

2024 Open Enrollment Update Week #9 Snapshot: November 1, 2023 - January 2, 2024

> NJ Department of Banking and Insurance: State-Based Exchange





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- Get Covered New Jersey, the state's official health insurance marketplace operated by the New Jersey
   Department of Banking and Insurance, opened on November 1, 2020. New Jersey's state-based
   exchange was created by a law signed by Governor Murphy on June 28, 2019.
- Open Enrollment for 2024 runs from **November 1, 2023, to January 31, 2024**. Residents must have enrolled by December 31, 2023, for coverage beginning January 1, 2024. For those who enroll in January, coverage will start on February 1, 2024.
- Get Covered New Jersey (or "Marketplace") is the only place where individuals can apply for financial help to reduce the cost of health insurance plans. The Marketplace provides a streamlined transfer to Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP).
- The Governor signed P.L.2020, c.61 on July 31, 2020, to create funding for state subsidies for qualified individuals to further improve affordability and demonstrate the value of operating a state Marketplace.



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- As of January 2nd, 2024, a total of **366,986** residents are signed up for **2024 health coverage** with Get Covered New Jersey, including **61,832** new consumers and **53,150** existing consumers who actively selected a plan.
- New Jerseyans continue to receive historic levels of financial help and the average amount of financial help for 2024 coverage is at a record high of \$574 per person per month or \$6,888 per year.
- 9 in 10 people enrolling in a health plan at Get Covered New Jersey qualify for financial help, and many people receiving assistance can find a plan for \$10 a month or less.
- Residents with an income up to 600% of the Federal Poverty Level (\$87,480 for an individual and \$180,000 for a family of four) qualify for New Jersey Health Plan Savings (NJ state subsidies) in addition to the federal Advance Premium Tax Credit (APTC). More than 36,700 people eligible for expanded financial help over 400% FPL received \$293 per person per month or \$3,516 per year in savings.



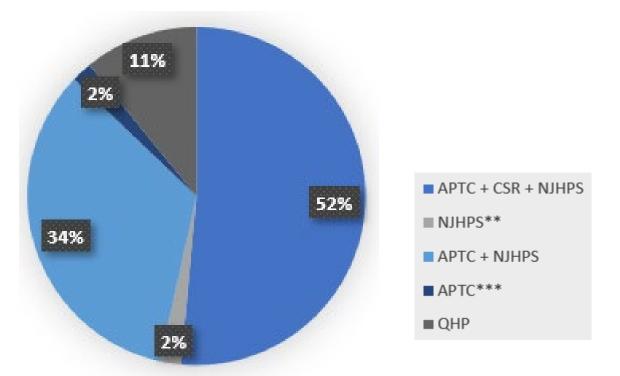
# Plan Selections and Account Transfers November 1, 2023 – January 2, 2024

		Totals
2024 Plans Selected  Does not reflect effectuation status	Total Plan Selections	366,986
	Automatic Renewals	252,004
	Active Renewals	53,150
	New Plan Selections	61,832
Accounts Transferred	Medicaid Outbound*	37,499
	Medicaid Inbound	15,867



<sup>\*</sup>Consumers who have multiple changes to their Get Covered NJ application may have had multiple transfers to Medicaid.

### Plan Selections with Financial Assistance November 1, 2023 – January 2, 2024



Financial Assistance Type*	Enrollees	Percentage
APTC + CSR + NJHPS	189,747	52%
APTC + NJHPS	125,674	34%
NJHPS**	5,659	2%
APTC***	6,729	2%
QHP	39,177	11%
Total	366,986	100%

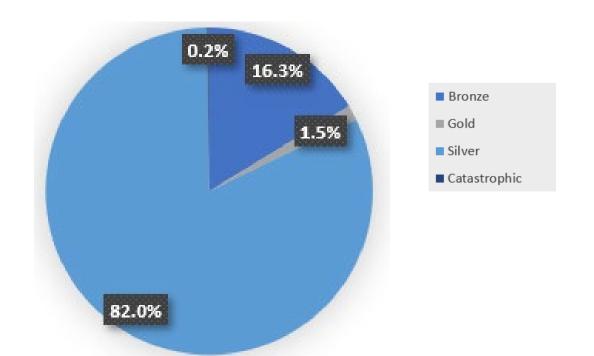
<sup>\*\*\*</sup> APTC without NJHPS is possible for consumers above 600% FPL who qualify for expanded APTC savings. NJHPS is provided up to 600% FPL.



<sup>\*</sup>APTC: Advance Premium Tax Credits; CSR: Cost Sharing Reductions; NJHPS: NJ Health Plan Savings (New Jersey state subsidy); QHP: Qualified Health Plan

<sup>\*\*</sup> NJHPS without APTC is possible when a consumer is under 600% FPL, but the premiums do not exceed the APTC applicable percentage of income; NJHPS is not tied to the premium amount, so consumers may still receive NJHPS without APTC.

### Plan Selections by Metal Tier November 1, 2023 – January 2, 2024



Metal Tier	Members	Percentage
Bronze	59,712	16.3%
Silver	300,966	82.0%
Gold	5,489	1.5%
Catastrophic	819	0.2%
Total	366,986	100%



#### **Average Financial Help by Month for Enrolled Consumers**

Comparison of year-over-year financial help for those households that qualify for APTC

Shows the current week of Open Enrollment for plan year 2024 vs. the end of Open Enrollment 2023

**Open Enrollment 2024** 

**End of Open Enrollment 2023** 

**\$574** 

Average APTC & NJHPS

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\$555



### **Key Data Caveats**

- This document is intended to show directional trends to indicate overall consumer activity.
- Caution should be taken when trying to compare numbers across categories for a variety of reasons:
  - o Some numbers are at a household level (e.g., account transfers) where others are at an individual level (e.g., plan selections).
  - Duplication may exist at some steps and consumers may show up in multiple places (i.e., mixed household eligibility will show up in account transfer and plan selection or consumers may create more than one account unintentionally)
- This document is inclusive of medical plan information only, it excludes dental plan information.
- The data represents a snapshot in time and calculations are subject to change. Changes in the figures will occur as individuals
  update applications and plan selections throughout the open enrollment period.



### **Definitions**

Total Plan Selections	Count of unique individuals who have selected a Plan Year (PY) 2024 Marketplace medical plan. Count includes all new and re-enrolling consumers regardless of whether the consumer has paid the first month premium.
Automatic Renewals	Count of unique individuals who were automatically re-enrolled into a (PY) 2024 Marketplace medical plan, where the consumer had non-canceled (PY) 2022 Marketplace medical coverage on or after 11/1/2023. Count does not include plans that were canceled or terminated.
Active Renewals	Count of unique individuals who returned to the Marketplace to actively select a (PY) 2024 Marketplace medical plan, where the consumer had non-canceled (PY) 2023 Marketplace medical coverage on or after 11/1/2022. Count does not include plans that were canceled or terminated.
New Plan Selections	Count of unique individuals who have selected a (PY) 2024 Marketplace medical plan, where the consumer did not have (PY) 2023 Marketplace medical coverage on or after 11/1/2022. Count does not include plans that were canceled or terminated.
Medicaid Outbound	Count of unique applications that had at least one individual assessed as Medicaid eligible and transferred to NJ FamilyCare for determination.
Medicaid Inbound	Count of unique application referrals from NJ FamilyCare to Get Covered NJ.

