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HEALTH CARE AFFORDABILITY FUND UPDATES

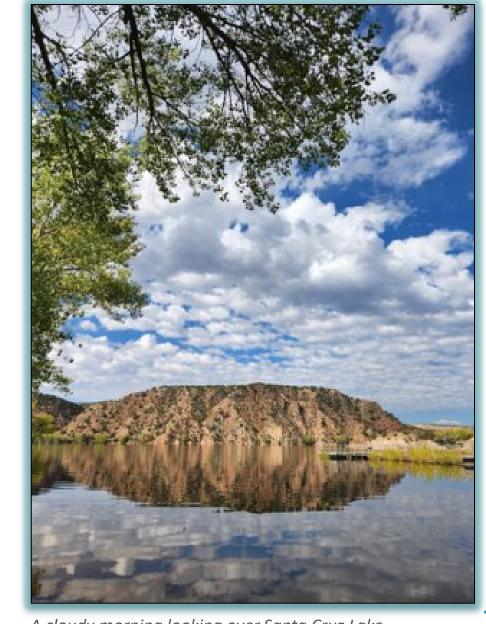
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INVESTING FOR TOMORROW, DELIVERING TODAY.

BEFORE WE START...

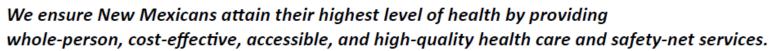
On behalf of all colleagues at the Health Care Authority, we humbly acknowledge we are on the unceded ancestral lands of the original peoples of the Pueblo, Apache, and Diné past, present, and future.

With gratitude we pay our respects to the land, the people, and the communities that contribute to what today is known as the State of New Mexico.



A cloudy morning looking over Santa Cruz Lake.
Photo taken by HCA employee Jessica Gomez

MISSION





VISION

Every New Mexican has access to affordable health care coverage through a coordinated and seamless health care system.

GOALS



LEVERAGE purchasing power and partnerships to create innovative policies and models of comprehensive health care coverage that improve the health and well-being of New Mexicans and the workforce.



BUILD the best team in state government by supporting employees' continuous growth and wellness.



ACHIEVE health equity by addressing poverty, discrimination, and lack of resources, building a New Mexico where everyone thrives.



IMPLEMENT innovative technology and data-driven decision-making to provide unparalleled, convenient access to services and information.

DISCLAIMER:

The intent of the information provided is to be a general summary and does not take the place of written guidelines, laws, or regulations. The information within this presentation is subject to change based on a fast-changing policy environment.

INTRODUCTION

This presentation will provide you with an overview of the Health Care Affordability Fund (HCAF) and the Marketplace Affordability Program (MAP).

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MAIN TOPICS

Overview of the Health Care Affordability Fund

Updates and changes on:

- Marketplace Affordability Program
- Federal Law and Rule Changes
- Small Business Health Insurance Premium Relief Initiative

HEALTH CARE AFFORDABILITY FUND

Originally passed and signed into state law in 2021, the Health Care Affordability Fund was established to create programs that reduce health insurance premiums and out-of-pocket costs for individuals, families, and small businesses.

These programs are subject to annual legislative appropriation.

You'll also hear this referred to as HCAF or "The Fund".

Programs include:

- The Health Insurance Marketplace Affordability Program
- The Small Business Premium Relief Initiative
- Coverage Protection Programs



THE HEALTH INSURANCE MARKETPLACE AFFORDABILITY PROGRAM

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Marketplace Affordability Program (MAP) is one of the larger initiatives funded by HCAF and **only** applies to plans sold on BeWell's marketplace platform. **2026 programs are similar to 2025.**

Costs the Marketplace affordability programs cover:

Monthly premiums

- New Mexico Premium Assistance (NMPA)
- Native American Premium Assistance (NAPA)
- Medicaid Transition Premium Relief (MTPR)

Annual out-of-pocket costs

State Out-of-Pocket Assistance (SOPA) also known as Turquoise Plans



NEW MEXICO PREMIUM ASSISTANCE (NMPA)

Who is eligible?

- Individuals and families with income levels up to 400% FPL.
- Those who qualify for the federal Premium Tax Credit through BeWell.

What does NMPA do?

- Provides no-cost monthly premium options up to 200% FPL.
- Reduces premiums for those between 200-400% FPL.

NATIVE AMERICAN PREMIUM ASSISTANCE (NAPA)

State-funded premium assistance is enhanced for registered members of federally-recognized tribes.

- Those under 300% FPL are offered a \$0 premium for the lowest cost plan from each issuer under the NAPA program.
- **Between 300-400% FPL** have a consumer responsibility between 1-8.5% of household income for the SLCSP.
- The state pays what would otherwise be owed for the plan after accounting for the federal APTC and NMPA.
- Non-essential health benefits (EHB), such as adult vision, can be included in the NAPA amount to bring the consumer responsibility to \$0.

STATE OUT-OF-POCKET ASSISTANCE (SOPA)

Who is eligible?

• Individuals and families up to 400% FPL qualifying for the federal Premium Tax Credit through BeWell.

What does it do?

• Directly reduces deductibles, maximum out-of-pocket limits, copayments, and coinsurance for certain plans.

To benefit from SOPA, consumers must select a Turquoise Plan through BeWell.



TURQUOISE PLANS

 Turquoise Plans are plans that have extra savings on out-of-pocket costs that are provided by the State of New Mexico.

 Turquoise Plans are clearly marked for consumers to know which plans qualify for extra savings

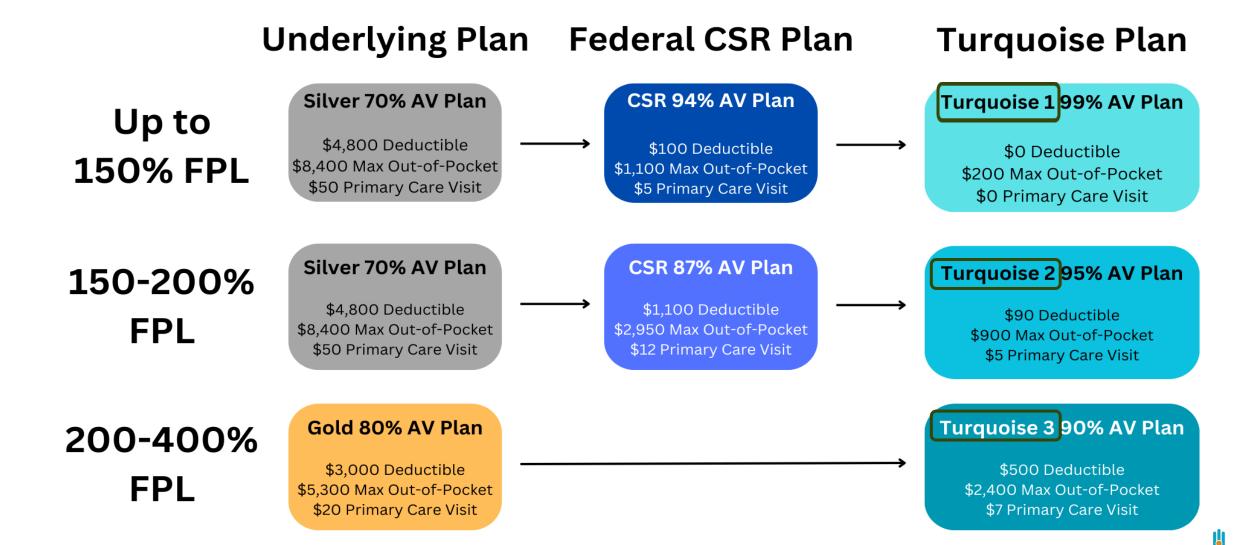
• IMPORTANT: If a consumer is between 200.01 – 250% FPL and qualifies to purchase a Turquoise plan but chooses to purchase a Silver plan, they will only be getting an AV of 73% instead of an AV of 90%.

