

# HUSKY Answers for Immigrant Families



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## Health insurance can help you keep your family healthy

Health insurance is a way to pay for health care in the United States. Without insurance, you have to pay for your health care, which may cost a lot of money. Health insurance pays for



- doctor visits
- shots
- medicine, and
- hospital care.

### Health insurance through your job

Some jobs offer health insurance. Some people do not have health insurance because their jobs do not offer it, they cannot afford it, or they are not working. Sometimes health insurance through your job covers workers, but not children.

**If you or your children do not have health insurance** HUSKY is low-cost or free health insurance for children and families, **including many immigrants.**

- HUSKY covers children in families with all incomes.
- Some parents can get HUSKY too.
- Even if you have health insurance through your job, you and your children may be able to get HUSKY to help pay for health care.

Legal immigrants can get HUSKY. HUSKY may ask for information about your sponsor and their income. They may ask a sponsor to pay the state back for the cost of your HUSKY benefits. **You will not be deported for applying.**

**Questions?  
Call 1-877-CT-HUSKY (TTY: 1-800-842-4524).  
Interpreters are available.**