



Medicaid Coverage During COVID-19

Everyone deserves the peace of mind that health care coverage provides.



As a result of the COVID-19 crisis, studies estimate that more than **27 million Americans** — including not only working-age adults but millions of families as well — have lost their health insurance coverage following recent job loss.

Medicaid is the largest health care program in the country,

covering about 1 in 5 Americans, including people with disabilities, children, older adults, and nearly 2 million veterans.

The essential safety net that Medicaid provides is more important now than ever.

Medicaid is what is called a **“countercyclical”** program, meaning, as unemployment rises and incomes fall during economic downturns, **Medicaid enrollment and spending rise.**



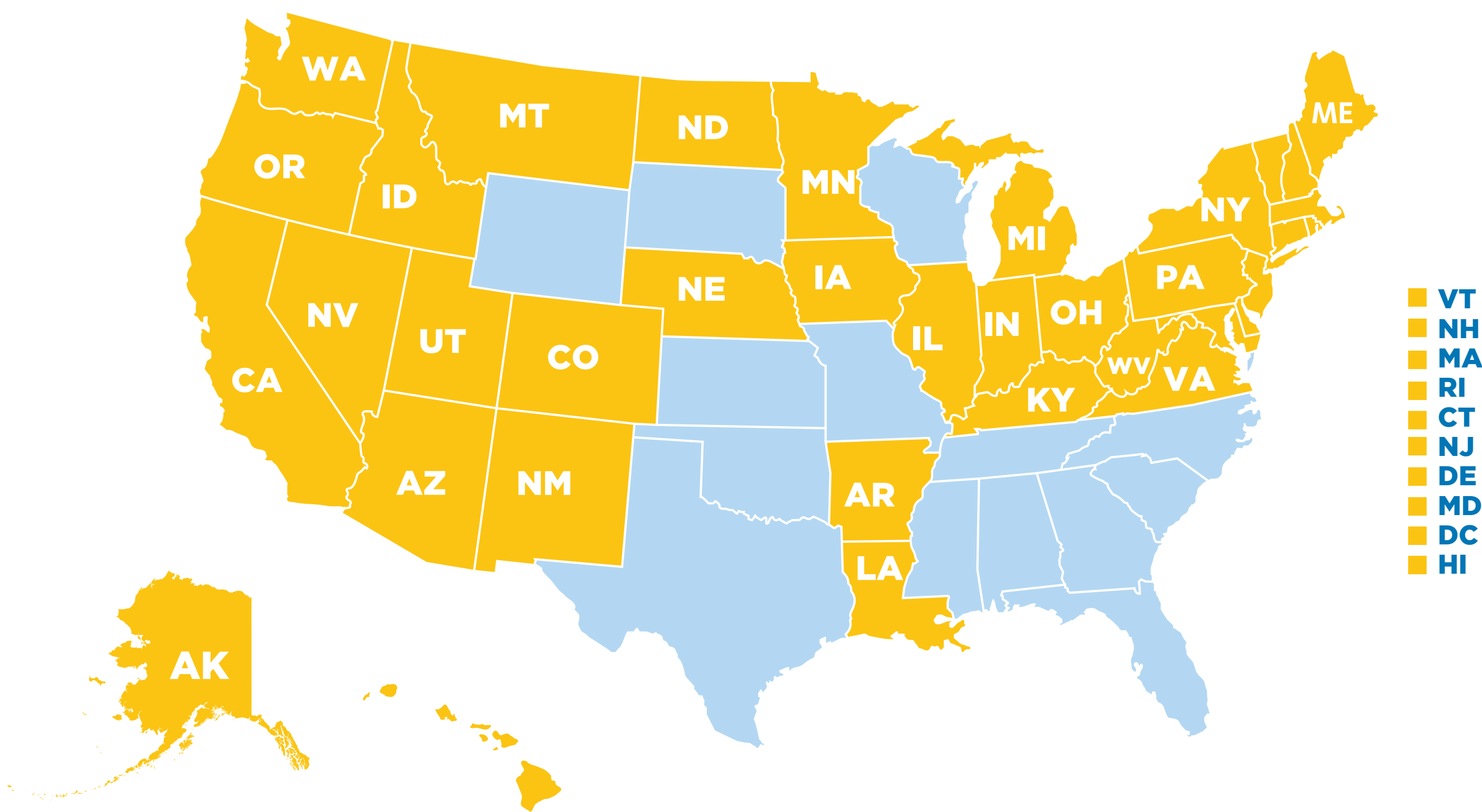
Find Out if You Qualify for Medicaid

Many who have recently lost coverage due to loss of a job are **turning to Medicaid for their health care coverage.**

Medicaid **provides health coverage for individuals and families** who live below certain income levels.



36 states have expanded their Medicaid programs to allow all residents to qualify if their household’s monthly income is below a certain threshold.



To find out if you qualify for Medicaid, go to **Healthcare.gov** or your state’s insurance marketplace website.