



First Friday Forum

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Auto-Renewal Rates & Retro

Percentage of Apple Health recipients whose coverage was auto-renewed:

Renewal month	Percentage
May 2018 (used to be due for renewal 5/31/18)	75%
April 2018 (used to be due for renewal 4/30/18)	76%
March 2018 (used to be due for renewal 3/31/18)	75%

Retro status:

Oldest received date	Cases waiting to be worked
April 9, 2018	804

COFA updates

- Currently, individuals from the Compact of Free Association (COFA) islands (Republic of Palau, Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia) receive Apple Health if they're pregnant, under age 19, or eligible for Medical Care Services (MCS) through DSHS or AEM.
- Starting in 2019, HCA will cover the cost of premiums and out-of-pocket expenses of a silver level qualified health plan for COFA adults with income under 133% FPL.
- **STATUS:** Establishing advisory committee made up of COFA citizens and insurers. The committee's recommendations will shape HCA's outreach campaign which will begin September 2018.
- Questions or to get involved: COFAQuestions@hca.wa.gov

Former foster care medical program (D26)

- Provides continued Apple Health coverage for youth who were in foster care on their 18th birthday
- No income limit, but must be a Washington state resident and meet citizenship or immigration requirements
- Youth on foster care medical (D02) AND in foster care on their 18th birthday automatically transfer to D26

Former foster care medical program (D26)

- Automatically enrolled in Coordinated Care (except for tribal members), but they may request disenrollment at anytime
- Youth in foster care in another state at the age of 18 are not eligible for this program, but should apply for other coverage through Healthplanfinder
- **Questions? Call the Foster Care Medical Team
1-800-562-3022 x 15480**

Questions?

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When your co-worker asks a question that makes the meeting go on for 25 more minutes.

