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• "Medi-Cal is California's Medicaid health care program. This program pays for a variety of medical services for children and adults"

→ How does it work?

- Medi-Cal covers the state of California, but each <u>county</u> within California has different "Managed Health Partners" that manage your healthcare
 - For example, Humboldt County uses Partnership Health Plan and LA County uses Health Net Community Solutions, INC. or L.A. Care Health Plan
- → How do I know which Managed Health Partner(s) my county uses?
 - ◆ Check out this link <u>Medi-Cal Managed Care Health Plan Directory</u> which breaks it down by county for you!

You'll have two ID cards with Medi-Cal

State Medi-Cal Card

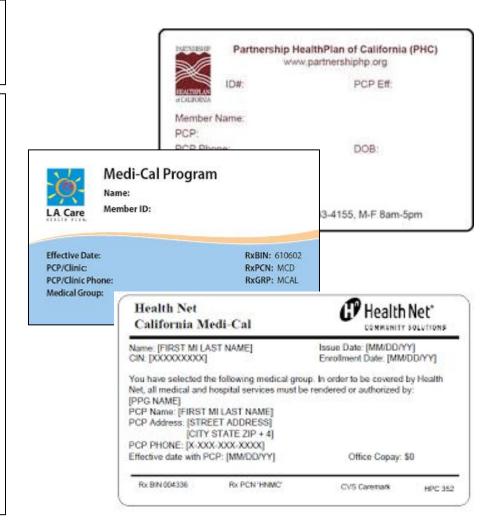


Managed Health Partner Card (the one you'll use to access most types of care)

	HealthPlan of California (PHC) www.partnershiphp.org
ID#;	PCP Eff:
Member Name:	
PCP:	
PCP Phone:	DOB:
Mental Health:	
24 Hour Advice Nurse:	
PHC Member Services:	(800) 863-4155, M-F 8am-5pm

What's on my managed health partner card?

- PCP (Primary Care Physician): The doctor or doctor's office that has been assigned as your general medical care provider
- Member's services contact information: You can use this to get information about your coverage and access referrals for things like therapy, specialty care, and other services
- Website: Often there's a website listed where you can create an account and access the same information you'd gain by contacting member's services



How do I Apply for Medi-Cal?

- → You can apply online at My C4Yourself for a majority of the counties in California
 - ♦ Here's a link to find where you can apply online for counties that do **not** use the C4yourself website: My C4Yourself
 - My C4Yourself also allows you to check your enrollment status, check messages, and check benefits amongst other things
 - C4yourself now has an app you can download to access the same information
- → Call your local Medi-Cal call center and request a paper application or guidance on the process
 - ◆ The Humboldt County call center is staffed by eligibility specialists and can be reached at 1-877-410-8809