Apple Health Eligibility for Individuals from Ukraine

Humanitarian parolees and temporary protected status

Background

On May 21, 2022, the Additional Ukraine Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2022 (AUSAA) passed, expanding Apple Health (Medicaid) eligibility to Ukrainians, and non-Ukrainian individuals, who last habitually resided in Ukraine who were paroled into the United States between February 24, 2022, and September 30, 2023.

Individuals will have one of the following statuses:

- **Parolee**: Individuals granted parole before February 24, 2022
- **Humanitarian Parolee**: Individuals granted parole on or after February 24, 2022, through September 30, 2023
- **Temporary Protected Status (TPS)**: Individuals granted TPS who have been continuously physically present in the U.S. since April 19, 2022.

Individuals who are not eligible for Apple Health may be eligible for a qualified health plan with financial assistance through Washington Healthplanfinder.

**Eligibility for Apple Health**

Humanitarian parolees may be eligible for all Apple Health programs, while parolees and individuals granted TPS may be eligible for some Apple Health programs if they are a child, pregnant or an adult with a qualifying emergency medical condition (AEM).

**Apple Health eligibility based on immigration status**

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*Ukrainians paroled into the U.S. under humanitarian parole between 2/24/22 – 9/30/23, who are subsequently granted TPS, remain eligible for full-scope Apple Health.

Unless not eligible for a Social Security number (SSN), individuals approved for Apple Health must provide a valid SSN, or proof of application for SSN. (Apple Health coverage will not be delayed, denied, or terminated while waiting for an SSN to be issued).

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**Application process**

Submit applications for individuals who are under 65:

- Online: [wahealthplanfinder.org](http://wahealthplanfinder.org) | Mobile app: [WAPlanfinder](http://WAPlanfinder)
- In person: [Health Benefit Exchange Navigator](http://Health Benefit Exchange Navigator)
- Phone: Call the Washington Healthplanfinder customer support center at 1-855-923-4633.

Submit applications for individuals who are age 65 or older, have blindness or a disability to the Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS):

- Online: [washingtonconnection.org](http://washingtonconnection.org)
- Paper: [Application for aged, blind, disabled/long-term care coverage (18-005)](http://Application for aged, blind, disabled/long-term care coverage (18-005))
- In-person: [local community services office](http://local community services office)
- Questions? Call 1-877-501-2233

Interpreter services are available

**Resources**

- [Department of Health](http://Department of Health) DOH website
- [Eligibility for Non-citizens](http://Eligibility for Non-citizens) HCA website
- [Alien Emergency Medical (AEM)](http://Alien Emergency Medical (AEM)) | [Russian](http://Russian) | [Ukrainian](http://Ukrainian)
- [Find free or low-cost healthcare](http://Find free or low-cost healthcare) Brochure | [Russian](http://Russian) | [Ukrainian](http://Ukrainian)
- [Benefits for Ukrainian Humanitarian Parolees](http://Benefits for Ukrainian Humanitarian Parolees) | [Russian](http://Russian) | [Ukrainian](http://Ukrainian)
- [Citizenship and Immigration status guide](http://Citizenship and Immigration status guide)
- [President Biden to Announce Uniting for Ukraine](http://President Biden to Announce Uniting for Ukraine)

**Other Resources**

For immigration and other type of legal assistance

- [Northwest Immigrant Rights Project (NWIRP)](http://Northwest Immigrant Rights Project (NWIRP)) for legal assistance:
  - NWIRP Seattle Office: 206-587-4009
  - NWIRP Yakima Valley (Granger) Office: 509-854-2100
  - NWIRP Wenatchee Office: 509-570-0054
- [Immigration Law Help](http://Immigration Law Help) search Washington state
- [Northwest Justice Project](http://Northwest Justice Project) CLEAR Hotline
- [National Immigration Law Center](http://National Immigration Law Center)