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Subject: COMMUNICATION BRIEF
Child Health Plan *Plus* (CHP+) Reauthorization Update

CHP+ Reauthorization Announcement:

- Congress has renewed federal funding for the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) for six years.
- **This means the [Child Health Plan *Plus* \(CHP+\) program](#) will continue in Colorado.**
- This week the Department will begin notifying CHP+ members that the program will continue.
 - Additional information will be posted to CO.gov/HCPF/FutureCHP in the coming days.

Important Reminders:

- **CHP+ members can continue to go to the doctor and use their benefits.**
- **CHP+ children can continue to go to the dentist.**
- **CHP+ providers can continue to make and keep appointments with the CHP+ members.**
- If a CHP+ member receives a letter stating it is time to renew their CHP+ benefits, they should follow the instructions in the letter and pay their enrollment fee, if one is owed. If they don't pay their enrollment fee, they may not have coverage.

Stay Informed:

- We encourage you to visit CO.gov/HCPF/FutureCHP and [sign up for our Future of CHP+ newsletter](#) for updates.

