

Plan costs are based on the household's taxable annual income, how many people are in the household, the place of residence and if anyone in the household uses tobacco. Applicants may be eligible for tax credits and other financial assistance with their selected plans.

To start the signup process, visit [www.NevadaHealthLink.com](http://www.NevadaHealthLink.com).

### How to apply

A screener tool will help determine if you may be eligible for Medicaid/Nevada Check Up, or if you may be eligible to purchase coverage through Nevada Health Link. The tool will ask about household occupants, their ages and household income.

From there, you can either visit Access Nevada at [www.dwss.nv.gov](http://www.dwss.nv.gov) to apply for Medicaid or Nevada Check Up, or [www.NevadaHealthLink.com](http://www.NevadaHealthLink.com) to apply for a subsidized health plan.

Depending on program requirements, some documentation may be required. It would be helpful to have these documents available:

- ▶ Proof of citizenship, such as a birth certificate or permanent residency ID card.
- ▶ Proof of Nevada residence, such as a phone or power bill with physical address listed.
- ▶ Social Security Card.
- ▶ Proof of Income from prior year tax return and/or recent paycheck stubs.
- ▶ Proof of membership of a federally recognized tribe.
- ▶ Current health insurance, if applicable, with ID card.
- ▶ Current employment information, including name, address, contact name and phone.

### What happens next?

Upon submitting an application for Medicaid or Nevada Check Up, DWSS will send a confirmation letter. The case number and PIN will be included for use with the phone system or Access Nevada "Check My Benefits." You will be able to get basic information about your benefits.

When additional information is necessary to determine eligibility, DWSS will send you a letter outlining the required information and the date it must be received. If information is not received by the date requested, the application is denied.

A Notice of Determination letter will state if your application was approved or denied. If you disagree with the determination, the letter will provide contact information to appeal the decision.

If you've selected a health insurance plan through Nevada Health Link at [HealthCare.gov](http://HealthCare.gov), you will receive additional information from your insurance company about how to pay for and manage your plan.

### Resources for medical assistance

#### Medicaid and Nevada Check Up

Website: [www.dwss.nv.gov](http://www.dwss.nv.gov)  
Northern Nevada: 775-684-7200  
Southern Nevada: 702-486-1646  
Statewide: 877-543-7669

#### Nevada Health Link

Website: [www.NevadaHealthLink.com](http://www.NevadaHealthLink.com)



#### Division of Welfare and Supportive Services

*Working for the welfare of all Nevadans.*



**Peace of mind is just a click away**



You can apply online through:

- ▶ Access Nevada ([www.dwss.nv.gov](http://www.dwss.nv.gov)) for Medicaid or Nevada Check Up
- ▶ Nevada Health Link ([www.NevadaHealthLink.com](http://www.NevadaHealthLink.com)) for subsidized health insurance

Enrollment can be completed quickly and easily from any computer or mobile device with Internet access. Several organizations have computers that are free to the public.

### DWSS Call Center

For locations and hours, call 702-486-1646 or 775-684-7200.

### Online at [www.dwss.nv.gov](http://www.dwss.nv.gov)

click on “Resources & Upcoming Events.”

## Which assistance programs are available?

**Division of Welfare and Supportive Services (DWSS)** determines Medicaid and Nevada Check Up eligibility for low-income Nevadans. Online applications can be completed using Access Nevada at [www.dwss.nv.gov](http://www.dwss.nv.gov).

**Medicaid** provides free health care coverage for low-income people, including:

- ▶ Adults between 19-64 whose household income is at or below 138% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL. See chart).
- ▶ Children.
- ▶ Pregnant Women whose household income is less than 165% of the FPL.
- ▶ Parent Caretakers with income at or below 138% of the FPL.
- ▶ Supplemental Security Income recipients.
- ▶ Certain Medicare beneficiaries.

**Nevada Check Up** provides medical and dental benefits for children from birth to 18 years old. To qualify, your income must be at or below 205% of the Federal Poverty Level (See chart).

A small premium, on a quarterly basis, may be required. Send checks or money orders to: Nevada Check Up Premiums; 1100 E. William St., Suite 101; Carson City, NV 89701

In urban areas of Clark and Washoe counties, Medicaid and Nevada Check Up services are provided through managed care organizations – Amerigroup and Health Plan of Nevada. In rural areas and for some coverage groups, the Division of Health Care Financing & Policy pays claims on a “fee for service” basis.

### Nevada Medicaid (Fee for Service)

Carson City: 775-684-3651  
Elko: 775-753-1191

Las Vegas: 702-668-4200

Reno: 775-687-1900

<https://dhcfp.nv.gov>

### Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield Healthcare Solutions

Participant Services: 844-396-2329

<https://mss.anthem.com/nevada-medicaid/home.html>

### Health Plan of Nevada

Participant Services: 800-962-8074

<https://myhpnmedicaid.com/Member>

### SilverSummit Healthplan

Participant Services: 844-366-2880

<https://www.silversummithealthplan.com/>

## Other Access Nevada/DWSS Assistance Programs include:

- ▶ The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) helps low-income Nevadans buy nutritious food from local retailers.
- ▶ Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) is designed to help families achieve self-sufficiency by job preparation, work opportunities and support services.

### Nevada Health Link

Nevada Health Link is the state’s website where Nevadans can enroll in income-based health insurance. Nevada Health Link can help you find a plan that fits your needs and budgets. You cannot be denied due to a pre-existing medical condition.

## 2018 Federal Poverty Level (FPL) Chart

	<a href="#">Nevada Medicaid Monthly*</a>	<a href="#">Nevada Check Up Monthly*</a>	<a href="#">Nevada Health Link Monthly*</a>
Family Size:	138% of FPL	To qualify for Nevada Check Up, your income should be below 205% of FPL	To qualify for a subsidy (help with your insurance cost), your income must be below 400% of FPL
1	138% \$1,396	205% \$2,074	400% \$4,048
2	\$1,893	\$2,812	\$5,488
3	\$2,390	\$3,550	\$6,928
4	\$2,887	\$4,288	\$8,368
5	\$3,383	\$5,026	\$9,808
6	\$3,880	\$5,764	\$11,248
7	\$4,377	\$6,502	\$12,688
8	\$4,874	\$7,240	\$14,128
	Nevada Medicaid - 0% to 138% of the FPL *Monthly income was calculated by dividing the poverty guidelines, which is an annual figure by 12 months.	*Must not be eligible for Medicaid or other health insurance plan.	*Must not be eligible for Medicaid or other health insurance plan.