

MinnesotaCare End of Year Changes for Certain Undocumented Individuals

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Why is there a change?

- The 2025 Minnesota legislature amended state law to change MinnesotaCare eligibility for certain individuals who are undocumented.
 - MinnesotaCare is no longer available to new applicants who are 18 or older.
 - Undocumented individuals who are age 18 or older who were already enrolled in MinnesotaCare on June 15, 2025, may remain eligible for MinnesotaCare through December 31, 2025, as long as they continue to meet all other MinnesotaCare eligibility factors. For MinnesotaCare, an individual is considered age 18 the month following their 18th birthday.
 - Children under age 18 remain eligible if they meet all other eligibility requirements.

- Renewal batches/process
- Notice suppression
- Closing notices

Renewal batches

- The January MA/MCRE Renewal batches will continue as usual.
- Any person who is not lawfully present without an SSN will go Need To Renew, those under 18 with an SSN may auto renew (AR).

Renewal Forms and Closure Notices

- Renewal and auto close notice for households where all enrollees 18 or over:
 - Households that are all undocumented MinnesotaCare enrollees 18 and older will not receive a renewal form. Their eligibility will end 12/31/25.
- Households with enrollees under 18 and age 18 and older:
 - Households that have enrollees under 18 AND 18 and older will receive a renewal form, which has been updated to include a new section “Members who no longer qualify”. All undocumented household members who are age 18 will be listed in this new section.
- Closure notice:
 - DHS will send a closure notice to all undocumented enrollees who are age 18 and over to notify them that they will be closing 12/31/25.

Example of New Renewal Form Section

Members who no longer qualify

Due to a change in state law, the members listed no longer qualify for MinnesotaCare starting **January 1, 2026**. We will send these members a separate notice about their MinnesotaCare eligibility ending.

Member Name	MNsure ID Number	Health Care Program Type	Effective Date
Client Name	MNsureID	MinnesotaCare	01/01/2026
Client Name	MNsureID	MinnesotaCare	01/01/2026

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December XX, 2025 10:04 AM

Case Number:

Application Filer Name
Address 1
Address 2 (If Needed)
City, State Zip Code

MinnesotaCare Closure Notice

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MinnesotaCare is ending for the people listed on this notice because of a change in state law. Starting January 1, 2026, a person who is age 18 or older and is not lawfully present in the United States does not qualify for MinnesotaCare. **The last day of MinnesotaCare coverage for the people listed is December 31, 2025. If they have a premium, they must pay that premium to have coverage through December 31, 2025.**

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(Laws of Minnesota 2025, First Special Session, chapter 2)

Member Name	MNsure ID Number	Action
Add member		

What if I have an emergency medical condition?

If you have an emergency medical condition, you may qualify for Emergency Medical Assistance.

- **If you are under age 65**, complete the Application for Health Coverage and Help Paying Costs: <https://mn.gov/dhs/application-mhcp>
- **If you are age 65 or older**, complete the Application for Certain Populations: <https://mn.gov/dhs/application-for-certain-populations>

Be sure to write "Emergency MA" on the front page of the application. Submit your completed application by mail, fax or in person to your county human services agency. To find the name and contact information for your agency, look at Attachment B or C that came with the application.

For more information about Emergency MA, scan the QR code.



What if my immigration status changes or I become pregnant?

Report immigration status changes or pregnancy. You may qualify for another health care program. Contact the agency listed at the top left of this notice or speak with a navigator for assistance.

What if I have questions about this notice?

If you have questions or disagree with this notice, have changes to report or believe there is an error on your case, call the agency listed at the top left of this notice.

You can also get free help from a navigator. To find a navigator in your area who speaks your preferred language, go to <https://www.mnsure.org> and click "Assister Directory" under Find Free Help.

If you have hearing or speech disabilities, contact us using your preferred telecommunications relay service.

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Who Can Help Me Understand This Notice?

A navigator can help you for free. To find a navigator in your area who speaks your language go to <https://mnasure.org/free-help>.

Or call the DHS Refugee and Immigrant Information Line at 800-814-4806. The staff will answer your call from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, or send an email to: dhs.rpo.help@state.mn.us.

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Closing for 12/31/2025

- All undocumented MinnesotaCare enrollees 18 and older will be closed effective 12/31/25
 - Eligibility will end in METS
 - Coverage will end in MMIS
 - Closure notice will be issued

Thank You!