TURQUOISE LEVELS

Turquoise Plans are enhancements of **Silver plans** for consumers under 200% FPL or **Gold plans** for consumers between 200-400% FPL. Consumers should choose a Turquoise Plan to get the maximum out-of-pocket savings. The plans are called "Turquoise" make it easy to identify for the consumer.

Plan Number	Turquoise 1	Turquoise 2	Turquoise 3
FPL Range	Up to 150%	150-200%	200-400%
Actuarial Value	99% AV	95% AV	90% AV
Underlying Metal Level	Silver	Silver	Gold

EXAMPLES OF TURQUOISE OUT-OF-POCKET COST REDUCTIONS



These are examples and may not reflect actual PY26 Plan Designs. Learn more about MAP PY26 Policy & Procedure Manual: https://tinyurl.com/PY26-MAP-Guidance

MEDICAID TRANSITION PREMIUM RELIEF (MTPR)

- Some people who lose Medicaid eligibility may qualify for help through New Mexico's MTPR Program.
- Through the MTPR Program, the first month's premium is covered for qualifying individuals moving from Medicaid to a health plan on BeWell.
- To qualify, an individual must have lost Medicaid eligibility, be eligible for PTC, and have an income up to 400% FPL.

2026 FEDERAL LAW AND RULE CHANGES AND HCA RESPONSES

ENHANCED FEDERAL PREMIUM SUBSIDIES ARE SCHEDULED TO EXPIRE IN 2026

- Federal premium tax credits were enhanced by the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) and extended by the Inflation Reduction Act (IRA).
- Without congressional action, the enhanced federal premium subsidies are scheduled to sunset December 31, 2025.
- This would cause an average premium increase of \$700 per person and an average 75% premium increase. This would also eliminate assistance for households with income over 400% FPL.

HCA Response:

The New Mexico Legislature appropriated funds to HCA to cover the loss of enhanced PTCs for enrollees up to 400% FPL, which will mitigate premium increases for most enrollees.

MANY LAWFULLY PRESENT NON-CITIZENS UNDER 100% FPL WILL LOSE PTC ELIGIBILITY

- HR 1 eliminates PTC eligibility for Marketplace enrollees under 100%
 FPL who are ineligible for Medicaid because of their immigration status.
- Change occurs January 1, 2026 and impacts nearly 1,000 current lowincome BeWell enrollees.
- Enrollees still qualify for Marketplace coverage but do not qualify for federal premium or cost sharing assistance.

HCA Response:

HCA is working with BeWell to identify a solution to maintain Marketplace coverage by providing state-funded assistance. Due to the late policy change, manual processes will need to be implemented. Broker engagement will be essential. More details will be shared soon.

DACA ELIGIBILITY FOR PTC HAS BEEN RESCINDED BY RULE

- The Marketplace Integrity and Affordability (MIA) rule went into effect on August 25. The rule eliminates Marketplace and PTC eligibility for Deferred Action for Childhood Arrival (DACA) Recipients.
- Approximately 100 BeWell enrollees will lose Marketplace coverage on September 31, 2025 due to this change.

HCA Response:

HCA has issued guidance to provide financial assistance to DACA Recipients losing coverage through the end of 2025. Individuals losing Marketplace coverage can enroll in their carrier's off-exchange Clear Cost Gold plan to receive continued state financial assistance.

SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM RELIEF INITIATIVE

SMALL BUSINESS INITIATIVE

Who is eligible?

• Small businesses with between 2 and 50 employees, or full-time equivalents, that purchase ACA-compliant small group plans.

Benefits?

- 10% discount on premiums for Bronze and Silver plans
- *New starting July 1, 2025* 15% discount on premiums for Gold and Platinum plans

These benefits are available off-marketplace through the participating carriers: Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Mexico, Presbyterian Health Plan, and United Healthcare.



THANK YOU!



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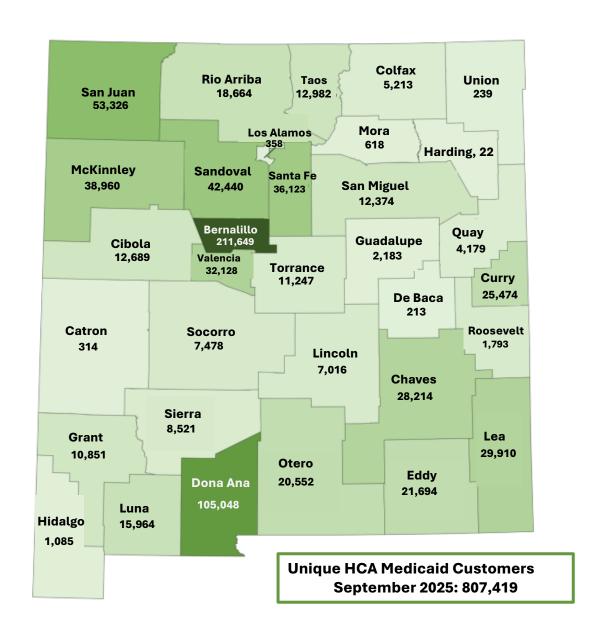
2025 BEWELL NM OPEN ENROLLMENT KICK OFF **ANGELINA VIGIL**

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MEDICAID UPDATES

HCA MEDICAID CUSTOMERS SEPTEMBER 2025



HCA Interactive Customer Map



EXCITING YESNM FEATURES FOR CUSTOMERS



- Single Sign-on: This feature enhances security for the enrollment process and access to all available benefits and services such as Child Support, Medicaid, SNAP, Cash Assistance, Energy Assistance, Behavioral Health, and Childcare.
- Dynamic Application: The dynamic application, only asks customers the necessary questions to determine their eligibility for programs and services based on the programs they are applying for.
- Let us Help You Screening Assist: This feature helps customers find the programs and services that might help them based on their answers to a few basic questions.
- Mobile App: The mobile app gives customers all the functionality of YesNM at their fingertips in a convenient, mobile application.
- Proactive Notifications and Check-Ins: Customers receive notifications and check ins about their status, upcoming events, and required actions to help stay on track with the management of their benefits and services.
- Document Upload: Customers can easily submit documents to HCA from their computer or mobile device in seconds.

