



## EMPLOYER BASED HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM PAYMENT (EB-HIPP) PROGRAM CLIENT CHECKLIST

The Employer Based Health Insurance Premium Payment (EB-HIPP) Program is a subsidy program that provides premium assistance for an ADAP client's portion of their employer based insurance premiums. Individuals that are enrolled in EB-HIPP are also eligible for the Medical Out-of-Pocket Cost benefit, which covers outpatient medical out-of-pocket costs that count towards the client's health insurance policy's annual out of pocket maximum.

This checklist provides all the necessary information for potential clients to apply to the EB-HIPP Program.

### Program Eligibility

- Be actively enrolled in ADAP
- Enrolled in employer based insurance
- Client is employed by the employer (i.e. client cannot be on a spouse's employer based health insurance plan)
- Employer must agree to participate in the EB-HIPP program
- Submit all required EB-HIPP program documentation

### Required Documents

- Signed ADAP Client Attestation Form (CDPH Form 8723)
- Signed and completed Participation Agreement Form by client and their employer
- Please Note:** *if the employer does not consent to this program by filling out the Participation Agreement Form, the client will not be eligible to enroll in EB-HIPP*
- Paystub (must be within the last 3 months)

### Application Process to Enroll in EB-HIPP

1. Go to Enrollment Site to retrieve the Participation Agreement Form.
  2. Client and their employer must complete the Participation Agreement Form in order for the client to enroll in OA's EB-HIPP.
  3. Client will submit all required documents to an ADAP Enrollment Worker or to CDPH directly.
  4. CDPH will enroll the client into EB-HIPP.
- Please Note:** *With the first successful payment, the employer will receive a letter stating that the client has successfully enrolled in the Program.*

### Re-Enrollment in EB-HIPP

- In order for ADAP to continue paying premiums towards the client's health plans, clients are required to re-enroll into ADAP and EB-HIPP annually.
- The following documents will be required to re-enroll: Paystub (must be within the last 3 months) and ADAP Client Attestation Form (CDPH Form 8723)



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**Please Note:** *If the client's premium or employer has changed, client will need to submit a new Participation Agreement Form and paystub from the new employer before client's EB-HIPP eligibility is extended.*

### **Re-certification in EB-HIPP**

- In order for ADAP to continue paying premiums towards the client's health plan(s), clients are required to re-certify into ADAP and EB-HIPP every 6 months after their birthday.
- Clients will receive a Self-Verification Form (SVF) to re-certify. The SVF will provide instructions on how to re-certify if the client's employer or premium has changed.
- If the employer and insurance premium remain the same, the client does not need to provide supporting documentation for EB-HIPP (SVF will need to be submitted to extend ADAP eligibility via mail or at an authorized ADAP Enrollment Site).
- If there are changes to the employer, employer's information, and/or premium amount, the client must have their employer re-fill and submit the Participation Agreement Form with updated information in order for ADAP to continue making accurate payments. In addition, the client will be required to submit a new ADAP Client Attestation Form (CDPH Form 8723) and paystub dated within the last 3 months.

### **Changes in Premium, Employer, Health Insurance Policies**

If the client's insurance premium, insurance policy, or employer has changed mid-year, the client will be required to resubmit the completed Participation Agreement Form and paystub dated within the last 3 months.

### **Family Plans**

A family plan is defined as a married couple or registered domestic partnership, and any dependent children who are included on the health insurance policy along with the ADAP client. Clients who have a family plan are not required to submit any additional supporting documentation when enrolling, re-enrolling or re-certifying in EB-HIPP. For clients who have a family plan, EB-HIPP will pay family premiums for medical, dental and bundled vision plans. However, the client's spouse and/or dependents will not have access to MOOP benefits as part of EB-HIPP. **Please Note:** if the client's spouse and/or dependents are enrolled in OA's Spousal / Dependent Program, they will have access to MOOP benefits through the Spousal / Dependent program. For more information on the Spousal / Dependent program, please contact your Enrollment Worker or ADAP Advisor.

### **Communication with Employer**

Client should be aware that Pool Administrators Inc. (PAI) is the contracted vendor for the State of California and may contact the client's employer to get updated premium and payment information. The information will be considered confidential, but may be exchanged with the employer as necessary to determine client's eligibility and for purposes of administering the program.