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In March 2020, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) temporarily waived certain Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) requirements and conditions in response to COVID-19. The easing of these rules helped people with Medicaid (Medi-Cal in California) and CHIP—in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and the five U.S. territories—keep their health coverage during the pandemic. However, this ended on March 31, 2023 and required states to restart eligibility renewals beginning April 1, 2023.

Counties will mail members a letter about their Medi-Cal eligibility, and they will need to complete a renewal form. It is important to communicate with [Medi-Cal Dental Program](#) members to encourage them to update their contact information with their local county offices and health plans to ensure they receive important information and updates about their health coverage.

For a list of county offices, visit [Department of Health Care Services website](#). You may also visit [Medi-Cal Continue Coverage Requirement](#) for more information.

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Learn the latest Medi-Cal Dental news and information by signing up for our Medi-Cal Dental Fee-For-Service Provider email distribution list [here](#).

## TRAINING SEMINARS

To reserve a spot online or view a complete list of training seminars, go to the [Provider Training Seminar Schedule](#).

## PROVIDER ENROLLMENT

To enroll in the Medi-Cal Dental Program, or check the status of an existing enrollment application, click [here](#) or email [PAVE@dhcs.ca.gov](mailto:PAVE@dhcs.ca.gov).