



Citizenship Waived Medical (CWM)

CWM is Citizenship Waived Medical, also known as “emergency medical” or “emergency Medicaid.”

Some adults who do not meet immigration status requirements have CWM coverage. It covers:

- Emergency services
- Labor and delivery
- Reproductive health care
- COVID-19 vaccines, testing and treatment

Adults with CWM can also get full OHP coverage during pregnancy through [the CWM Plus benefit package](#).

You may have CWM if you:

- Live in Oregon,
- Are 26-54 years old,
- Meet income and other criteria, and
- Do not meet immigration status requirements for the Oregon Health Plan (OHP).

You have CWM if:

- Your Notice of Medical Eligibility says “CWM Adult or CWM Parent or Caretaker Relative” in the “Approved Benefit” section on page 2.
- Your [OHP welcome letter](#) has the word “CWM” next to your name on page 2.

You can get this in another language, large print,
or another way that is best for you.
Call 800-699-9075 (TTY 711).

CWM benefits

Emergency care

Emergency care is care that you need right away because your health is in serious danger. (For example, if you are having a stroke, heart attack, or other life-threatening event.)

CWM covers all services related to this care, including:

- Anesthesia, surgery, and recovery;
- Emergency medical transportation;
- Lab tests, x-rays and services to find out what is wrong;
- Medications, medical equipment and supplies.

Treatment for end-stage renal disease (kidney failure)

- Emergency, inpatient and outpatient dialysis treatment.
- Operation to prepare for dialysis. This includes 1 week of hospital care before and after the operation.
- Immunosuppressant medications after a kidney transplant.

Cancer treatment

- Surgery, inpatient hospital care and recovery.
- Lab tests and x-rays to measure treatment progress.
- Treatment and medications for:
 - Cancer,
 - Side effects of cancer, and
 - Conditions made worse by the cancer or cancer treatment.

Behavioral health crisis services

- Crisis counseling services by a licensed health care provider.
- 30 days of stabilizing medication and one refill.

COVID-19 treatment

- COVID-19 testing, treatment and hospitalization
- COVID-19 vaccines and vaccine booster doses

You do not need to go to a hospital to get COVID-19 services. [Learn more about CWM and COVID-19.](#)

Reproductive health services

Tubal ligation (sometimes known as getting your tubes tied)

CWM members can also get these other reproductive health services:

- Birth control and condoms
- Annual wellness visits, including breast exams and Pap tests
- Emergency contraception
- Pregnancy tests
- Abortion (available at specific contracted providers)
- Screening for sexually transmitted infections

To find a clinic for these services, visit: healthoregon.org/rhclinics, call 211, or text HEALTH to 898211. Spanish speakers can text SALUD to 898211.

These services are offered by Oregon Reproductive Health Program's Reproductive Health (RH) Access Fund.

What if I have CWM and become pregnant?

Call OHP at 800-699-9075 (TTY 711) to report your pregnancy. While you are pregnant, your coverage will change to CWM Plus, which gives you [full OHP benefits](#), including dental and vision care.

CWM Plus also gives you follow-up care for 60 days after the baby is born.

Have questions or need help?

- **By phone:** Call OHP Client Services at 800-273-0557.
- **In person:** Get help from a trained community partner. Visit OregonHealthCare.gov to find community partners in your area.
 - Visit an ODHS Aging and People with Disabilities or Self-Sufficiency Programs office, or an Area Agency on Aging (AAA) office. Call ahead before visiting. [Click here to find your local office.](#)

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