

Open Enrollment: Fast Facts

Open enrollment for 2017 plans starts **November 1, 2016**
and ends **January 31, 2017**.

For coverage starting January 1, 2016, you must enroll by December 15, 2016.

EVERY YEAR

Every year during open enrollment, you should log on to www.healthcare.gov and make sure your **contact information** and your **income information** are up-to-date and accurate.

- This will ensure that you are getting the **maximum tax credit** for which you are eligible.
- The amount of the tax credit depends on both your income and the costs of the plans available in your area (which change each year).

CURRENTLY ENROLLED?

If you are currently enrolled in a plan, you should **review** the premiums for next year and any plan changes that the insurer is making (such as changes to the provider network, deductible or co-pays) to make sure that this plan is still the best option for you.

NEED TO CHANGE YOUR PLAN OR PICK A NEW PLAN?

If you need to pick a new plan, remember to **compare** the new plan to your old plan.

- Are your **doctors** in-network in your new plan?
- Are your **prescription medications** covered?

NEED HELP?

If you need help choosing a new plan or enrolling in a plan, you can find help at <https://localhelp.healthcare.gov/>.

Note: this guidance does not apply to Medicare, Medicaid or CHIP plans.