiver to help them remain in their home. This group also includes individuals whose eligibility is determined using a special income level (i.e., individuals who have countable resources at or below \$2,000 and a gross monthly income at or below the Medicaid Cap of \$2,163 (this limit changes each January).
- J. Optional State Supplementation (OSS)** – These are aged, blind or disabled individuals who have countable resources at or below \$2,000 and have a monthly countable income at or below \$1,393 and who reside in Community Residential Care Facilities (CRCF). The optional supplement payment is paid through the Department of Health and Human Services.
- K. Children for Whom a State Adoption Assistance Agreement is in Effect** – These are special needs children for whom there is a State Adoption Assistance Agreement in place and for whom the State Adoption Assistance Agency has determined a placement could not be made without medical assistance.
- L. Children Under Age 21 with Special Living Arrangements** – These are children under age 21 who reside in a foster home or a group home. Their board payment is fully or partially sponsored by public funds. If the child's income is below FI standards, he or she can qualify for Medicaid coverage.
- M. Aged, Blind and Disabled (ABD) Individuals** – These are individuals with a countable monthly income at or below 100% of the Federal Poverty Level

(\$973 for an individual and \$1,311 for a couple – limits change in March each year). Their countable resources must be at or below \$7,160 for an individual or \$10,750 for a couple.

- N. TEFRA (or Katie Beckett) Children** – These are children age 18 or younger that live at home and meet the SSI definition of disability for a child and meet the level of care required for Medicaid sponsorship in either a nursing home, ICF/MR or an acute care hospital. The parent's income and resources are not considered in determining eligibility. Individuals eligible under this group must have gross monthly income at or below \$2,163 (this limit changes in January each year) and resources below \$2,000.
- O. Working Disabled Individuals** – These are individuals who meet the Social Security definition of disabled and are working. Eligibility is determined using a two-step process. In the first step, the family's income, after allowable deductions, is at or less than 250% of the Federal Poverty Level (currently \$4,123.00 for a family of three). If the family income meets this test, the individual's own unearned income must be at or below 100% of the Federal Poverty Level for an individual (currently \$971) and resources at or below \$7,160.
- P. Qualified Disabled and Working Individuals (QDWI)** – Individuals with Medicare Part A and income at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level (\$1,945 for an individual). The individual's resources must be at or below \$4,000. For these individuals, the Medicaid program is required to pay their Medicare Part A premiums only. These individuals must not be otherwise eligible for Medicaid.
- Q. Breast and Cervical Cancer Program (BCCP)** – The Breast and Cervical Cancer Prevention and Treatment Act of 2000 allows states to provide full Medicaid benefits to the uninsured who need treatment for breast and/or cervical cancer or pre-cancerous lesions (CIN 2/3 or atypical hyperplasia).

South Carolina Medicaid covers individuals screened by the Best Chance Network (BCN). The eligibility criteria are as follows:

**Option 1: Best Chance Network (BCN) Patient**

- Must meet SC state residency and identity requirements (refer to the Medicaid Policy and Procedures Manual - 102.03 and 102.02).
- Has been screened for breast or cervical cancer under the Best Chance Network program, diagnosed and found in need of treatment for either breast or cervical cancer or pre-cancerous lesions (CIN 2/3 or atypical hyperplasia).
- Is age 40 – 64.
- Does not have other insurance coverage that would cover breast and/or cervical cancer or pre-cancerous lesions (CIN 2/3 or atypical hyperplasia), including Medicare Part A or B.
- Family income is at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level.
- Is not eligible for another Medicaid eligibility group.

## **Option 2: Non-Best Chance Network (Non-BCN) Patient**

Individuals diagnosed by a non-BCN provider and found in need of treatment for either breast or cervical cancer or pre-cancerous lesions (CIN 2/3 or atypical hyperplasia) can be eligible effective July 1, 2005, for Medicaid coverage if the following criteria are met:

- Must meet SC state residency and identity requirements (refer to the Medicaid Policy and Procedures Manual-102.03 and 102.02).
- Is under age 65.
- Does not have other insurance coverage that would cover breast and/or cervical cancer or precancerous lesions (CIN 2/3 or atypical hyperplasia), including Medicare Part A or B.
- Family income is at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level.
- Is not eligible for another Medicaid eligibility group.

*For questions about the Best Chance Network program, please call the American Cancer Society (toll-free) at 1-800-ACS-2345.*

# HEALTHY CONNECTIONS (MEDICAID) PROGRAM INCOME CHARTS

## AGED, BLIND AND DISABLED (ABD)

100% of the Federal Poverty Level

FAMILY SIZE	MONTHLY INCOME	YEARLY INCOME
1 (INDIVIDUAL) 2 (COUPLE)	\$ 958 1,293	\$11,490 15,510

## SPECIFIED LOW INCOME MEDICARE BENEFICIARIES (SLMB)

Qualifying Individuals (QI)

FAMILY SIZE	SLMB 120%	QI 135%
1 (INDIVIDUAL)	\$1,149	\$1,293
2 (COUPLE)	\$1,551	\$1,745

## PARTNERS FOR HEALTHY CHILDREN (PHC)

COVERAG FOR CHILDREN AGE 1 TO 19

200% of the Federal Poverty Level

Family Size	200% FPL
1	\$1,915
2	\$2,585
3	\$3,255
4	\$3,925
5	\$4,595
6	\$5,265
Each additional person	\$670

For each additional family member add the amount shown to the monthly income.

