Non-citizen Fair Hearing Denial

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
Department of Human Services
Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services

Dear NJ FamilyCare member,

We have received your fair hearing request related to the termination of your NJ FamilyCare/Medicaid benefits effective September 30th, 2026. This termination was due to the changes to Medicaid eligibility for non-citizens made by Section 71109 of Public Law 119-21 (also known as the "One Big Beautiful Bill Act," signed into law by the Trump administration on July 4, 2025). These changes took effect on October 1, 2026.

As of that date, non-citizen adults over age 21, who are not pregnant and meet all other NJ FamilyCare/Medicaid eligibility requirements, must belong to one of the following groups:

- U.S. citizens or U.S. nationals;
- Lawful Permanent Residents (LPRs, also known as green card holders);
- Cuban/Haitian entrants; or
- Compacts of a Free Association (COFA) migrants

Under federal and state Medicaid rules, you have the right to request a fair hearing if you believe NJ FamilyCare/Medicaid made an error in determining your eligibility. For example, you may request a fair hearing if you believe you are in one of the categories listed above, or you are pregnant or under age 21, and you believe NJ FamilyCare/Medicaid incorrectly determined your eligibility.

NJ FamilyCare does not have to grant a fair hearing if the only issue is a change in federal or state law that requires an automatic change which adversely affects beneficiaries. This means that if your request is to object to the change in law that resulted in your coverage ending, NJ FamilyCare can deny your request. See 42 CFR 431.220; N.J.A.C 10:49-10.3.

As it appears that your request for a fair hearing is solely to object to the change in federal law, NJ FamilyCare will not be granting this request. You will not get a fair hearing. If your status changes, you can reapply at any time.

Sincerely,
NJ FamilyCare

English
Visit https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dmahs/obbba/noncitizen.shtml to read this notice in English and for more information about immigration statuses and the documents needed to verify them. If you need help understanding if you may be eligible or help documenting your status, Legal Services of New Jersey may be able to assist you. Call the LSNJ HealthLine at 833-576-5776 for information and legal advice. You may also apply for help online at www.lsnjlawhotline.org.

Spanish / Español
Visite https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dmahs/obbba/noncitizen.shtml para leer este aviso en español y obtener más información sobre los estatus migratorios y los documentos necesarios para verificarlos. Si necesita ayuda para saber si cumple los requisitos o para documentar su situación, es posible que Legal Services of New Jersey (LSNJ, Servicios Legales de Nueva Jersey) pueda ayudarle. Llame a la línea de asistencia médica de LSNJ al 833-576-5776 para obtener información y asesoramiento legal. También puede solicitar ayuda en línea en www.lsnjlawhotline.org.

Arabic / العربية
يُرجى زيارة https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dmahs/obbba/noncitizen.shtml لقراءة هذا الإشعار باللغة العربية ومعرفة المزيد عن أوضاع الهجرة والوثائق اللازمة للتحقق منها. إذا كنت بحاجة إلى المساعدة في معرفة ما إذا كنت مؤهلًا أو إلى المساعدة في توثيق وضعك، فقد تتمكن Legal Services of New Jersey من مساعدتك. يُرجى الاتصال بخط LSNJ للمعلومات الصحية على رقم الهاتف التالي 833-576-5776 للحصول على المعلومات والمشورة القانونية. يمكنك أيضًا التقدم بطلب للحصول على المساعدة عبر الإنترنت من خلال موقع www.lsnjlawhotline.org.

Chinese (Simplified) / 简体中文
访问 https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dmahs/obbba/noncitizen.shtml 以阅读本通知的简体中文版本，并获取有关移民身份以及用于验证这些身份所需文件的更多信息。如果您需要帮助了解自己是否符合资格，或需要协助证明您的身份，Legal Services of New Jersey（新泽西州法律服务部）可能能够为您提供帮助。 请拨打 LSNJ 健康热线 833-576-5776 获取信息和法律建议。 您也可以在线申请帮助：www.lsnjlawhotline.org。

