# ARE YOU ELIGIBLE FOR HEALTHCARE COVERAGE?

Medicaid Expansion in Missouri means adults ages 19-64 may now be eligible for healthcare coverage, depending on their income.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

Mo HealthNet, or Missouri Medicaid, is a healthcare coverage program for low-income individuals and families. Medicaid covers many healthcare services, including doctor's visits, prescription drugs, inpatient and outpatient hospital services, and preventative care. There is no cost to enroll in Medicaid.

To be eligible for Mo HealthNet, non-disabled adults ages 19-64 must:

- Live in Missouri and be a United States citizen (or qualified non-citizen).
- Make less than the annual income limit for their household size (see chart).
- Not be eligible for or receive disability benefits or another type of Medicaid coverage.
- Have healthcare coverage/ have applied for healthcare coverage (private insurance or MO HealthNet) for any children in the home.

Medicaid is also available for children under 18, seniors 65 or older, people with disabilities, blind or visually impaired individuals, and pregnant women. You can find the income limits and other criteria for these programs at https://mydss.mo.gov/media/pdf/eligibility-requirements-mo-healthnet-coverage.

### **HOW TO APPLY**

Below are two ways you can apply for Medicaid coverage. For assistance, you can call Mo HealthNet at 855-373-9994.

- Through the online portal: <u>https://mydssapp.mo.gov/CitizenPortal/application.do</u>
- Over the phone at 855-373-9994

## **AFTER YOU APPLY**

Applications for non-disabled adults will not be processed until October 1. Once your application is processed, you will receive a

# **INCOME LIMITS**

Below are income limits for non-disabled adults based on household size:

- **1**: \$17,130
- **2**: \$23,169
- **3**: \$29,207
- **4**: \$35,245
- **5**: \$41,283
- **6**: \$47,321

letter stating whether you are eligible. If approved, you will receive a MO HealthNet Identification Card and information on your coverage. Follow the instructions in this letter to begin coverage. If you apply before October 31, Mo HealthNet will automatically consider whether healthcare services you received in the previous three months (back to July 1) are also covered. If you apply after October 31, you may want to request consideration of prior quarter coverage if you received healthcare services in the past three months.