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Family Planning
Presumptive Eligibility
(FPPE) FAQs



Program Overview

1. What is FPPE?



- Family Planning Presumptive Eligibility (FPPE) is **immediate, temporary** coverage for [Illinois' new Medicaid for family planning program](#).
- People of any age, gender, or immigration status **can apply**.
- To enroll in FPPE, patients **self-attest** to their eligibility with a registered FPPE provider.
- Even if patients do not qualify for ongoing coverage, any services rendered during the FPPE period will still be **fully covered** and coverage can be used anywhere that accepts Medicaid.

2. How long does FPPE last?

Results

Type: **Family Planning Presumptive Eligibility**
Updated on: 2/21/2024

Applicant: **Suzie Q. Barbeque**
Updated by: **Patti P. Picnic**

Summary of Eligibility

Susie Q. Barbeque will be temporarily enrolled in the Family Planning Presumptive Eligibility Program.

Your Application Number is **A123456788**

Submitted

Thank You! This application is now complete. To print a summary of the application, please click the button below.

[Print Application Summary](#)

- FPPE lasts **31-60 days**. It starts the date that someone applies and lasts through the end of the following month.
Ex: Oct 1 – Nov 30
Ex: March 15 – April 30
- Coverage is **effective immediately** after the patient completes the self-attestation, though it may not appear in Medi for 48-72 hours.
- Patients will not receive a follow up notification or insurance card. We **recommend printing a summary of their application** with their last date of coverage.

3. How can I make the most of temporary coverage?

- Connect eligible patients to ongoing 12-month HFS Family Planning Program coverage by referring them to an enrollment navigator or assistor. To be eligible for 12-month coverage, individuals must meet all of the eligibility requirements for FPPE *and* be a U.S. citizen or qualifying resident.
- Reminding patients they can enroll in FPPE up to **2x per calendar year**.
- Writing a 3-month prescription for hormonal birth control for a single pick up.



Eligibility

4. Who qualifies for FPPE?



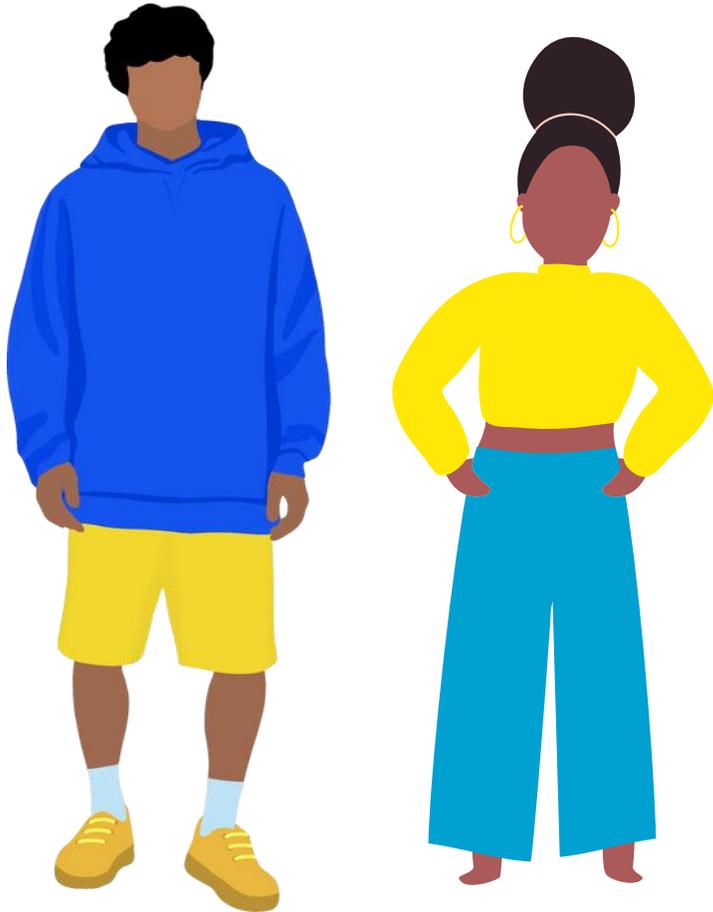
You can apply as an individual if:

- You're a resident of Illinois.
- You make \$3,841 a month or less before taxes.
- You are not currently pregnant.
- And you don't already have Medicaid.

