

Person ID: <XXXXXXXXXX>

<Addressee Name>

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<City, State Zip Code>

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**HUSKY A - Parents & Caretaker Relatives coverage is being reviewed for your household**

Dear <Primary Name>,

We are letting you know that a new State law (Public Act 17-2, Section 138, June Special Session) lowers the income limit for HUSKY A - Parents & Caretaker Relatives from 155% to 138% of the Federal Poverty Level (see chart below). This change starts January 1, 2018.

**What does this mean to you?**

Based on your household's last application or renewal, someone is enrolled in HUSKY A – Parents & Caretaker Relatives coverage. Under the new law, the coverage of the parents or caretaker relatives in your household may change or end on December 31, 2017.

**What happens to children and pregnant women?**

The coverage will stay the same.

**What are the next steps?**

We will review your eligibility in the next few days to see if you still qualify for HUSKY A – Parents & Caretaker Relatives coverage using the new income limits below:

**138% of Federal Poverty Limit by Household Size**

Household Size	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Annual Income Under	\$22,411	\$28,180	\$33,949	\$39,716	\$45,485	\$51,253	\$57,022



Once we review your HUSKY Health coverage, **you will receive a letter in 3-6 days** telling you of our decision.

If You Qualify to Keep HUSKY Coverage	If You <b><u>DO NOT</u></b> Qualify for HUSKY Coverage
<p><b>YOU DO NOT NEED TO DO ANYTHING.</b></p> <p>We will enroll you in continued HUSKY coverage called Transitional Medical Assistance for up to one year if your household gets paychecks or has self-employment income. This coverage has the same benefits as your current HUSKY Health coverage.</p>	<p><b>YOU NEED TO CONTACT US.</b></p> <p>You will get a letter asking you to contact us to review your healthcare coverage options including help with buying a Qualified Health Plan (private plan) through Access Health CT, the state’s health insurance exchange.</p> <p><b><u>Contact Information:</u></b></p> <p>Visit <a href="http://www.accesshealthct.com">www.accesshealthct.com</a></p> <p>Call 1-855-371-2428</p>
<p><b>Important:</b></p> <p>If you do not qualify for Transitional Medical Assistance, we will check to see if you are eligible for another full Medicaid coverage group such as Pregnancy, Breast Cancer or Cervical Cancer or a Limited Benefit coverage group such as Tuberculosis.</p>	<p><b>You may qualify for financial help!</b></p> <p>Although these private health plans cost money, you may qualify for financial help to pay for the coverage (close to 80% of customers do). This helps lower the cost of your insurance monthly payments (or premiums) and other costs, like co-pays for visits to the doctor.</p>

If your income is too high for HUSKY Health, but you have high medical bills, you may qualify for HUSKY A Spenddown coverage. Applicants must meet the income limits, household composition rules and asset limits. If you are interested in applying for HUSKY A Spenddown coverage, please submit an application at [www.Connect.ct.gov](http://www.Connect.ct.gov).

If you are over income for HUSKY Health, you may qualify for Family Planning Services. This is a limited Medicaid benefit that covers services related to family planning like birth control. If you are interested in applying for Family Planning Services, please submit an application at [www.Connect.ct.gov](http://www.Connect.ct.gov).

If you have a disability you may request and receive a reasonable accommodation or special help from Access Health CT, when it is necessary to allow you to apply for and receive services through Access Health CT.

Sincerely,

Connecticut Department of Social Services and Access Health CT