**OPTIONAL COVERAGE FOR (PREGNANT) WOMEN AND INFANTS**

**185% of the Federal Poverty Level**

<b>FAMILY SIZE</b>	<b>MONTHLY INCOME</b>	<b>YEARLY INCOME</b>
1	\$1,772	\$21,264
2	2,392	28,704
3	3,011	36,132
4	3,631	43,572
5	4,251	51,012
6	4,871	58,452

For each additional family member, add \$7,440 to the annual income.  
Divide by 12 and round up to the next whole dollar for the monthly income.

**WORKING DISABLED INDIVIDUALS**

**250% of the Federal Poverty Level**

<b>FAMILY SIZE</b>	<b>MONTHLY INCOME</b>	<b>YEARLY INCOME</b>
1	\$ 2,394	\$28,728
2	3,232	38,784
3	4,069	48,828
4	\$4,907	58,884
5	5,744	68,928
6	6,582	78,984

For each additional family member, add \$10,056 to the annual income.  
Divide by 12 and round up to the next whole dollar for the monthly income.

**LOW INCOME FAMILIES (LIF)**

<b>Number in Budget Group</b>	<b>Net Income Limit</b>
1	\$479
2	647
3	814
4	982
5	1,149
6	1,317
7	1,484
8	1,652

For family sizes over 8, add \$168 for each extra person to the net income limit for 8.  
To calculate the gross income limit, multiply the net income limit by 185%.

## REGULAR FOSTER CARE

Number in Budget Group	Monthly Income Limit
1	\$479

### Family Planning (FP) Waiver Services

185% of the Federal Poverty Level

FAMILY SIZE	MONTHLY INCOME	YEARLY INCOME
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### General Hospital (GH), Nursing Home (NH), Katie Beckett (TEFRA), Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS)

(300% of Federal Benefit Rate)

	Monthly Income Limit
Individual	\$ 2,130
Spousal Allocation (NH and HCBS only)	\$ 2,898

### Historic Income Limit

Effective Month	Monthly Income Limit
October 2001	\$357
October 2002	\$369
October 2003	\$374
October 2004	\$387
October 2005	\$398
October 2006	\$408
October 2007	\$425
October 2008	\$434
November 2009	\$452

Effective Month	Monthly Income Limit
November 2011	\$454
October 2012	\$466

## **MEDICAL SERVICES**

### **Medicaid**

Within limits, Medicaid will pay for services that are medically necessary.

For Medicaid payment purposes, the following definitions apply:

**Children - birth through 20 years of age**

**Adults - 21 years of age and older**

**Co-payments** - The Healthy Connections (Medicaid) program requires many beneficiaries to pay a small part of their medical bill for some services called a co-payment. Certain groups do not pay co-payments for the medical services they receive: Children, Pregnant Women, People in a Nursing Home, People receiving Home and Community Based Waiver Services, and People receiving Family Planning. Co-payments enable beneficiaries to assume some responsibility for their medical care. Co-payments are paid to the provider when services are rendered. The provider will tell the beneficiary when a co-payment is applicable.

Medicaid can pay for the following healthcare services:

- Hospital inpatient, outpatient, emergency room
- Lab and X-ray
- Doctor office visits (physician, nurse practitioner, midwife, podiatrist, chiropractor)
- Well child care - EPSDT
- Well adult care
- Vision
- Dental
- Prescription drug (not all drugs are covered)
- Family Planning
- Medical equipment
- Hospice
- Ambulance
- Transportation to medical appointments
- Nursing facility
- ICF for mentally retarded
- Inpatient psychiatric care
- Home Health
- Physical therapy
- Speech/language therapy
- Mental health services
- Alcohol and drug abuse services
- Family support services
- Targeted case management
- Behavioral Health Services for emotionally disturbed children
- Home and Community based long-term care services

## WHERE TO APPLY

### By Mail for TEFRA & Breast and Cervical Cancer Program:

South Carolina Department of Health & Human Services  
Region IV Office  
PO Box 128  
State Park Station, South Carolina 29147  
Telephone (803) 741-1165

### In Person or By Mail for all other Programs:

Abbeville County DHHS Office  
Post Office Box 130  
903 W. Greenwood St.  
Abbeville, SC 29620  
(864) 366-5638

Aiken County DHHS Office  
Post Office Box 2748  
1410 Park Ave., SE  
Aiken, SC 29801  
(803) 643-1938  
Toll Free: 1-888-866-8852

Allendale County DHHS Office  
521 Barnwell Street  
Allendale, SC 29810  
(803) 584-8137

Anderson County DHHS Office  
Post Office Box 160  
224 McGee Road  
Anderson, SC 29625  
(864) 260-4541

