

## How Do I Enroll?

1. Fill out the MaineCare application, available from:
  - Local DHHS Regional offices (see the list to the right for phone numbers and addresses), or
  - A Ryan White Case Manager
2. Return the form and proof of income for the past 4 weeks by mail or in person to the nearest DHHS office.
3. Provide a positive HIV test.

MaineCare will send you a letter telling you if you qualify. If you do, you will be sent a MaineCare card. You must show your card every time you receive a covered service.

## Is There a Waiting List?

No, not at this time. If there is a waiting list you will be told when there is an opening.

## Is There Other Help for People Living With HIV/AIDS?

National STD/AIDS Hotline:  
**1-800-232-4636** or [www.ashastd.org](http://www.ashastd.org)  
(confidential information & referrals)

Maine AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP):  
**287-3747**  
Statewide free HIV/AIDS medication program to cover prescriptions for people without any means of payment.

Ryan White Part B Case Management Services:  
**287-3747**  
[www.MainePublicHealth.gov/hiv](http://www.MainePublicHealth.gov/hiv)

## How Much Will it Cost?

You may pay:

- A monthly premium based upon your income level (see chart below),
- A \$10 co-pay for each doctor's visit,
- A \$10 co-pay for each medical prescription; and
- Other MaineCare co-pays.

Benefit Premiums	
Personal Monthly Income	Monthly Premium
Below or Equal to \$1,459	\$0.00
Between \$1,460 and \$1,945	\$32.59
Between \$1,946 and \$2,432	\$65.17

If you have HIV and any MaineCare benefit you should also have the AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP).  
This benefit can save you money.

**ADAP will pay MaineCare premiums for you and help with your medication co-pays.**

**Your ADAP coverage will not be affected by the HIV/AIDS Waiver.**

It is easy to apply for the ADAP. Ask your case manager, or call this number:

287-3747

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## Contact a Department of Health and Human Services Regional Office for an Application

**Augusta:** 35 Anthony Avenue, Augusta 04333  
1-800-452-1926

**Bangor:** 396 Griffin Road, Bangor 04401  
1-800-432-7825

**Biddeford:** 208 Graham Street, Biddeford 04005  
1-800-322-1919

**Calais:** 392 South Street, Calais 04619  
1-800-622-1400

**Caribou:** 30 Skyway Drive, Unit #100, Caribou 04736, 1-800-432-7366

**Ellsworth:** 17 Eastward Lane, Ellsworth 04605  
1-800-432-7823

**Farmington:** 114 Corn Shop Lane, Farmington 04938  
1-800-442-6382

**Fort Kent:** 137 Market Street, Fort Kent 04743  
1-800-432-7340

**Houlton:** 11 High Street, Houlton 04730  
1-800-432-7338

**Lewiston:** 200 Main Street, Lewiston 04240  
1-800-482-7517

**Machias:** 38 Prescott Drive, Machias 04654  
1-800-432-7846

**Portland:** 161 Marginal Way, Portland 04101  
1-800-482-7520

**Rockland:** 91 Camden Street, #103 Rockland 04841  
1-800-432-7802

**Sanford:** 890 Main St., Suite #208, Sanford 04073  
1-800-482-0790

**Skowhegan:** 98 North Avenue, Skowhegan 04976  
1-800-452-4602

**South Paris:** 243 Main St., Suite #6, So. Paris 04281  
1-888-593-9775

TDD/TTY Users: Dial 711 (Maine Relay)

## Who is eligible?

You are eligible if you:

- Test positive for HIV
- Are over income for regular MaineCare
- Are within income limits for the HIV/AIDS Waiver (income limits may go up every spring)
- Agree to the rules for getting this benefit by signing a consent form

-If you have health insurance, you may still qualify

-All estate recovery rules apply

## What is covered?

Some of the services covered include:

- HIV/AIDS Treatment and Counseling (including HAART)
- Medications
- Laboratory and X-ray
- Behavioral Health and Substance Abuse Services
- Physician, Physician Assistant and Nurse Practitioner
- Hospital
- Case Management
- Family Planning
- Ambulance

MaineCare may pay for transportation to covered HIV/AIDS Waiver services when the request is made in advance.



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**If you are currently enrolled in  
MaineCare, you do not need to apply  
for this benefit.**

### Who do I call if I have questions?

MaineCare HIV/AIDS Nurse Coordinator:  
1-866-796-2463 ext. 44008  
207-624-4008

MaineCare Member Services:  
1-800-977-6740;  
TTY Users: Dial 711 (Maine Relay)

# HIV/AIDS Waiver



## A MaineCare Benefit for People Living with HIV/AIDS in Maine



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