PATHWAYS

MEDICAID

Pathways is the name for Medicaid in Indiana for certain individuals. If you are eligible for Medicare, Pathways is secondary. It provides benefits like Long Term Care, Dental, Vision and Extra Help assistance for prescription drug purchases. To be eligible you must be:

- Eligible for <u>full</u> Medicaid <u>and</u>
- Age 60 or older

These managed care plans (MCE) are managed by Anthem, Humana and United Healthcare.

YOUR MEDICARE OPTIONS

Dual eligible (Medicare and Medicaid) members have these options for Medicare:

- 1. Medicare parts A & B + a Part D drug plan
- 2. Any Medicare Advantage plan available in your county
- 3. Special Needs Dual Eligible plan
 - 2025 You are not required to have a dual eligible plan from the same company as your Pathways company, however if have them the same, you may receive better coordination of coverage.
 - 2026 Both the Medicare dual eligible plan and the Pathways must be from the same company.

Special Needs – Dual Eligible Plans can be changed:

- Within 90 days of starting Pathways
- On a monthly basis when your Medicare and Medicaid plans are not from the same company.
- During Open Enrollment (10/15 12/7)

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