

Health First Colorado (Medicaid) for Criminal Justice Populations

Navigation Services



Need more information? Contact our Navigation Services Team at 303-432-5130 or navigation@jcmh.org

If you notice any changes or inconsistencies with our resources, please inform Navigation to help us stay current.

## **Overview:**

- Individuals who are incarcerated are not eligible for full Medicaid benefits.
- As of 2018, there is a limited Incarcerated benefit plan for incarcerated individuals that allows Health First Colorado (Colorado's Medicaid Program) to pay for inpatient service and those services related to the inpatient stay for incarcerated Health First Colorado eligible individuals who require 24-hours or more of inpatient hospital care.
- Upon release from incarceration, an individual may qualify for full health First Colorado benefits if they continue to meet eligibility criteria.
- Individuals contact the local human services in their county to update their status and inquire about Medicaid benefits.

### Individual & Family Medicaid:

Colorado Medicaid is public health insurance for low-income Coloradans who qualify. You may be eligible based on your income.

Household Size	Maximum Monthly Income Adults 19-65	Maximum Monthly Income Children 0-18	Maximum Monthly Income Pregnant Women
1	\$1,616	\$1,725	\$2,369
2	\$2,186	\$2,334	\$3,205
3	\$2,755	\$2,942	\$4,040
4	\$3,325	\$3,550	\$4,875

# Application Information for Jefferson Center Consumers:

- The Navigation Program can screen and assist individuals with applying for Health First Colorado and CHP+ benefits onsite at one of our office locations, or via phone or zoom. Please contact us at 303-432-5130.
- Clients may also apply online (and receive real-time eligibility determination) at the PEAK Website: <u>http://coloradopeak.force.com/</u>
- Clients who qualify for Health First Colorado may also qualify for Financial Assistance for food. The benefit amount awarded can range depending on the number of people in your household and your monthly expenses. Households with 1 individual can be awarded up to \$281 monthly.
- Please contact us today at 303-432-5130 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

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- The Navigation Program can screen and assist individuals with applying for Food Assistance onsite at one of our office locations, or via phone or Zoom. Please contact us at 303-432-5130.
- Can also discuss additional resources and/or services through Jefferson Center or in the community.

#### Application Information for Non Jefferson Center Individuals:

► How to apply online (and possibly receive real-time eligibility determination): Visit the PEAK website at <a href="http://coloradopeak.force.com/">http://coloradopeak.force.com/</a>

#### ► How to apply at Jefferson County Department of Human Services:

- 1. Contact Navigation to pick up an application or to receive an application in the mail.
- 2. Complete all sections of the application and mail, fax, or bring the application to the Department of Human Services of *your county of residence*.
  - Residents of Jefferson County may mail, fax, or bring the application to: Jefferson County Department of Human Services (JCDHS) 900 Jefferson County Parkway - Room 110, Golden, CO 80401 Phone: 303-271-1388; Fax: 303-271-4040

#### ▶ Residents of Jefferson County can also apply in person at:

The Action Center 8755 W 14th Ave Lakewood, CO 80215 Phone: 303-237-7704