Chinese (Traditional) / 繁體中文
請造訪此 https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dmahs/obbba/noncitizen.shtml 以閱讀本公告的繁體中文版本，並獲取更多關於移民身分及驗證所需檔案之資訊。如果您需要協助判斷自己是否符合資格，或在準備身分證明檔案時需要幫助，Legal Services of New Jersey（新澤西州法律服務處）或許能夠為您提供協助。 歡迎致電 LSNJ 健康專線 833-576-5776，以獲取相關資訊及法律建議。 您也可以前往 www.lsnjlawhotline.org 線上申請協助。

Gujarati / ગુજરાતી
ઇમિગ્રેશન સ્થિતિઓ અને તેમની ચકાસણી માટે જરૂરી દસ્તાવેજો વિશે વધુ માહિતી મેળવવા તથા આ સૂચના ગુજરાતીમાં વાંચવા માટે https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dmahs/obbba/noncitizen.shtml ની મુલાકાત લો. જો તમને તમારી પાત્રતા સમજવામાં અથવા તમારી સ્થિતિના દસ્તાવેજીકરણમાં મદદની જરૂર હોય, તો Legal Services of New Jersey (ન્યૂ જર્સીની કાનૂની સેવાઓ) તમારી મદદ કરી શકે છે. માહિતી અને કાનૂની સલાહ માટે LSNJ હેલ્થલાઇન ને 833-576-5776 પર કૉલ કરો. તમે www.lsnjlawhotline.org પર ઑનલાઇન પણ મદદ માટે અરજી કરી શકો છો.

Haitian Creole / Kreyòl Ayisyen
Vizite https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dmahs/obbba/noncitizen.shtml pou w li avi sa a an kreyòl ayisyen epi pou w jwenn plis enfòmasyon sou estati imigrasyon ak dokiman ki nesesè pou verifye yo. Si ou bezwen èd pou konprann si ou kalifye oswa pou w bay dokiman pou pwouve stati w, Legal Services of New Jersey ka ede w. Rele Liy Sante LSNJ nan 833-576-5776 pou jwenn enfòmasyon ak konsèy legal. Ou kapab tou aplike pou èd anliy sou www.lsnjlawhotline.org.

Korean / 한국어
한국어 안내문 및 이민 신분과 해당 신분을 확인하는 데 필요한 서류에 관한 자세한 정보는 https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dmahs/obbba/noncitizen.shtml 에서 확인하실 수 있습니다. 귀하의 자격 여부를 확인하거나 이민 신분을 증명하는 데 필요한 서류를 준비하는 데 도움이 필요하신 경우, Legal Services of New Jersey가 도움을 제공할 수 있습니다. 정보와 법률 상담이 필요하신 경우 LSNJ 건강 및 의료 상담 전화 (833-576-5776) 으로 연락하시기 바랍니다. 온라인 www.lsnjlawhotline.org 에서 도움을 받으실 수도 있습니다.

Portuguese / Português
Acesse https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dmahs/obbba/noncitizen.shtml para ler este aviso em português e obter mais informações sobre os status de imigração e os documentos necessários para comprová-los. Se você precisar de ajuda para saber se é elegível ou para comprovar seu status, os Legal Services of New Jersey (Serviços Jurídicos de New Jersey) poderão ajudá-lo. Ligue para a Linha de Saúde dos LSNJ no número 833-576-5776 para obter informações e consultoria jurídica. Você também pode solicitar ajuda online no site www.lsnjlawhotline.org.

Russian / Русский
Перейдите по ссылке https://www.nj.gov/humanservices/dmahs/obbba/noncitizen.shtml, чтобы прочитать это уведомление на русском языке и получить дополнительную информацию об иммиграционном статусе и документах, необходимых для его подтверждения. Если вы не можете разобраться, соответствуете ли вы критериям, или вам требуется помощь в оформлении документов, связанных с вашим статусом, вы можете обратиться за помощью в организацию Legal Services of New Jersey. Для получения информации и юридической консультации позвоните на горячую линию LSNJ HealthLine по номеру 833-576-5776. Вы также можете обратиться за помощью онлайн на сайте www.lsnjlawhotline.org.