

## What do Health Benefit Assisters do?



Health Benefit Assisters are trained and certified to help you enroll in health insurance plans on healthcare.gov and Medicaid through benefind.ky.gov. They help you find out which health insurance program you qualify for, and help you complete an eligibility application to enroll in coverage. Health Benefit Assisters maintain expertise in eligibility, enrollment and program specifications and conduct public education and outreach activities to raise awareness about the Kentucky Health Benefit Exchange, including benefind.ky.gov and healthcare.gov.

## What is healthcare.gov?



Healthcare.gov is the health insurance website which facilitates private health insurance plans for Kentucky residents. Upon completing an application, you can find out if you qualify for a private insurance plan with low costs based on your household size and income. Plans cover essential health benefits, preventive care, and pre-existing conditions.

## What is benefind.ky.gov?



benefind allows Kentucky families access to public assistance benefits and information through an online application and account. If you qualify for Medicaid, based on household size and income, you can complete an application and apply on benefind. Medicaid offers assistance to help cover costs for needed medical care.

## Where do I find a Health Benefit Assister?



Health Benefit Assisters live and work in your community and can be found at your local Community Action Agency. Contact your local Health Benefit Assister today for free, in-person assistance:

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