NM HSD Portal

LAUNCH OF Turquoise Claims

In December 2025, the NM Medicaid Provider Web Portal will be replaced with Turquoise Claims at YES.NM.GOV.

The NM Medicaid provider portal will no longer be accessible.

You will be required to create a new account in YES.NM.GOV to use the new system, if you don't already have one. Instructions for creating a new account can be found here: New Account Creation.pdf.

If needed, there will be instructional videos outlining how to access Turquoise Claims.

The Turquoise Claims landing page is also accessible on the HCA website: https://www.hca.nm.gov/turquoise-claims/, which will help you stay current on the most up-to-date information that has been released regarding the new system.

This page is also used as a repository for all communications that have been sent out. This section is located at the

bottom of the page and contains links to a PDF format of these released documents:

Questions? Email us at HCA-TurquoiseClaims@hca.nm.gov.



ROADSHOW FOR MEDICAID PROVIDERS

To raise awareness for this new system launch, representatives from HCA and Conduent will be visiting locations throughout New Mexico, October through December leading up to Go-Live. At these presentations, we will introduce and demonstrate Turquoise Claims, explain its features, and answer any questions.

Keep an eye on your email for specific dates and times or click on the link below to see the roadshow schedule.

Turqoise-Claims-Roadshow-Flier 082725.pdf

Turquoise Claims Roadshow



PE DETERMINERS – NEW FEATURES

SYSTEMS USED WITHIN YESNM

Provider and PED Enrollment System

HCA and MAD PE program will now
be using the Provider and
Presumptive Eligibility
Determiner(PED) Enrollment System.
This system will be used for providers
and individuals to apply to become a
Medicaid provider or P E D. It will also
be used for provider billing services
and for training.



Learning Management System

HCA and MAD PE program will now be using the Learning Management System (LMS), (also known as Percipio), for creating, managing, delivering, and tracking educational training programs.

YES.NM.GOV

The new YES.NM.GOV is working towards a one stop shop for all assistance programs. The new YES.NM.GOV website is now available to submit child support applications and regular customer applications. YES.NM.GOV for PEDs has the added functionality to allow PEDs to submit applications for additional assistance programs on behalf of customers, such as Food and Nutrition (SNAP), Financial Assistance, and Housing and Utilities program (LIHEAP).



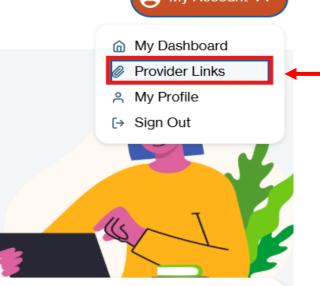
Get Assistance ∨ Employers & Providers ∨



Welcome, Angelina!

Welcome Angelina Vigil! This is your one stop shop for Presumptive Eligibility Determiners.

Apply for PE



Search

Benefit Status PE Application Status

Search beneficiaries applications and cases.

Search by First Name ①

Search by Last Name ①

Date of Birth

Search by Case #

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+ Show Advanced Search

Search Benefit Status



MEDICAID PROVIDER LINKS

Provider/PED/PED **Applicant Links**

On this page the provider, provider admin, Presumptive Eligibility Determiners (PED) and PED applicant will be able to access the provider enrollment path to enroll as a provider, update your specialty, provide documents, or to revalidate your status as a provider, continue to provider enrollment, recertification and revalidation





Provider/PED Enrollment

Health care providers, provider admins, PEDs, and PED applicants are essential to build a healthier New Mexico. We are committed to ensuring the top quality of health care and program assistance for New Mexicans. For provider enrollment, documentation uploads, revalidation and PED proivder enrollment continue here.

Continue To Provider / PED Enrollment, Recertification, Revalidation ->

Learning Management System

This section is designed to deliver educational training resources to providers, active PEDs and PED applicants. Continued education ensures providers and PEDs are up to date on changes to polices, understand billing and coding procedures and maintain necessary certifications to continue services. To access training materials, track progress and meet the quality standards needed for healthy New Mexicans "click the link".



*PFDs will submit a supplemental application inside of Provider and Presumptive Eligibility Determiner(PED) Enrollment System to request account changes. The request will be reviewed and processed by MAD PE program team.









Welcome YES.NM.GOV

YES.NM.GOV is your one-stop shop for help. You can use YES.NM.GOV to find, apply for and manage health and human services programs and services. Say YES to the help you deserve New Mexico!

Create An Account





HCA PROGRAMS AVAILABLE FOR APPLICATION SUBMISSION IN YESNM



Get Assistance ↑ Employers & Providers ∨



FOOD AND NUTRITION



Food & Nutrition

There are many programs in

New Mexico that offer food and
nutrition services. Some
programs help people pay for
food. Some programs provide
food or meals for people. Other
programs teach people about
making healthier food choices.

Program Overview

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, or SNAP, is a state and federal program that helps people buy the food they need. It is the largest food program in America. To get SNAP, all eligibility factors must be met. If someone is approved for SNAP, they get money to buy food each month. They are issued an Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) card. The card can be used like a debit card at participating grocery stores, convenience stores and farmer's markets. Each month someone is eligible benefits will be loaded to the EBT card. SNAP EBT cards can be used to buy food or seeds to grow food.

What You Should Know

You need to apply for SNAP to see if you are eligible. Your SNAP will start from the date you apply. You may also need to complete an interview with state staff. The interview can be in person or by phone. SNAP applications can take up to 30 days to be processed. Sometimes people can get SNAP faster. This emergency assistance is called "Expedited SNAP". SNAP benefits are usually approved for a year. You may need to tell us about your household every 6 months. This is called an interim report. Your SNAP benefits may end if you do not complete it. We will let you know if something is needed and when it is needed.



FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE



Financial Assistance

New Mexico offers financial assistance. It's available through work programs. It's also available through cash assistance programs. People can be in these programs for a set amount of time. These programs help people get back on their feet.

