

NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE IN PREMIUM REQUIREMENT

Missouri Senate Bill 539 (2005) lowered the income limit for children to receive MC+ for Kids healthcare coverage without paying a premium. All families with gross income above 150% of the federal poverty level (FPL) must pay a monthly premium to receive MC+ for Kids healthcare coverage for their children. Families will no longer be responsible for prescription and office visit co-payments beginning September 1, 2005.

Our records indicate your family's gross income is over 150% of FPL. In order for your child(ren) listed below to continue receiving MC+ for Kids healthcare coverage after September 30, 2005, you are required to pay a monthly premium. You will be mailed an invoice from the Division of Medical Services (DMS) on September 2, 2005. If payment is not received by September 30, 2005, your child(ren)'s MC+ for Kids healthcare coverage will end September 30, 2005. Your child(ren) will not have healthcare coverage after September 30, 2005, until the premium is received, and coverage will start the date of receipt.

Name	DCN

Your premium amount is based on your family size and gross monthly income. Income information on file for your family indicates your gross income is _____ and your family size is _____. Your premium amount will be _____.

Contact your caseworker if you believe your gross income and/or your family size is different than stated above. Please see the MC+ for Kids Premium chart included with this notice for more information on premium amounts based on family size and income.

If your situation changes, you must report these changes to the local Family Support Division office. The law provides penalties for any person who receives benefits to which they are not entitled through misrepresenting the facts or not reporting full information about their situation.