



SIGNING UP FOR MEDICAID AND PEACHCARE

Some government programs help pay for children's medical care. Medicaid and PeachCare are programs that will pay the behavioral health and medical costs of children in families living on low-incomes.

Medicaid will also pay for some schools to help children with hearing and speech problems, nutrition, mental health counseling, nursing, and some types of therapy.

How do I get Medicaid or PeachCare for my child?

- Apply online at <https://gateway.ga.gov>.
- Apply in person at your local office of the Division of Family and Children Services. This government agency is usually called DFCS. You can find your local DFCS office online at <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations>.
- Call (877) 423-4746.

Unfortunately, applying for Medicaid or PeachCare can be confusing and difficult. Call the Georgia Legal Services hotline (888) 408-1004 for help. If you are in Metro Atlanta, call Atlanta Legal Aid Society's Disability Integration Project at (404) 377-0707.