Benefits & Services

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families

General Assistance Disability

General Assistance Unrelated Child



HOUSING AND UTILITIES



Housing & Utilities

New Mexicans can get help with housing and utilities. Housing help can come from community services or supportive housing. There are also programs that help pay home heating, cooling and water costs. These programs help people live safely.

Energy Assistance

Program Overview

The Low-Income Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) helps New Mexicans heat or cool their homes. LIHEAP can help people stay warm in the winter and cool in the summer. To get LIHEAP you need to meet program guidelines. When someone is approved for LIHEAP, they can get help with utilities. This includes help paying for gas, electricity, and propane. It also helps buy bulk fuel like wood and pellets. Energy bills can be up to 30% of a low-income family's monthly income. This is true in peak winter heating and summer cooling months. LIHEAP can help people live safely in their homes.

What You Should Know

Households can apply for LIHEAP once a year. Applications can be submitted anytime between October 1 and September 30. You may need to provide proof of things to get LIHEAP. This includes proof of identity for an adult in your household. We'll need proof of your household income and utility expense. In some cases, you may be able to get LIHEAP faster. You may get it faster if you have a disconnect notice. You may also get it if you are almost out of wood or propane. You may need to complete an interview before your application can be processed. We will let you know what you may need.





HCA PROGRAM RESOURCES

LOOKING FOR INFORMATION OVERVIEW

Emergency Contact Information



Federal Poverty Level Guidelines - Income Eligibility

Eligibility for all programs is partially based on an individual's or family's countable household income. Levels vary based on the category of eligibility, but all are calculated as a percentage of the Federal Poverty Guidelines (FPL), which are established by the United States Department of Health and Human Services. To view the current FPL for a particular program, click on the appropriate link below.

Income Support Division

NM LIHEAP Point and Income Guide

NM LIHEAP Point and Income Guide FFY 2025

NM LIHEAP Point and Income Guide FFY 2024

NM LIHEAP Point and Income Guide FFY 2023

NM LIHEAP Point and Income Guide FFY 2022

NM LIHEAP Point and Income Guide FFY 2021

Eligibility Guidelines for Programs such as SNAP and TANF

<u>Income Eligibility Guidelines for SNAP and Financial Assistance (October 1,2024-September 30, 2025)</u>

<u>Federal Poverty Level Guidelines - Income Eligibility - New Mexico Health</u> Care Authority

Medical Assistance Division

Federal Poverty Levels

2025-2026 Federal Povery Level Guidelines

2024-2025 Federal Poverty Level Guidelines

2023-2024 Federal Poverty Level Guidelines

2022-2023 Federal Poverty Level Guidelines

2021-2022 Federal Poverty Level Guidelines

2020 -2021 Federal Poverty Level Guidelines

2019-2020 Federal Poverty Level Guidelines

2018-2019 Federal Poverty Level Guidelines

2017-2018 Federal Poverty Level Guidelines

Income and Eligibility Guidelines for Medicaid

2025-2026 MAD 029 Aged, Blind and Disabled Medicaid Programs

2025-2026 MAD 029 Aged, Blind and Disabled Medicaid Programs

2025-2026 MAD 222 Affordable Care Act Medicaid

2024-2025 MAD 222 Affordable Care Act Medicaid

2024-2025 MAD 029 Aged, Blind and Disabled Medicaid Programs

2023-2024 MAD 222 Affordable Care Act Medicaid

2023-2024 MAD 029 Aged, Blind and Disabled Medicaid Programs



CHOOSING OR CHANGING AN MCO

- All applicants, including Native Americans who choose to or are required to be enrolled in Turquoise Care and individuals applying only for Presumptive Eligibility, are encouraged to select an MCO on their Medicaid application
 - Value Added Services All MCOs
- Anyone who has not been identified as Native American who is required to be in Turquoise Care and does not choose an MCO will be assigned to one
- > Applicants should make sure that their providers are in their chosen MCO's network
- After choosing or being assigned to an MCO, a client will have 3 months to change to a different MCO
 - After the 3-month switch period, members will be 'locked in' and will remain enrolled with their MCO until their annual open enrollment period (provided they remain Medicaid eligible)
 - Some MCO switches are allowed during the lock-in period but must meet specific 'for cause' reasons (and be approved by the Medical Assistance Division)
- For questions about their MCO or switching to a different MCO, clients should call the Medicaid Call Center (1-800-283-4465) or go on-line. PEDs may request MCO changes on behalf of the client through the PEDs YESNM account NM HSD Portal

MCO ENROLLMENT RULES

- If the individual was previously enrolled with a MCO and lost eligibility for 3 months or less, the individual will be re-enrolled with that MCO. (Individuals have 3 months to request a change at this time)
- If the individual has a family member enrolled in a specific MCO, they will be enrolled with the same MCO. (Individuals have 3 months to request a change at this time)
- The open enrollment period is 2 months prior to the start date of a new 12-month enrollment period. (Individuals may request an MCO change during this time, a client recertification period and open enrollment period maybe at different times in a 12-month period)
- Native Americans selecting Fee For Service Medicaid May select to enroll in Turquoise Care at any time or they can opt out at anytime

MCO Switch Request

This information must be submitted to HCA\MAD via written request and MUST be signed by the member or Legal Guardian/Power of Attorney as applicable.

- Name of each member needing to switch MCOs
- Social Security number of each member
- Reason why the member NEEDs to switch MCOs
- Doctor's Name and Office Phone number (as applicable)
- Member's Current Mailing Address including City/Zip Code
- Daytime Phone Number with Area Code
- Member's Current MCO, and MCO requesting to switch to

Members with Legal Guardian(s) or Power of Attorney must submit such documents when submitting their MCO switch request to HSD/MAD.

FAX TO: 505-476-6825

Or

MAIL TO: Human Services Department

Attn: Communication & Education Bureau/MCO Switch

Request

Medical Assistance Division

PO Box 2348

Santa Fe, NM 87504-2348



JUST HEALTH PLUS

JUSTICE RE-ENTRY WAIVER APPROVAL

- Removes the inmate exclusion to allow Medicaid to pay for select pre-release services
- Outlines parameters for pre-release services, including a minimum set of 3 pre-release services that must be offered:
 - 1. Care Management,
 - 2. Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT),
 - 3. 30-day supply of medication upon release.
 - New Mexico is approved to cover **additional services**, such as HCV treatment.
 - Allows coverage for a period **up to 90 days** immediately prior to the individual's expected release date.
 - Offers optional Start-up funds for planning and capacity building.
 - Requires implementation plan, readiness assessment and financial reinvestments.
 - All options are subject to state budget availability



JUST HEALTH PLUS



Look for more information on the HCA website:

www.hca.nm.gov/justice-initiatives/

JUSTICE RE-ENTRY WAIVER MILESTONES

New Mexico Justice Reentry Demonstration Milestones and Goals



Milestone 1: Increasing coverage and ensuring continuity of coverage for individuals who are incarcerated Goal: Ensure eligible individuals are enrolled in Medicaid and receive re-entry services prior to release



Milestone 2: Covering and ensuring access to the minimum set of pre-release services for individuals who are incarcerated to improve care transitions upon return to the community **Goal**: Ensure medication and medical resource continuity upon reentry



Milestone 3: Promoting continuity of care

Goal: Strengthen community-based supports to prevent costly and avoidable emergency department visits or inpatient hospitalizations.



