

Table 6
Medicaid Eligibility Systems for Children, Pregnant Women, Parents, and Expansion Adults, January 2017

State	Able to Make Real-Time Determinations	Share of Determinations Completed in Real-Time ¹				System determines eligibility for: ²				
		<25%	25%-50%	50%-75%	75%+	CHIP (Total = 36) ³	Seniors and Individuals with	SNAP	TANF	Child Care
Total	39	14	6	6	9	34	29	21	21	10
Alabama	Y				Y	Y				
Alaska						N/A (M-CHIP)				
Arizona	Y		Y			Y	Y			
Arkansas	Y	Y				Y				
California ⁴	Y		Y			N/A (M-CHIP)				
Colorado	Y			Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	
Connecticut	Y				Y	Y				
Delaware	Y	Y				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
District of Columbia	Y	Y				N/A (M-CHIP)				
Florida	Y		Y			Y	Y			
Georgia							Y	Y	Y	
Hawaii	Y		Not Reported			N/A (M-CHIP)	Y			
Idaho ⁵	Y			Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Illinois						Y	Y	Y	Y	
Indiana						Y	Y	Y	Y	
Iowa	Y		Not Reported			Y				
Kansas	Y	Y				Y	Y			
Kentucky ^{6,7}	Y			Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	
Louisiana	Y	Y				Y	Y			
Maine						Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Maryland	Y			Y		N/A (M-CHIP)				
Massachusetts ⁸	Y		Y			Y				
Michigan	Y		Y			N/A (M-CHIP)				
Minnesota	Y		Y			N/A (M-CHIP)				
Mississippi ⁶	Y	Y				Y	Y			
Missouri	Y				Y	Y				
Montana	Y				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Nebraska	Y	Y				N/A (M-CHIP)	Y	Y	Y	Y
Nevada	Y	Y				Y	Y	Y	Y	
New Hampshire	Y	Y				N/A (M-CHIP)	Y	Y	Y	Y
New Jersey						Y				
New Mexico ⁵	Y				Y	N/A (M-CHIP)	Y	Y	Y	
New York	Y				Y	Y				
North Carolina	Y		Not Reported			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
North Dakota						Y				
Ohio ⁶	Y	Y				N/A (M-CHIP)	Y			
Oklahoma	Y				Y	N/A (M-CHIP)				
Oregon	Y			Y		Y				
Pennsylvania	Y	Y				Y	Y	Y	Y	
Rhode Island ^{6,7}	Y				Y	N/A (M-CHIP)	Y	Y	Y	Y
South Carolina	Y	Y				N/A (M-CHIP)				
South Dakota						Y				
Tennessee										
Texas						Y	Y	Y	Y	
Utah						Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Vermont	Y			Y		N/A (M-CHIP)				
Virginia	Y	Y				Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Washington	Y				Y	Y				
West Virginia						Y	Y	Y	Y	
Wisconsin	Y		Not Reported			Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Wyoming	Y	Y				Y	Y			

SOURCE: Based on a national survey conducted by the Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the Uninsured with the Georgetown University Center for Children and Families, 2017.

Table presents rules in effect as of January 1, 2017.

Table 6 Notes

1. Under the Affordable Care Act (ACA), states must seek to verify eligibility criteria based on electronic data matches with reliable sources of data. These columns reflect whether the state system is able to make real-time eligibility determinations, defined as within 24 hours, and the share of applications for non-disabled groups (children, pregnant women, parents, and expansion adults) that are determined eligible in real-time.
2. These columns indicate whether the state Medicaid eligibility system for non-disabled groups also determines eligibility for CHIP, seniors and individuals with disabilities, Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), and Child Care Subsidy.
3. N/A (M-CHIP) responses indicate that the state does not provide a separate CHIP program for uninsured children.
4. California's statewide-integrated Marketplace and Medicaid system, CALHEERs, is not integrated with other programs. However, cases for all Medicaid enrollees are transferred to and managed at the county level where systems are integrated for all Medicaid groups, including seniors and people with disabilities, and non-health programs.
5. Idaho and New Mexico added functionality to complete real-time eligibility determinations in 2016.
6. Kentucky, Mississippi, Ohio, and Rhode Island integrated eligibility decisions for seniors and individuals with disabilities into the Medicaid eligibility system for non-disabled groups in 2016.
7. Kentucky and Rhode Island integrated non-health programs into their Medicaid eligibility systems in 2016, and Idaho, North Carolina, and Virginia added additional non-health programs into their Medicaid eligibility systems in 2016.
8. In Massachusetts, 25-50% of applications are received online and about 75% of online applications receive real-time determinations.