

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 Due in April 2023

As of April 30, 2023, **18 states** had completed at least one full cohort of unwinding-related renewals



Total due for renewal: **2,216,287**



Total disenrolled from Medicaid/CHIP: **714,894**



Total renewed: **1,009,164**



Total renewals pending with the state: **492,229**

Read more about the data at [medicaid.gov/unwinding-data](https://www.medicaid.gov/unwinding-data)