Milestone 4: Connecting to services available post-release to meet the needs of the reentering population

Goal: Improve the physical and behavioral health of individuals upon community reentry

Goal: Reduce recidivism

Goal: Decrease the number of formerly incarcerated individuals who face housing insecurity



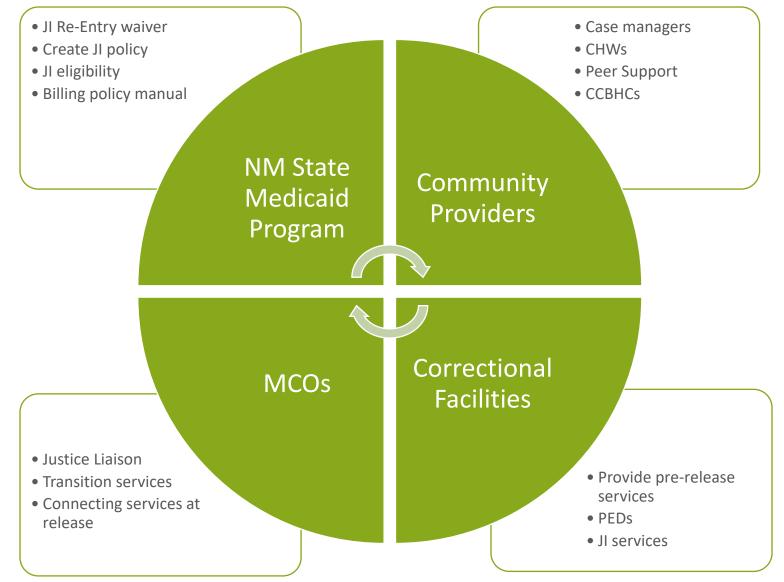
Milestone 5: Ensuring cross-system collaboration

Goal: Assist counties with implementation of the program and educate on Medicaid billing,

Goal: Partner with additional jail and county detention centers



PARTNERS INVOLVED IN RE-ENTRY SERVICES



JUSTICE INVOLVED RE-ENTRY FRAMEWORK

- -Booked into carceral facility
- -Screen for Medicaid eligibility

(Pre-release service period begins, if no release date is known or 90 days prior to release)

Release with 30 days prescription meds in hand

Post-transition supports through community providers and or MCOs continuing case management











Services will start based on service level tiers and facility readiness

Case Manager performs warm handoff



JI SERVICE LEVELS AND DEFINITIONS

Service Level 1 (Mandatory Minimum)

- Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT)
- •Thirty Days of medications upon Release
- •Re-entry Case Management

Service Level 2 (Includes 1 & 2)

- Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT)
- •Thirty Days of medications upon Release
- •Re-entry Case Management
- Hepatitis C Diagnostic and Treatment Services
- Peer Supports
- •CHW Services

Service Level 3 (All Approved Services)

- Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT)
- •Thirty Days of medications upon Release
- Re-entry Case Management
- Hepatitis C Diagnostic and Treatment Services
- Peer Supports
- CHW Services
- Diagnostic Services, incl.
 Laboratory and Radiology
- Prescribed Drugs
- Medical Equipment and Supplies
- Physical and Behavioral Health Clinical Consultation
- Family Planning Services



CAA & 1115 IMPLEMENTATION PHASED IN APPROACH

Phase-in of facilities over time

- Based on state-defined cohorts and facility readiness
- CYFD JJS 2 facilities implemented
- NMCD begin Soft Launch with pilot facilites
 - Central NM Correctional facility
 - Western NM Correctional facility
 - Springer NM Correctional facility

Phase-in of services based on "readiness levels"

- Start with mandatory services; phase in optional services based on state budget authorization
- Depends on individual facility readiness

Phase 1 (CAA) January 2025	Phase 2 (NMCD) Summer 2025	Phase 3 2026	Phase 4 2027	Phase 5 2027
Implementation of CAA Section 5121 services (EPSDT screening and diagnostics and targeted case management)	Implementation of 1115 reentry services, transition to automated processes for Section 5121 coordination and billing in CYFD and NMCD facilities	Implementation of automated processes for Section 5121 coordination and billing. Pilot with county facilities	Continue adding in County facilities and carceral facilities on tribes and pueblos	Continued system enhancements to promote continuity of care

^{*}Based on state budget availability



NEXT STAKEHOLDER MEETING & FEEDBACK

Next JUST Health Plus quarterly stakeholder meeting

WHEN: Thurs., Sept. 25, 10:00 -11:30 a.m.

WHERE: Online (Zoom)

Register in advance for this meeting:

bit.ly/JUSTHealthSept

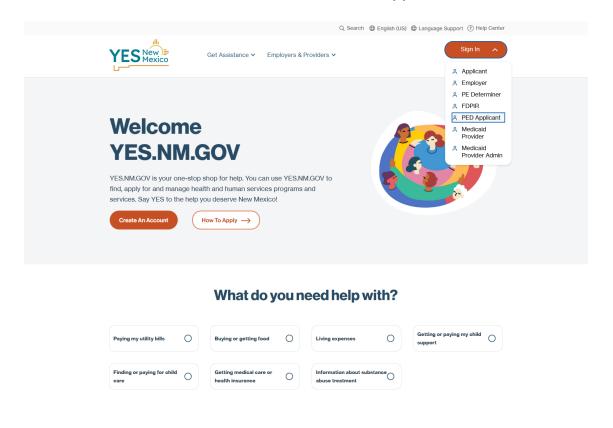


To ensure a successful Presumptive Eligibility Determiner (PED) program, within the Healthcare Authority (HCA) relies on consistent, highly effective performances by its PEDs. In our efforts to provide training to individuals wanting to become certified Presumptive Eligibility Determiners, HCA/MAD has implemented a self-paced computer-based training to be completed along with the passing of an exam with a score of 90% or higher. If the individual does not pass the first two exams during the initial training, a retake training or a live training is available upon request. If the exam is not successfully passed during both trainings, the PED will be suspended from requesting the Presumptive Eligibility Certification Training for 3 months. Thank you for your interest in becoming a Presumptive Eligibility Determiner. The new computer-based online training is now available! There are 3 sets of instructions to be followed to become a PED.

