

# Provider Fact Sheet: FAMIS Prenatal Coverage (FAMIS PC) Available July 1<sup>st</sup>

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## What Is It?

FAMIS Prenatal Coverage is full coverage for pregnant individuals who do not meet eligibility criteria for other covered groups (with the exception of Emergency Medicaid) because of their immigration status.<sup>1</sup> Starting July 1, these individuals, including those who are undocumented, will be eligible for comprehensive coverage during their pregnancy and postpartum. Applicants will **not** need to demonstrate “lawfully residing” immigration status or provide immigration documents or a Social Security number to be eligible for the new FAMIS Prenatal Coverage. Applicants will still need to meet other eligibility criteria, including income requirements.

## Who Is Eligible?

To be eligible for FAMIS Prenatal Coverage, applicants must:

- Provide the estimated delivery date and how many children they are expecting
- Live in Virginia
- Meet income rules
- Be uninsured

## What Services Are Covered?

FAMIS Prenatal Coverage is comprehensive medical coverage that starts in the month the individual applies and continues through the end of the month in which the 60th postpartum day falls. Enrollees will receive the same benefits as FAMIS MOMS members and will be served through the Medallion 4.0 managed care program and provider network.

Benefits are not limited to pregnancy-related coverage. There are no premiums, co-payments, or other cost sharing for FAMIS Prenatal enrollees.

Covered benefits include but are not limited to:

- Prenatal checkups
- Prenatal screening and testing
- Labor and delivery, including inpatient hospital stay
- General and specialty care for other health concerns
- Prescription medication
- Dental coverage
- Non-emergency medical transportation
- Behavioral health care, including screening and treatment for mental health conditions, tobacco cessation, and substance use disorders

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<sup>1</sup> FAMIS Prenatal Coverage is established pursuant to legislative mandate in the 2021 Special Session I Appropriations Act, Item 312H.

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## How to Apply

Individuals can apply in the following ways:

Apply online at Common Help: [www.commonhelp.virginia.gov](http://www.commonhelp.virginia.gov)

Call the Cover Virginia Call Center at 1-855-242-8282 (TDD: 1-888-221-1590).

**Translation and interpretation services are available in all languages.**

Mail or drop off a paper application to the local Department of Social Services. Find the nearest local DSS by visiting [www.dss.virginia.gov/localagency/](http://www.dss.virginia.gov/localagency/).

Paper application forms in both English and Spanish are available to download at <https://coverva.org/en/apply>. Individuals can also request that an application be mailed to them. Applicants do not need to visit an office in person to file an application.

## Newborn Enrollment

Most newborns born to FAMIS Prenatal Coverage enrollees will be eligible for health care through the Medicaid or FAMIS programs for children. After the baby is born, providers can help ensure the newborn's timely enrollment and seamless coverage by encouraging parents to report the birth of the baby to local DSS or Cover Virginia.

Hospitals should continue to follow existing presumptive eligibility enrollment processes and report the birth of the child born to a FAMIS Prenatal enrollee in the same way they would other Medicaid and FAMIS MOMS members.

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## FAMIS PRENATAL COVERAGE Income Limits (205% of federal poverty limit: 200% FPL + 5% FPL Disregard) July 1, 2021

| Household size*            | Monthly | Annual   |
|----------------------------|---------|----------|
| 2                          | \$2,976 | \$35,711 |
| 3                          | \$3,752 | \$45,018 |
| 4                          | \$4,528 | \$54,325 |
| 5                          | \$5,303 | \$63,632 |
| 6                          | \$6,079 | \$72,939 |
| 7                          | \$6,854 | \$82,246 |
| 8                          | \$7,630 | \$91,553 |
| Each additional person add | \$776   | \$9,307  |

\*Note: Household size includes the pregnant person and the unborn child(ren)