

Aging and People with Disabilities

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Topic: Long Term Care

Subject: Homecare Worker medical coverage

Applies to (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All DHS employees | <input type="checkbox"/> County Mental Health Directors |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Area Agencies on Aging | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Services |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aging and People with Disabilities | <input type="checkbox"/> Office of Developmental |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children, Adults and Families | Disabilities Services (ODDS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> County DD Program Managers | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (<i>please specify</i>): |

Message:

Many Homecare Workers (HCWs) enrolled in medical insurance coverage through the Affordable Care Act (ACA) when it became available in late 2013. In order to keep their medical insurance for 2015, these HCWs need to re-enroll. Some HCWs have not re-enrolled yet, and have been sent a postcard reminding them to re-enroll.

HCWs sometimes contact APD/AAA office staff with questions concerning their medical insurance enrollment. When this happens, APD/AAA staff should refer HCWs to the SEIU main enrollment webpage found at [seiu503.org/ACAMedical](http://www.seiu503.org/ACAMedical) or <http://www.seiu503.org/enrollment-materials/>

If HCWs wish to have their questions answered via telephone, a printable “who to call” guide for HCWs is available [here](#) . These guides can be distributed to HCWs by APD/AAA Staff.

If you have any questions about this information, contact:

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