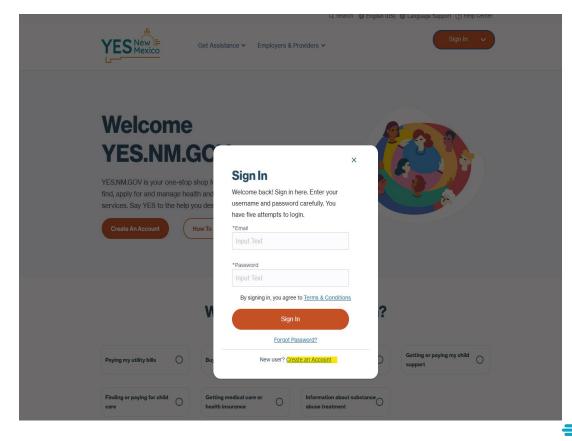
- 1. Create an account in YESNM and submit an application in the Provider and PED Enrollment system. Once your application is approved you will be given access to take the training.
- 2. Taking the PED Training. You must complete the training within 2 weeks of having your application approved. Once training is completed, the individual will be required to complete a program comprehension test with a score of 90% or higher. (Individuals will be given 2 attempts to pass the test). If the individual does not pass within both attempts, they will be able to take the training a second time with the same requirements.
- 3. Upload your training documents. Once the individual passes the test, they will upload their PED training certificate and their Presumptive Eligibility Determiner Agreement and Code of Conduct form.

HCA.PEDeterminers@hca.nm.gov

1: Create an account on YES.NM.GOV as a PED applicant.

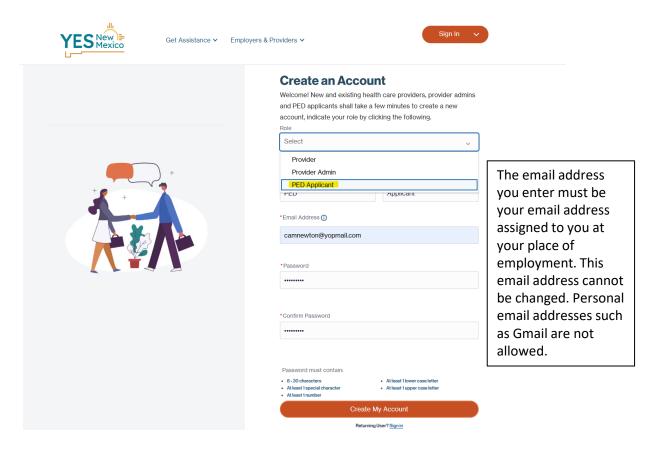


2: You will be prompted with a sign in screen. At the bottom of the screen, click on Create an Account.

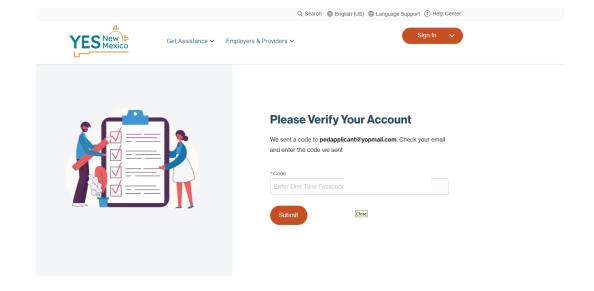


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3: Click the drop-down arrow below and select the role "PED Applicant". Begin by typing in your First Name, Last Name, Email address and create a password. Once completed, click Create My Account.



4: You will receive a one-time verification passcode sent to your email. Please type in the code and do not copy and paste.



5: From the home page- Click on Provider and PED Enrollment link. This will take you to the Provider and PED enrollment screen (KYP) Portal where you will create a workspace to create and submit an application to become a Certified Presumptive Eligibility Determiner.



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Provider/PED/PED **Applicant Links**

On this page the provider, provider admin, Presumptive Eligibility Determiners (PED) and PED applicant will be able to access the provider enrollment path to enroll as a provider, update your specialty, provide documents, or to revalidate your status as a provider, continue to provider enrollment, recertification and revalidation

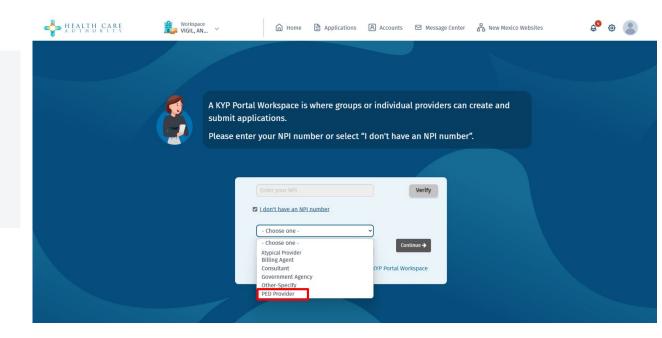




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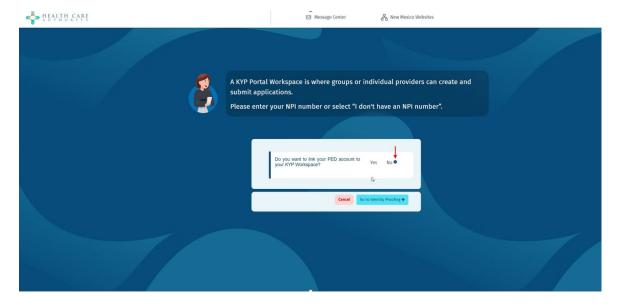
Health care providers, provider admins, PEDs, and PED applicants are essential to build a healthier New Mexico. We are committed to ensuring the top quality of health care and program assistance for New Mexicans For provider enrollment, documentation uploads, revalidation and PED provider enrollment continue here.

6: **DO NOT** enter your NPI on this screen even if you have one. Select the box next to "I don't have an NPI number". A drop down will then appear. Select Atypical Provider and click Continue.

