Medicaid and the Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) provided essential health coverage to millions of people during the COVID-19 pandemic. States are now resuming their regular processes for renewing individuals’ Medicaid coverage.

**BEFORE THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC** people frequently transitioned between different types of coverage. Some lost coverage because they were no longer eligible; others due to administrative reasons, such as not returning required paperwork on time. As states resume regular renewal processes now, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) aims to ensure that all eligible people can keep their coverage or find another source of coverage.

### Historical Trends in Medicaid and CHIP Enrollment

**As of February 2020** around 71 million people were enrolled in Medicaid and CHIP.

**Approximately 17 million** people lose Medicaid or CHIP coverage each year. Many find coverage through the Marketplace, Medicare, or their employer. Some also return to Medicaid or CHIP.

**As of March 2023** more than 93 million people were enrolled in Medicaid and CHIP.

### Medicaid and CHIP Renewals

This reflects totals for the outcomes of renewals due at the end of each reporting month from March through December 2023 in all states and the District of Columbia.

- **Total due for renewal:** 56,062,092
- **Total renewed:** 29,750,760
- **Total disenrolled from Medicaid/CHIP:** 13,697,984
- **Total renewals pending with the state:** 12,613,348

### Medicaid to Marketplace Transitions

This reflects transitions for individuals with a last day of Medicaid or CHIP coverage from March 31 through October 31, 2023 in HealthCare.gov states and through December 31, 2023 in State-based Marketplaces.

- Consumers transitioning from Medicaid to HealthCare.gov: 998,507
- Consumers transitioning from Medicaid to a State-based Marketplace: 484,449

Read more about the data at medicaid.gov/unwinding-data

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