



COLORADO UNIFORM EMPLOYEE APPLICATION FOR SMALL GROUP HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS

This form is designed for an employee's initial application for coverage. Please contact your agent or the carrier to determine if this form should be used in other situations once the group is enrolled with the carrier.

COVERAGE INFORMATION

Application Type: New Coverage Change/Modification to Existing Policy Open Enrollment Special Enrollment*

* Proof of eligibility for special enrollment will be required – information on eligibility for special enrollment periods is available at: www.dora.colorado.gov/DOI/HealthApp

EMPLOYER INFORMATION

Employee Name: _____ Employer Name: _____
Proposed Effective Date: _____ Group Number (if known): _____

EMPLOYEE INFORMATION

Employee Instructions: Please type or print using black or blue ink. Please fill out the entire application for each person for whom coverage is being sought.

First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____ Last Name: _____
Social Security #: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Current Age: _____ Sex: M F
Address: _____ City: _____
County: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Mailing Address (if different): _____ City: _____
County: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Home Phone: _____ Email: _____ Home Work
What is your job title at your current employer? _____ Work Phone: _____
What was your first day of employment? _____ How many hours, on average, do you work each week? _____
Are you (check one): Single Married Common Law* Civil Union*
 Designated Beneficiary* Legally Separated Divorced Widow or Widower
* A common law, civil union, or designated beneficiary certification may be required by the carrier
Are you on COBRA or State Continuation? Yes No Start Date: _____ Stop Date: _____

TYPE OF HEALTH COVERAGE

List all dependents (spouse/partner and child(ren)) applying for coverage. **If you need additional space, please use a separate sheet of paper and attach it to this application (please print your name and sign and date the additional sheet).**
Please select the type of health insurance coverage for which you are applying: Employee Only Employee & Family

DEPENDENT INFORMATION
(list all dependents to be covered)

Name (First, MI, Last)	Sex	Social Security Number	Relationship	Disabled	Birth Date (MM/DD/YY)
	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F		SPOUSE/PARTNER		
	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F		<input type="checkbox"/> CHILD <input type="checkbox"/> STEPCHILD	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F		<input type="checkbox"/> CHILD <input type="checkbox"/> STEPCHILD	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F		<input type="checkbox"/> CHILD <input type="checkbox"/> STEPCHILD	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Employee Name:	Employer Name:
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TOBACCO USE				
<p><i>Please answer the following questions to the best of your knowledge.</i> 45 CFR 147.102(a)(1)(iv) "For purposes of this section, tobacco use means use of tobacco on average four or more times per week within no longer than the past 6 months. This includes all tobacco products, except that tobacco use does not include religious or ceremonial use of tobacco. Further, tobacco use must be defined in terms of when a tobacco product was last used."</p> <p>Has anyone named in this application used tobacco or smokeless tobacco during the past 6 months? If yes, provide the information requested below.</p>				
Name of Person	Used Tobacco Products	If Yes, check all that apply	Duration	Frequency
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Cigarettes <input type="checkbox"/> Chewing Tobacco <input type="checkbox"/> Pipe/Cigars		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Cigarettes <input type="checkbox"/> Chewing Tobacco <input type="checkbox"/> Pipe/Cigars		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Cigarettes <input type="checkbox"/> Chewing Tobacco <input type="checkbox"/> Pipe/Cigars		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Cigarettes <input type="checkbox"/> Chewing Tobacco <input type="checkbox"/> Pipe/Cigars		

