

# **PHIP (Public Health Intervention Program)**

## *PrEP Financial Assistance for Coloradans*

PHIP provides financial assistance for individuals on PrEP (pre-exposure prophylaxis) as HIV prevention treatment. PrEP is an FDA-approved, once-a-day prevention pill for people who are HIV-negative.

If you are on PrEP or starting it soon and would like to apply for PHIP, please review this page to determine what steps you need to take. PHIP is available to any person living in Colorado who earns less than 500% of the Federal Poverty Level .

### **PHIP Insured**

- For individuals with private insurance, through the marketplace (“Obamacare”), an employer, spouse, or parent.
- Covers copay, coinsurance, or deductible costs for PrEP-related doctor visits and lab tests.
- Applicant must apply for the Gilead Co-Pay Card, which contributes \$7,200/year toward PrEP medication costs. Sign up for Gilead [here](#) and activate your card immediately!

### **PHIP Uninsured**

- For anyone on PrEP without access to insurance coverage
- Covers PrEP-related office visits and lab tests at contracted PHIP providers (see “PHIP-PrEP Providers” PDF for more info).
- Application must apply for [Gilead Advancing Access](#), which covers the full cost of medication (you will need a doctor to sign off on a form to get your medication assistance).

### **PHIP Medicare**

- For individuals who are currently enrolled in a Medicare plan.
- Covers PrEP-related office visits, lab tests, and medication assistance at PHIP-Medicare contracted providers.

### **Health First Colorado (Medicaid):**

- Individuals enrolled in Health First Colorado are not eligible for PHIP. Medicaid will cover the majority of your PrEP costs less an average of \$1-10 copays.

### **How do I apply?**

- Visit [coenroll.com](http://coenroll.com) to start your application and register an account.
- Please note: you’ll need to upload one month’s worth of income. This can be in the form of paystubs, last year’s taxes, social security award letters, or any other relevant taxable income you earn.