

Attention Plan First Recipients...



Care Coordination for Your Alabama Medicaid is Changing!

Starting October 1st, there will be an organization working with Medicaid known as ACHN. This stands for “Alabama Coordinated Health Network.” ACHN employees are there to help you make better choices in order to have better health outcomes.

Your family planning services will change on October 1, 2019. You may see any provider that will take your Medicaid for family planning services on or after this date. You will keep the same Medicaid benefits you have now.

ACHN staff will help promote family health, responsible behavior, and healthy mothers and babies. Medicaid wants to help you prevent an unintended pregnancy and help you plan when you want to have a baby. Social workers and nurses who work for the ACHN will get you the help you need.

Starting November 1st, ACHN social workers and nurses will (if desired) help:

- Find a doctor to tie your tubes or perform a procedure to keep a woman from getting pregnant, if you are 21 years of age or older
- Find a doctor to perform a procedure to avoid getting a woman pregnant, if you are a male age 21 or older
- Make appointments, help you to keep your appointments, assist with referrals, and provide appointment reminders
- Answer questions about family planning; choose a birth control method and give advice about any problems
- Stop smoking and/or stop tobacco use

For more information, visit www.Medicaid.alabama.gov and select the tab that says, “ACHN”, Recipients section. Questions can be emailed to webwork@medicaid.alabama.gov.