

Si quisiera oír información en español sobre el programa de servicios médicos del condado (CMSP) use el número (415) 473-3460.

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**CMSP Medical Providers in Marin County:**

Marin Community Clinics (415) 448-1500

250 Bon Air Road, Greenbrae

400 Professional Center Dr. #424, Novato

3110 Kerner Blvd., San Rafael

Coastal Health Alliance

88 Mesa Rd., Bolinas (415) 868-0124

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Ritter Center (415) 457-8182

16 Ritter St., San Rafael

**CMSP Dental Providers in Marin County:**

Marin Community Clinics (415) 448-1500

3110 Kerner Blvd., San Rafael

Marin County Dental Clinic (415) 473-5450

411 Fourth St., Suite C, San Rafael

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# Applying for CMSP

*Answers to questions about  
applying for CMSP*



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## Overview of the County Medical Services Program (CMSP)

CMSP can help with medical and dental costs for people age 21-64 that meet eligibility requirements and are not eligible for Medi-Cal. People using CMSP get a card that can be used at certain pharmacies, hospitals, and doctors' offices.

### Some of the covered services

A number of medical and dental services are covered by CMSP. These covered services can include some hospital care, some dental services, and some prescription drugs. For more information about services, check with your medical provider.

### Applying for CMSP

You can apply in person, by mail, or by phone. When you apply, it may be helpful to bring the following items. Your eligibility worker will tell you if more information is needed.

- A picture ID card
- Your social security number
- Car registration
- Checking/savings account statements
- Last two paystubs or other proof of income

### Some eligibility criteria

- If you are aged 21-64, meet all CMSP criteria, and are not eligible for Medi-Cal.
- If you reside in Marin County.
- If you are a U.S. citizen or a non-citizen who is lawfully admitted for permanent residence or permanently residing in U.S. under color of law.
- If you are a person whose immigration status has not yet been determined, you may be eligible for emergency services only.
- If you meet the personal property and income limits.

### Share of cost (SOC)

The share of cost is the amount you must pay or owe if your income exceeds the CMSP monthly maintenance need. You do not have to pay the share of cost in a month if you do not have any medical expenses. The share of cost is your net nonexempt income minus maintenance need. Countable net nonexempt income is calculated based on many things including child support, alimony, and other factors.

#### SOC Example For One Person:

Countable monthly net nonexempt income (\$700) - maintenance need (\$600) = share of cost (\$100)

#### Need Standard

CMSP Monthly Maintenance Need

1 person.....	\$ 600
2 persons .....	750
2 adults... ..	934
3 persons .....	934
4 persons .....	1,100
5 persons .....	1,259
6 persons .....	1,417
7 persons .....	1,550
8 persons .....	1,692

### Income

If your income exceeds 200% of the federal poverty level (FPL), you are not eligible for CMSP. If your income is less than or equal to 200% FPL based on net nonexempt income and if your personal property limits fall within the guidelines listed below, you may be eligible for CMSP.

Number of Persons	Property Limit	Monthly Income at 200% FPL (Effective 2008)
1	\$2,000	\$1,734
2	3,000	2,334
3	3,150	2,934
4	3,300	3,534
5	3,450	4,134
6	3,600	4,734
7	3,750	5,334
8	3,900	6,534

### If you received medical services before you applied, will they be covered?

CMSP may pay for medical services resulting from qualifying medical events that occurred during the 10 calendar days immediately before your first month of CMSP enrollment. **You should apply for CMSP the month you saw your doctor.**

### Length of CMSP coverage

Certification Period Limits:

- 2 months—emergency services only
- 3 months—share-of-cost
- 6 months—no share-of-cost

If you want to continue your eligibility beyond the certification period, you must reapply.