Keeping your children healthy is important. But without health insurance, it isn t always easy. Medical costs can quickly break your budget.

CHIP may be able to help. CHIP provides health insurance for the children of families who qualify.

Rae, age 2

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Dillon, age 8

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Cover: Rosario, age 8

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What is CHIP?

CHIP is a state health insurance plan for children. Utah families who do not have other health insurance may qualify for CHIP.

What does CHIP cover?

- Well-child exams
- Immunizations
- Doctor Visits
- Hospital and emergency care
- Prescriptions
- Hearing and eye exams
- Mental health services
- Dental care

Cassie, age 5

How do I qualify?

Many children who qualify for CHIP come from working families. Depending on your income and family size, your child may qualify, too. For example, a family of four earning up to $38,700 may qualify (see chart).

In addition, children must be:

- Under age 19
- U.S. citizens or legal residents
- Not covered by other health insurance

Travis, age 3

MAXIMUM INCOME GUIDELINES		
FAMILY SIZE	PER MONTH	PER YEAR
2 *(Single parent & one child)*	$2,200	$26,400
3	$2,767	$33,200
4	$3,334	$40,000
5	$3,900	$46,800
6	$4,467	$53,600
7	$5,034	$60,400

2006 Guidelines (Income guidelines change every year.)

How much will CHIP cost?

You may be required to pay up to $25 every three months to stay on CHIP. You will also pay small co-pays for services like office visits.

How do I apply?

Enroll now for CHIP! Get an application by calling1-877-KIDS-NOW (1-877-543-7669), going to your eligibility office, or by visiting our website at www.health.utah.gov/chip. Mail us your application or apply online today.

What happens next?

You may choose the CHIP health plan that is best for your children. Your current doctor may be a CHIP provider.

For questions about CHIP, call toll-free:

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Courtney, age 10

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