EMPLOYEE/DEPENDENT WAIVER OF COVERAGE		
<p>Complete this section ONLY if you are not enrolling yourself or your spouse/partner or dependents. Waiver must be completed for all of your dependents to be eligible for enrollment on this plan in the event of changing circumstances. I understand that I am eligible to apply for group health coverage through my employer. I do NOT want, and hereby waive, group health coverage for:</p>		
	Name (Last, First, MI)	Birth Date (Mo/Day/Year)
Employee		
Spouse/Partner		
Dependent 1		
Dependent 2		
Dependent 3		
<p>I am waiving group health coverage for myself and/or the dependents listed above because (check all that apply, copy of ID card may be required):</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I am covered under my spouse/partner's group policy.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> My spouse/partner is covered under another plan (including this plan, if spouse/partner is also an employee).</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> My dependents are covered under another plan.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I wish to continue other coverage obtained through an Individual Plan or Medicare</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please explain): _____</p>		
<p>WAIVER: I certify that I have been given the opportunity to apply for group health coverage and decline to enroll as indicated above, on behalf of myself, my spouse/partner and my dependent child(ren). I understand that by signing this waiver, I, my spouse/partner, and my dependent child(ren) forfeit the right to coverage. I was not pressured, forced or unfairly induced by my employer, the agent or the carrier(s) into waiving or declining the group health coverage. If in the future I apply for coverage, I, my spouse/partner, or any of my dependent child(ren) may be treated as a late enrollee and subject to postponement of coverage for up to 12 months.</p> <p>I understand that if I am declining enrollment for myself, my spouse/partner, or my dependent child(ren) because of other health coverage, I may, in the future, be able to enroll myself, my spouse/partner, or my dependent child(ren) in this plan, as required by law, provided that I request enrollment within 30 days after my other health coverage ends or a qualifying event occurs. If I do not request enrollment within 30 days of the above events, I understand that I may not be able to enroll for coverage until my company's Open Enrollment period. I understand that I can obtain information related to my enrollment eligibility from my employer or small group health carrier.</p>		
Signature of Employee:		Date Signed:

Employee Name:	Employer Name:
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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

I acknowledge that I have read all sections of this Colorado Uniform Employee Application for Small Employer Group Health Coverage (Application), and I certify on behalf of my eligible family dependents and myself that the answers contained in this Application are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand and agree that neither my employer nor any insurance agents have any authority to waive my complete answer to any question, agree to insurability, alter any contract, or waive any Colorado small employer carrier's other rights or requirements.

I hereby apply for enrollment for myself and for my eligible family dependents listed. On behalf of my eligible family dependents and myself, I agree to all of the terms and conditions of the group contract(s) with Colorado small employer carrier(s) under which I wish to enroll for coverage. I have indicated in this Application, if required, what product(s) or provider(s) I have selected. **I agree that no coverage will be effective until the date specified by the Colorado small employer carrier(s) with whom I enroll, after this application has been accepted by such carrier(s).**

I understand and agree that any information obtained in connection with this Application will be used by Colorado small employer carrier(s) to determine eligibility for coverage.

It is unlawful to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to an insurance carrier for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the carrier. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines, denial of insurance and civil damages. Any insurance carrier or agent of an insurance carrier who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to a policyholder or claimant for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the policyholder or claimant with regard to a settlement or award payable from insurance proceeds shall be reported to the Colorado Division of Insurance within the Department of Regulatory Agencies.

When applicable, I authorize my employer to deduct contributions from my earnings to be applied to the cost of coverage.

I agree to any applicable group contract provisions for the resolution of disagreements and disputes, including arbitration when required and as allowed by law. Please refer to any arbitration provisions in the group contract(s).

I understand that I may request a copy of this Application. I agree that a photographic copy of this Application shall be as valid as the original. A legible facsimile signature shall have the same force and effectiveness as the original. This document will become a part of the contract when coverage is approved and issued.

Signature of Employee: _____

Date Signed: _____

DISCLOSURES

COLORADO INSURANCE LAW REQUIRES ALL CARRIERS IN THE SMALL GROUP MARKET TO ISSUE ANY APPLICABLE HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN IT MARKETS IN COLORADO TO ANY SMALL EMPLOYER THAT APPLIES FOR THE PLAN AND AGREES TO MAKE THE REQUIRED PREMIUM PAYMENTS, AND SATISFIES THE OTHER PROVISIONS OF THE HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN.

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