

What U.S. Citizens Need to Apply for HUSKY A

HUSKY Tips for Families

The HUSKY Program will check on your citizenship using information from Social Security Administration (SSA) records. If they cannot do this, the HUSKY program will ask you for proof of that you are a U.S. citizen. If you are eligible for HUSKY, you can get health coverage while you gather your papers. You must give the HUSKY program these papers within 90 days. If you need more time, tell the HUSKY Program. You must provide proof of citizenship for every person who will get health coverage, including parents, pregnant women, and children. You only have to do this one time.

There are many other ways that you can prove that you and your family members are citizens and prove who you are. For questions about the papers you need:

- ◆ Read the letter that DSS sends with your application or renewal form, OR
- ◆ Call the HUSKY Infoline at 1-877-284-8759.

If you cannot pay for the papers you need or have trouble getting them, call your caseworker at the Department of Social Services. (Look for the phone number in your DSS letter.)

If you are renewing your HUSKY coverage, you can keep your health coverage while you gather your papers.

People applying for TFA, Food Stamps, or SAGA do not have to provide these papers. People who have Medicare or SSI, or disabled people receiving Social Security do **not** have to provide these papers. The rules for legal immigrants who apply for HUSKY have not changed.



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Interpreters are available.