



# Important news about how to keep your Medi-Cal!

Beginning this year, Medi-Cal eligibility will be determined for most people using income tax rules and personal filing information. Medi-Cal will count the size of your household and your income based on your tax information. If you do not file taxes, you can still get Medi-Cal.

Because you have Medi-Cal now, we already know a lot about you. What we do not know is your tax household information. To get this information, we need you to fill out the forms that are enclosed with this letter.

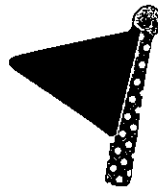
We will use the information on these forms, along with the information we already know about you, to see if you still qualify for Medi-Cal. Please complete the forms for yourself and the family members either living with you or claimed on your tax return. Only the head of household (the person who files taxes) must complete Section 9 of the "**Request for Tax Household Information (RFTHI)**" form and sign the forms. You only have to fill out these forms this year as we move you from the current Medi-Cal rules to the new Medi-Cal rules. In the future, we will try to re-determine your eligibility each year based on the information we have without asking for anything more from you.

Since we will now use your tax information to determine Medi-Cal eligibility, we may be able to electronically check the information you give us to see if you are still eligible for Medi-Cal. If we are able to do so, we may not need any additional paper documents other than the enclosed forms. If we cannot check your information electronically, we will ask you for paper documents. You will only be asked to send paper documents for the information we could not check electronically.

If you are not eligible for Medi-Cal based on the new rules, you may still qualify for other Medi-Cal programs, but we must first check your eligibility based on tax information to see what type of Medi-Cal you are eligible for.

In order to see if you are still eligible for Medi-Cal, you must give us the information on the **Request for Tax Household Information (RFTHI)** form and the **RFTHI Supplemental Form**. You must give us this information for yourself and each person living with you or claimed on your tax return.

**You must give us this information by 06/30/2014**



There are three ways you can give us this information:

**By mail:**

You can give us this information by completing the forms sent with this letter. You must complete one RFTHI form for yourself and each person living with you or claimed on your tax return and one RFTHI Supplemental for your household. Please mail the forms to this address **PO BOX 31062 Laguna Hills, CA 92654-9946**

**By phone:**

You can give us this information over the phone by calling us at **800-281-9799**. When you call, you should have your most recent federal tax return available, if you file taxes.

**In person:**

You can give us this information by visiting us at **115 Columbia Aliso Viejo, CA 92656**

**Remember, you must give us this information by 06/30/2014 or you may lose your Medi-Cal benefits.**