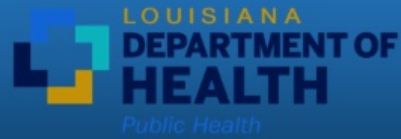


Louisiana Health Access Program



From February 15th to May 15th, there will be a **Special Enrollment Period (SEP)** for Marketplace coverage in response to the exceptional circumstances of COVID-19. Here at LA HAP, we'll be working to get the word out to uninsured clients that might qualify for enrollment, and we hope at your agencies you'll do the same!

These are the key things to keep in mind about the SEP and LA HAP:

- Anyone will be able to apply for new coverage *OR* update an existing application on healthcare.gov.
- All the usual considerations for insurance still apply, but most importantly...
 - To ensure timely payment of premiums for new Marketplace insurance plans, LA HAP must always receive an **Insurance Add or Change Form** 10 business days before the plan start date.
 - It is critical that clients submit their income information to the Marketplace or their insurance broker within 90 days of enrollment in order to receive a tax credit.

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