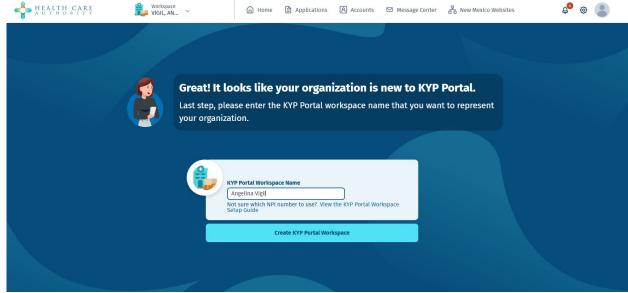




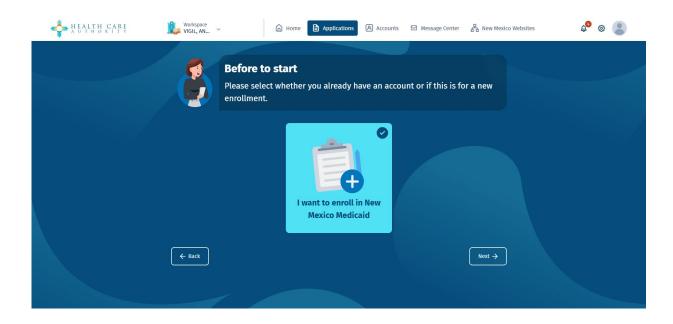
7: You'll select "no" you don't want to link your PED account and select Go to Identity Proofing.



8: Create a Workspace Name. (Usually your first and last name). Click on Create KYP Workspace.



9: Select "I want to enroll in New Mexico Medicaid' and click Next.



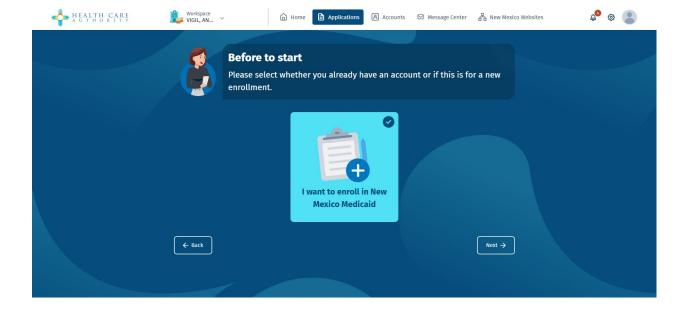
10: Select the box next to I'm an atypical provider or PED and click Continue with the process. (*DO NOT enter an NPI number*)



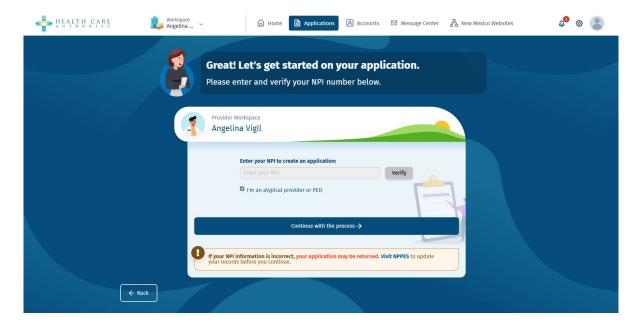
9: You will land on your welcome page. Select "Start an application".



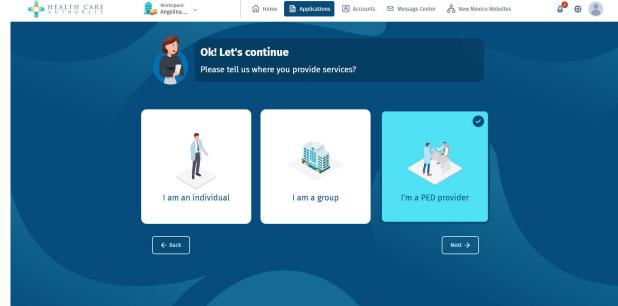
10: Select "I want to enroll in New Mexico Medicaid' and click Next.



11: Select the box next to I'm an atypical provider or PED and click Continue with the process. (DO NOT enter an NPI number)



12: On this screen, you are going to select the tile I'm a PED provider and select next.

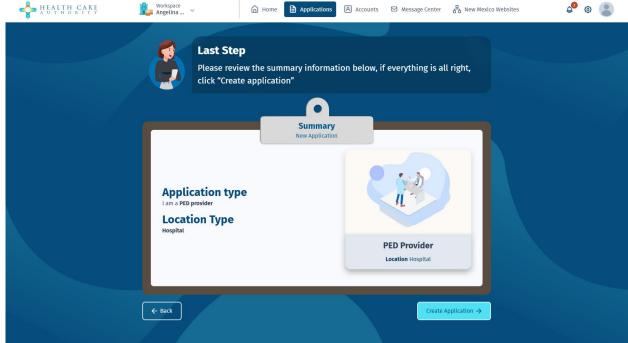


13: Please select your location type. The location type is where you are employed, click Next.

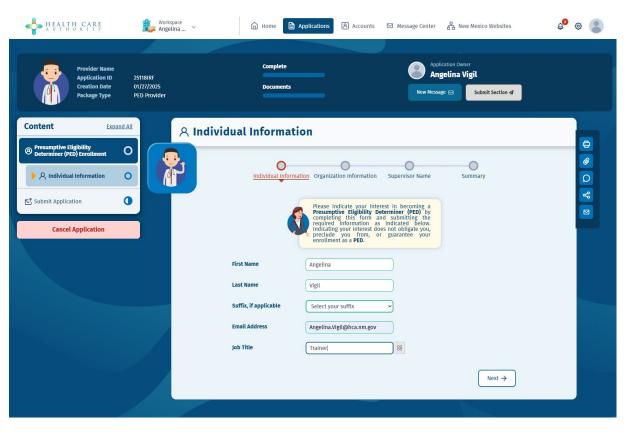
- MAD PE Program staff will verify that the entity you work with is eligible to participate in our PED Program



14: You'll receive a Summary page. Verify the information is correct and select "Create Application".



15: Complete the individual information form by typing in your First Name, Last Name, email address and Job Title. Fill out *all* fields on the application, <u>PLEASE DO</u> **NOT** abbreviate or enter nicknames. Select Next.

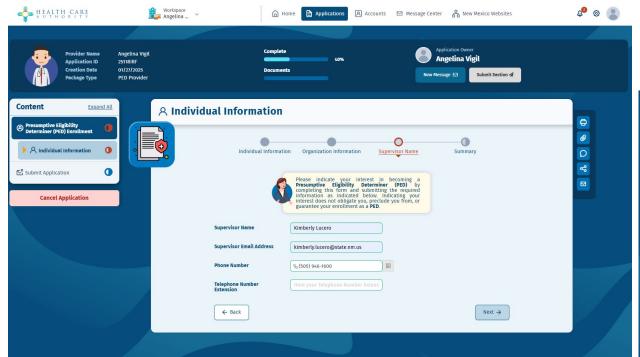


16: Complete all required fields under Organization Information.

