



OCTOBER BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH HIGHLIGHTS WISCONSIN WELL WOMAN PROGRAM

While October's prominence as Breast Cancer Awareness Month brings attention to the importance of early detection, the Wisconsin Well Woman Program (WWWP) promotes the importance of year-round screenings.

Early detection can save lives!

According to the National Breast Cancer Foundation, advances in early detection and treatment have significantly increased breast cancer survival rates. When breast cancer is caught early on, the five-year relative survival rate is 99%.

WWWP is a program that offers screenings for breast and cervical cancers for women who have little or no health insurance. This allows women to receive clinical breast exams and mammograms, as well as diagnostic testing if their initial screening results are abnormal. WWWP also provides HPV tests, pap tests for cervical

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cancer screening, pelvic exams, and multiple sclerosis testing for those who are high risk.

Women may be eligible for this program if they:

- Live in Wisconsin.
- Are 40–64 years old.
- Are at or below 250% of the Federal Poverty Level.
- Don't have health insurance.
- Have insurance that doesn't cover routine check-ups or screenings.
- Aren't able to pay their deductible or copay.

Women who are 35–39 may be referred to WWWP if they receive Medicaid Family Planning Only services and have an abnormal breast exam or mammogram. They may also be eligible, even if they are not eligible for Medicaid Family Planning Only services, if they self-report abnormal breast symptoms to a coordinating agency.

All of WWWP's screenings come without copays, deductibles, or premiums if women use a [WWWP medical provider](#). For more information, call 800-642-7837.

ADULT LONG-TERM CARE ENROLLMENT DEADLINE

Enroll now to beat the crowd

If you deliver home and community-based services under one of Wisconsin's adult long-term care (LTC) waiver programs, the deadline to enroll with Wisconsin Medicaid is coming soon! The enrollment deadline is **January 1, 2026**.

Enrolling with Wisconsin Medicaid allows you to continue to serve members and get paid by managed care organizations (MCOs) or IRIS (Include, Respect, I Self-Direct) fiscal employer agents. Enrolling now also gets you listed in the public-facing ForwardHealth Provider Directory.

Don't wait!

The enrollment approval process can take up to 60 days. We know the end of the year gets busy, so we're encouraging you

ATTENTION: WE'VE MOVED!

Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS) has moved from 1 West Wilson Street to:

201 E Washington Ave
Rm B300
Madison WI 53703

All mail that used to go to DHS at 1 West Wilson Street should now go to 201 East Washington Avenue, Room B300. This change is **only** for 1 West Wilson Street—all other addresses (like 313 Blettner Avenue or PO boxes) are staying exactly the same.

to enroll as soon as possible to avoid a time crunch around the holidays.

Resources to help you enroll

If you need help with your enrollment application, check out the:

- **[Enrollment checklist \(PDF\)](#)**. The checklist has instructions explaining each step of the enrollment process. You can find this checklist and more information about enrollment on the [Provider Enrollment for Adult Long-Term Care](#) page of the ForwardHealth Portal (the Portal).
- **[Adult LTC Waiver Service Provider Enrollment training](#)**. This recorded training walks you through the enrollment process with a demonstration. You can find this training and more related trainings under the Adult Long-Term Care Programs drop-down menu on the [Trainings](#) page of the Portal.

CARE TO SHARE?

We would love to hear your feedback on ForwardHealth Connect! Use this two-question survey to let us know what you think: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/G6QV395>.

