

**Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota
and Blue Plus**

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HIPAA notice of special enrollment

If you are declining enrollment for yourself or your dependents (including your spouse) because of other health insurance or group health plan coverage, including coverage through medical assistance or Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), you may be able to enroll yourself and your dependents in this plan if you or your dependents lose eligibility for that other coverage (or if the employer stops contributing towards your or your dependents' other coverage). However, you must request enrollment **within the time period specified by your plan (you can check a copy of your plan document)** after your or your dependents' other coverage ends (or after the employer stops contributing toward the other coverage).

You may also be able to enroll yourself and your dependents if you become eligible for premium assistance through your state's Medicaid agency. You must request enrollment within 60 days after the date you and/or your dependents are determined to be eligible for premium assistance.

In addition, if you acquire a new dependent as a result of marriage, birth, adoption or placement for adoption, you may be able to enroll yourself and your dependents. However, you must request enrollment within **the time period specified by your plan (you can check a copy of your plan document)** after the marriage, birth, adoption or placement for adoption.

If you have questions about this notice, you may contact Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota and Blue Plus customer service at **(651) 662-5001** or **1-800-531-6676**.

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