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MARKETPLACE OPEN ENROLLMENT THEME WEEK TOOLKIT

MEN'S WEEK OF ACTION DECEMBER 15, 2024 – DECEMBER 21, 2024

This document contains Talking Points, 5 Things Consumers Need to Know, and a Social Media Toolkit and Graphics for partners to use when educating consumers about the Health Insurance Marketplace Open Enrollment Period.

Please visit our <u>Reference Sheet</u> for resources to help promote the Marketplace Open Enrollment Period to people in your community who need to enroll in health insurance.

Talking Points for Men's Week of Action:

- As we enter the final weeks of the Open Enrollment Period, we want to make sure men sign up for health coverage by the January 15 enrollment deadline.
- After January 15, consumers will only be able to enroll in health coverage if you've had certain life events, including losing health coverage, moving, getting married, having a baby, or adopting a child.
- This new year is a great time to talk about Men's health and encourage the men in your life to sign up for health care coverage on HealthCare.gov.
- Thanks to the Inflation Reduction Act, quality health coverage will continue to be affordable and accessible. 4 out of 5 customers can find plans for \$10 a month or less with financial help.
- We encourage men that do not receive health coverage through their employer or are looking for more affordable health care coverage for either themselves or their family to visit <u>HealthCare.gov</u>, and review their options. Don't wait until you are sick or get in an accident to get coverage. Your health is too important!
- All Marketplace plans are comprehensive and must cover 10 essential health benefits, from emergency services to preventive wellness services, mental health, substance use services, and prescription drugs.
- DON'T WAIT! Get started today! Consumers who want to enroll in health coverage should visit <u>HealthCare.gov</u> or call the Marketplace Call Center at 1-800-318-2596. TTY users can call 1-855-889-4325. Help is available in over 200 languages.
- To find local help from a Navigator or certified application counselor, or to be contacted by a Marketplace-registered agent or broker, consumers should visit HealthCare.gov/find-local-help.

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5 Things Consumers Need to Know about Marketplace Open Enrollment:

- Key Dates! The Marketplace Open Enrollment at <u>HealthCare.gov</u> runs from November 1 to January 15. Consumers who want health coverage starting January 1 should enroll in coverage by December 15. Consumers must enroll by January 15 to have coverage that starts on February 1. Otherwise, consumers will need to qualify for a Special Enrollment Period to enroll in a Marketplace plan.
- 2. **Coverage is Affordable!** Thanks to a new law from 2022, the Inflation Reduction Act (IRA), more people qualify for help purchasing quality health coverage. If you have looked for health coverage before, it is worth a second look:
 - 4 out of 5 <u>HealthCare.gov</u> customers will be able to find a plan for \$10/month or less with financial help.
 - With the IRA, millions of people will continue to qualify for tax credits that lower their premiums.
- 3. **Quality Plans!** The Marketplace offers quality, comprehensive health insurance plans that provide coverage for doctor visits, emergency care, behavioral health care, preventive care, hospital care, maternity care, and prescription drugs.
 - There are also new plan options that offer similar benefit designs and more pre-deductible services.
- 4. **Help is Available!** Consumers can access Navigators and other assisters in every state on the Marketplace. To find local help go to HealthCare.gov/find-local-help.
- 5. Sign Up for Coverage! All consumers shopping for health insurance coverage even those who currently have coverage through the Marketplace should enroll or re-enroll by logging in to HealthCare.gov and CuidadodeSalud.gov or call 1-800-318-2596 (TTY is 855-889-4325) to fill out an application and enroll in a Marketplace plan. Free help is available 24 hours a day/ 7 days a week, and assistance is available in over 200 languages.

Social Media Toolkit and Graphics:

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Dec 15 th - Dec 21 st	Thought you couldn't afford health insurance? Now you can. Most people qualify for financial help. Discover the different plans available and enroll by January 15th for 2025 coverage! https://www.healthcare.gov/get-coverage #GetCovered #MarketplaceOE This #MarketplaceOE many people will continue to qualify for financial help. Don't wait to #GetCovered by quality, affordable health coverage — Enroll today! https://www.healthcare.gov/get-coverage A healthy you is a happy you. All HealthCare.gov plans cover ten essential health benefits, including wellness visits, preventive services, and more, at no cost. Enroll before the final January 15 deadline and #GetCovered!	Ments week of action Wealth Care gov Ments Week of Action Visit HealthCare gov Ments week of Action Wisit HealthCare gov To find a plan for you The state of the stat

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