

## **Medical Benefits Eligibility (Cardinal Care Medicaid)**

Age Requirements

No Age Requirement

Available 24/7

No

Other Eligibility Criteria

Must meet income resource and categorical requirements. Call for more information.

Family

No

Intake Process

Self, telephone, professional and/or agency referrals. Written application required.

Report Problems

Call the Agency

Self Refer

Yes

Charlottesville Department of Social Services

<https://www.charlottesville.gov/366/Social-Services>

Main

(434) 970-3451

Toll-Free

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Monday: 8:00 am-5:00 pm

Tuesday: 8:00 am-5:00 pm

Wednesday: 8:00 am-5:00 pm

Thursday: 8:00 am-5:00 pm

Friday: 8:00 am-5:00 pm

Saturday: Closed

Sunday: Closed

## Additional Availability Comments

Benefit applications are taken daily. Intake interviews by appointment only. If needed, appointments can be scheduled outside of regular hours of operation, upon request.

## Fee Structure

No Fee

## Languages Spoken

English

The Charlottesville Department of Social Services determines eligibility for Cardinal Care Medicaid. Cardinal Care Medicaid is the federally funded medical care program for Virginia individuals who are elderly, blind, disabled, dependent children, and pregnant women. The program offers medical coverage for doctor visits, emergency room visits, hospitalization, prescriptions, medical supplies and equipment, nursing home costs, and home health care. The level and scope of coverage vary.

To be eligible, individuals must meet income and resource requirements. Supplemental Security Income recipients are generally eligible for full coverage. Aged, blind and disabled individuals with incomes less than 80 percent of the federal poverty level may also be eligible for full coverage. Pregnant women and children under the age of 19 may be eligible if their income is less than 133 percent of the federal poverty level. Medicare Part A recipients with income less than 120 percent of the federal poverty level may also be eligible for limited services based on income and resources.

Discounted telephone rates for low-income families may be available; inquire with your telephone service provider.

## Service Area(s)

Albemarle County

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Charlottesville City

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