You should also know that coverage is open to:

- People of all genders.
- People of all ages.
- People with private insurance.

6. Can minors enroll in FPPE?



- Yes! FPPE and ongoing HFS FPP coverage are **both open to patients of all ages** and patients of any age can enroll and sign for their own application without a parent or guardian.
- In Illinois, **people 12+ also have the right to access birth control** and STI care on their own without a parent or guardian.

Covered Services

7. What services are covered under FPPE?



Covered services include:

- Physical Exam.
- STI testing/treatment and condoms.
- HIV testing, PEP, and PrEP.
- COVID, HPV, Hepatitis, and mpox vaccines.
- Preconception care, counseling, and labs.
- Birth control (pill, patch, ring, Depo, implant, IUD).
- Emergency contraception.
- Tubal ligation or vasectomy.
- Mammograms, pap smears/pap follow-up.
- Treatment for genital/urinary infections.

Enrollment

8. How do I enroll someone in FPPE?

FPPE Enrollment Guide

Enter the ABE provider portal to begin a new FPPE application. You will be guided through a series of steps to capture patient's eligibility and personal information.

The screenshot shows the 'ABE Provider Portal Landing Page' with a blue header. Below the header, there is a section titled 'ABE for Partners and Providers' with a welcome message and a 'Next' button. The main content area is divided into two sections: 'Submit Applications' and 'Search for Applications'. The 'Submit Applications' section has two radio buttons: 'Submit MPE Applications for Pregnant Women' and 'Submit Presumptive Family Planning Applications', with the latter selected. The 'Search for Applications' section has two radio buttons: 'Search for MPE Applications for Pregnant Women' and 'Search for Presumptive Family Planning Applications'. Below this is a blue bar with 'Type Family Planning Presumptive Eligibility' and 'Applicant' fields. The 'Identifying Information' section includes fields for First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name, Date of Birth, Social Security Number (Optional), Language Preference, and Sex (assigned at birth).

Who should enroll in FPPE?
People of any age, gender, or immigration status can apply for immediate, temporary coverage. FPPE should be offered to patients waiting to hear back on an ongoing Medicaid or HFS Family Planning Program application and those who do not qualify for other coverage because of immigration status. FPPE is not only for birth control. It can cover the cost of a visit for primary care when coupled with routine reproductive care like STI testing or screening for contraceptive needs and desires.

- FPPE applications can be done by registered FPPE providers through the ABE provider portal.
- The entire FPPE application takes about five minutes. Coverage is effective immediately for eligible patients.
- Patients do not need any proof or documentation of income, immigration, identify, employment, etc.
- All verification of eligibility is done via self-attestation (aka verbal conversation).

9. How do I verify if someone is enrolled in FPPE?

You can confirm if someone is enrolled in FPPE in Medi, just like you would for a regular Medicaid application or for the Moms and Babies Medicaid program.

Coverage Detail

For the date(s) of service entered, the client is eligible for limited medical benefits. Additional information available below or refer to the Provider Handbook for program specific coverage limitations.

Case Type: FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

| Begin Date | End Date | Case Id | System Date |
|------------|------------|----------------|-------------|
| 01/10/2023 | 01/10/2023 | 94180T25643603 | 12/14/2022 |

Service Type(s):SURGICAL - HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN COVERAGE - DIAGNOSTIC X-RAY - DIAGNOSTIC LAB - HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT SERVICES - HOSPITAL AMBULATORY SURGICAL - ANESTHESIA - IMMUNIZATIONS - FAMILY PLANNING - PHARMACY - BRAND NAME RX DRUGS - GENERIC RX DRUGS - PROFESSIONAL (PHYSICIAN) VISIT OFFICE -

Special Information:Title XIX. Coverage limited to family planning related exams, mammograms and diagnostic tests and treatment of STIs (except HIV) found at a family planning visit.

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Becoming an FPPE Provider

10. How do I become a registered FPPE provider site?

- Become a registered FPPE provider by emailing HFS.MPE.FPproviders@illinois.gov. After completing your registration forms, you will be asked to complete a one-time, 1-hour training with HFS.
- There are over 240+ unique clinics across Illinois who have already completed the FPPE registration process! You can also learn more about becoming an FPPE provider by visiting the [MPE/FPPE provider page](#).

