

Ohio

Department of Medicaid

fact sheet

OVERVIEW

Pregnancy Related Services are preventive health care and support services for pregnant women enrolled on Ohio Medicaid.

In addition to regular prenatal care, these preventive health care and support services can help to increase your well-being during pregnancy and increase the likelihood of having a healthy baby.

Services are available to pregnant women from the date they are identified as pregnant through 60 days past birth or miscarriage.

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PREGNANCY RELATED SERVICES

Pregnancy Related Services promote healthy moms and healthy babies.

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WHAT SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE?

- » Help with scheduling medical and prenatal appointments.
- » Transportation to services covered by Ohio Medicaid.
- » Referrals to Women, Infants and Children (WIC), a program that gives food and nutrition education to pregnant women, mothers and children younger than age five.
- » Other referrals based on a pregnant woman's needs.
- » Information about Healthchek services.



HOW DO THESE SERVICES HELP?

- » Increase a woman's well-being during pregnancy.
- » Help prevent complications and minimize discomfort.
- » Help identify danger signals for early labor or miscarriage
- » Increase the likelihood of having a healthy baby.
- » Provide education about how to take care of a baby.



WHERE TO GET SERVICES:

Every county department of job and family services has a Pregnancy Related Services Coordinator that can help pregnant women covered by Medicaid. Coordinators can help to schedule medical appointments and make referrals to other services.

Pregnant women may also contact their Medicaid managed care plan for help with Pregnancy Related Services.

Both Coordinators and managed care plans can explain Healthchek services that are available for the baby after it is born, or to the mother if she is younger than age 21.



HEALTHCHEK SERVICES

Healthchek is a set of prevention, diagnostic, and treatment services to help find health problems and treat them early. These services are available to all babies, kids, teens, and young adults younger than age 21 who are covered by Ohio Medicaid. Pregnant women younger than age 21 are eligible for these services, too.

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