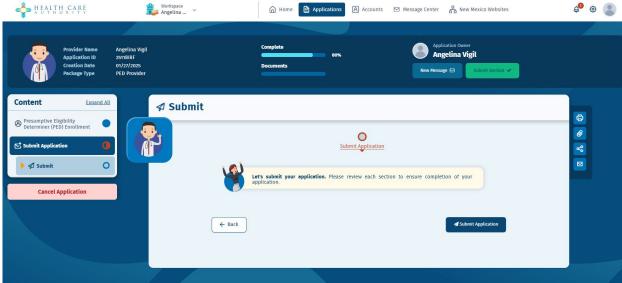
**Note: Organization Provider ID is to be left blank. You'll need to type in your organization's address and choose the correct address that will be suggested for you. This will give the correct zip code for that address. When completed, select next.



17: Type in your supervisor's full name, email address and phone number. Select Next.



18. Select Submit Application.



Once you've successfully submitted your PED Applicant application, MAD PE Program staff will verify that the entity you work with is eligible to participate in our PED Program. You'll receive an email indicating whether your application was approved or denied. If your application is approved, you will navigate back to YESNM and select the Learning Management System link to start your training.

This is an example of an approval for training letter.

Applicant Name Saiz, Dolores Email DOLC Application

02/14/2025

Dear Applicant.

Thank you for your interest in becoming a Presumptive Eligibility Determiner (PED) for the New Mexico (NM) Medicaid Program. This letter is to notify you that your request to take the Presumptive Eligibility Determiner certification training has been Approved.

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For instructions on how to access and complete the training as well as any next steps, please go to the following link: https://yes.nm.gov/nmhr/s/?language=en_US

Please complete the training and upload documentation to your application by 03/11/2025. If you fail to upload the documents by 03/11/2025, your application to become a PED will be denied.

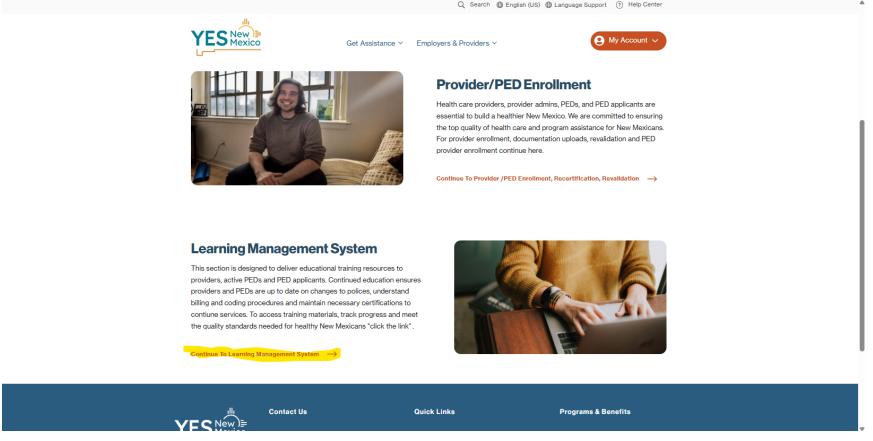
After your documentation has been uploaded, your application will be reviewed and you will receive a notice with a final determination for your application.

If you have questions or need assistance, please email HCA.PEDeterminers@hca.nm.gov





18. Navigate back to YES.NM Provider links and Select the option of Learning Management System. Check back for access to training once approval letter has been received. Note: This may take 1-3 business days.





WHAT HAPPENS IF I DON'T PASS THE PED TRAINING EXAM?

If you do not pass the initial training exam with a score of 90% or higher, you'll notify the PED email box and request to retake the training. You'll receive an email of the different training options you can choose from.

Example of email received from PE Program Staff for training options Hello PED,

Thank you for your interest in becoming a New Mexico Medicaid Presumptive Eligibility Determiner (PED). The PE program staff has reviewed your training scores and unfortunately, you did not successfully pass the Initial PED training exam at least a score of 90%. You now have a second chance to take the PE training and pass the exam. Upon immediate request, you have two options on how you want to take the next training course based on your learning needs. Option one is to take the computer-based retake training. Option two is attending a live two-day webinar training session online with an instructor that is held once a month. The next online live training will be _____DATE_____. Please let us know which option best fits your needs within the next 3 business days to allow suitable time for the registration process.

Note: If the exam is not successfully passed during the second training, the PED will be suspended from requesting the Presumptive Eligibility Certification Training for 3 months. Also, if you decide to take the instructor-led training, register for the training, and are a no show or absent from the scheduled training, you will be suspended from requesting the Presumptive Eligibility Certification training for a period of 3 months. After 3 months have passed you may submit another application through the Provider and PED Enrollment portal on YESNM-PE.

Let us know if you have any additional questions or further assistance is needed.

Thank you,

PE Program Staff



SUSPENSION OF REQUESTING PED TRAINING

If you do not pass the initial training or the second training option, you will be suspended from requesting the Presumptive Eligibility Certification Training for 3 months. After 3 months have passed, you may submit an application through the Provider and PED Enrollment portal on YESNM-PE.

Example of suspension email received from PE Program Staff Hello PED,

To ensure a successful Presumptive Eligibility Determiner (PED) program, within the Healthcare Authority (HCA) relies on consistent, highly effective performances by its PEDs. In our efforts to provide training to individuals wanting to become certified Presumptive Eligibility Determiners, HCA/MAD has implemented a self-paced computer-based training to be completed along with the passing of an exam with a score of 90% or higher. If the individual does not pass the first two exams during the initial training, a Retake training OR a live training is available upon request. If the exam is not successfully passed during both trainings, the PED will be suspended from requesting the Presumptive Eligibility Certification Training for 3 months.

We reviewed your training scores and unfortunately, you did not successfully pass the Retake/Live PED training exam. You may submit an application after ______ DATE_____ to request the Presumptive Eligibility Determiner training. If you need further assistance or have any questions, please feel free to reach out to the PED email box @ HCA.PEDeterminers@hca.nm.gov.

Thank you,

PE Program Staff



PE PROGRAM CONTACTS

JUST Health Enrollment & Reinstatements:	PE Certification Training	PE Enrollment YESNM Issues	PE Applications	PE Program Manager	Baby Bot	Call Center
Elena Sanchez Elena.Sanchez2@hca.n m.gov Denise Temple Denise.Temple@hca.nm .gov Erika Vigil Erika.vigil@hca.gov	Angelina Vigil angelina.vigil@HCA. nm.gov	Kendall Lujan KendallC.Lujan @hca.nm.gov	Elaine Martinez elaineg.martinez @HCA.nm.gov	Valerie Herrera Valerie.Herrera2@h ca.nm.gov	Patricia Montoya patriciaa.montoya @hca.nm.gov Isabella DeLara Isabella.DeLara@H CA.nm.gov	Client line 1-800-283-4465 Provider/PED line 1-800-299-7304

Please email the PED email box if you have any general questions: HCA.PEDeterminers@hca.nm.gov



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