Bamberg County DHHS Office  
Post Office Box 544  
374 Log Branch Road  
Bamberg, SC 29003  
(803) 245-3932

Barnwell County DHHS Office  
Post Office Box 648  
10913 Ellen Street  
Barnwell, SC 29812  
(803) 541-3825

Beaufort County DHHS Office  
Post Office Box 1255  
1905 Duke Street  
Beaufort, SC 29902  
(843) 255-6095

Berkeley County DSS Office  
Post Office Box 13748  
2 Belt Dr.  
Moncks Corner, SC 29461  
(843) 719-1170  
Toll Free: 1-800-249-8751  
Charleston County DHHS Office  
Post Office Box 13748  
326 Calhoun Street  
Charleston, SC 29401  
(843) 740-5900  
Toll Free: 1-800-249-8751  
Chester County DHHS Office  
115 Reedy Street  
Chester, SC 29706  
(803) 377-8135

Calhoun County DHHS Office  
Post Office Box 378  
2831 Old Belleville Road  
St. Matthews, SC 29135  
(803) 874-3384

Cherokee County DHHS Office  
Post Office Box 89  
1434 N. Limestone Street  
Gaffney, SC 29340  
(864) 487-2521

Chesterfield County DHHS Office  
Post Office Box 855  
201 N. Page Street  
Chesterfield, SC 29709  
(843) 623-5226

Clarendon County DSS Office  
Post Office Box 788  
3 South Church Street  
Manning, SC 29102  
(803) 435-4305

**Colleton County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 110  
Bernard Warshaw Building  
215 S. Lemacks Street  
Walterboro, SC 29488  
(843) 549-1894

**Dillon County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 351  
1213 Hwy. 34 West  
Dillon, SC 29536  
(843) 774-2713

**Edgefield County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 386  
120 W. A. Reel Drive  
Edgefield, SC 29824  
(803) 637-4040

**Florence County DHHS Office**  
2685 S. Irby Street, Box I  
Florence, SC 29505  
(843) 673-1761

**Greenville County DSS Office**  
Post Office Box 100101  
301 University Ridge, Suite 6700  
Greenville, SC 29601  
(864) 467-7800

**Hampton County DHHS Office**  
102 Ginn Altman Avenue, Suite B  
Hampton, SC 29924  
(803) 914-0053

**Jasper County DHHS Office**  
10908 N. Jacob Smart Boulevard  
Ridgeland, SC 29936  
(843) 726-7747

**Lancaster County DHHS Office**  
1599 Pageland Highway  
Lancaster, SC 29720  
(803) 286-8208  
Fax: (803) 286-8743

**Lee County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 406  
820 Brown Street  
Bishopville, SC 29010  
(803) 484-5376

**Darlington County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Drawer 2077  
300 Russell Street, Room 145  
Darlington, SC 29532  
(843) 398-4427

**Dorchester County DSS Office**  
216 Orangeburg Road  
Summerville SC 29483  
(843) 821-0444  
Toll Free:1-800-249-8751

**Fairfield County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 1139  
1136 Kincaid Bridge Rd.  
Winnsboro, SC 29180  
(803) 589-8035

**Georgetown County DSS Office**  
Post Office Box 371  
330 Dozier Street  
Georgetown, SC 29440  
(843) 546-5134

**Greenwood County DHHS Office**  
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1118 Phoenix Street  
Greenwood, SC 29646  
(864) 229-5258

**Horry County DHHS Office**  
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1601 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue, 1st Floor  
Conway, SC 29526  
(843) 381-8260

**Kershaw County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 220  
110 E. DeKalb Street  
Camden, SC 29020  
(803) 432-3164

**Laurens County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 388  
93 Human Services Road  
Clinton, SC 29325  
(864) 833-6109

**Lexington County DHHS Office**  
605 West Main Street  
Lexington, SC 29072  
FI Medicaid: (803) 785-2991  
SSI Medicaid: (803) 785-5050

**McCormick County DHHS Office**  
215 N. Mine Street  
McCormick, SC 29835  
(864) 465-5221

**Marlboro County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 1074  
1 Ag Street  
Bennettsville, SC 29512  
(843) 479-4389

**Oconee County DHHS Office**  
223-B Kenneth Street  
Walhalla, SC 29691  
(864) 638-4420

**Pickens County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 160  
212 McDaniel Avenue  
Pickens, SC 29671  
(864) 898-5815

**Saluda County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 245  
613 Newberry Hwy.  
Saluda, SC 29138  
(864) 445-2139  
Toll Free: 1-800-551-1909

**Sumter County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 2547  
105 N. Magnolia Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
Sumter, SC 29151  
(803) 774-3447

**Williamsburg County DSS Office**  
Post Office Drawer 767  
831 Eastland Avenue  
Kingstree, SC 29556  
(843) 355-5411

**Marion County DHHS Office**  
137 Airport Court, Suite J  
Mullins, SC 29574  
(843) 423-5417

**Newberry County DHHS Office**  
Post Office Box 1225  
County Human Services Center  
2107 Wilson Road  
Newberry, SC 29108  
(803) 321-2159

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