



## DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL SERVICES

Medicaid Coverage Notice March 2023

### IMPORTANT Update to Continued Medicaid Coverage!

- Medicaid coverage renewal has not been required since March 2020 when the COVID-19 pandemic began. Families' medical coverage was automatically renewed each year based on their last eligibility status. *After March 31, 2023, families that have not renewed their Medicaid coverage, will have their account closed and will no longer be eligible to receive medical coverage under NJ FamilyCare.*



- NJ FamilyCare is a federal and state funded health insurance program created to help qualified New Jersey residents of any age access affordable health insurance. NJ FamilyCare is for people who do not have employer insurance.

#### Why is this important?

- Updating your eligibility status will ensure that there are no gaps in your family receiving medical coverage under Medicaid.
- If your child receives related services through their Individualized Education Plan (IEP) it is important that you check your eligibility and **renew your coverage prior to March 31, 2023**. This allows the district to be reimbursed under your plan for services received in school.

#### Am I Eligible? How Do I Apply?

- Use these links to check your eligibility status and/or apply:

[NJ FamilyCare Eligibility Criteria](#)

[CLICK HERE TO APPLY ONLINE TODAY!!](#)

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