



## HEALTH PLAN (cont.)

### Uninsured Children Coverage Option

#### **Florida KidCare**

Florida KidCare is the state's children's health insurance program for uninsured children under age 19. It includes four different parts, or programs: MediKids, Healthy Kids, Children's Medical Services and Medicaid. When you apply for the insurance, Florida KidCare will review your application to determine the program your child may be eligible for based on age and family income. For additional information or to receive an application, visit their Web site at [www.healthykids.org](http://www.healthykids.org) or call their toll free number **888-540-5437**.

Some of the services Florida KidCare covers are:

- Doctor visits
- Check-ups and shots
- Hospital
- Surgery
- Prescriptions
- Emergencies
- Vision and Hearing
- Dental
- Mental Health

#### **Eligibility**

Florida KidCare is for children, not adults. To qualify for premium assistance, a child must:

- Be under age 19
- Be uninsured
- Meet income eligibility requirements
- Be a U.S. citizen or qualified non-citizen
- Not be eligible for Medicaid
- Not be the dependent of a state employee eligible for health insurance
- Not be in a public institution

There are several ways to apply for Florida KidCare:

- If you applied for Florida KidCare before, call **1-888-540-5437**
- Apply online at **<https://www.healthykids.org>**
- Print an Application and Instructions at **<https://www.healthykids.org>**

#### **PREMIUMS:**

**The cost will depend on the size of your family and the amount of your family's gross monthly income. Premiums range from \$15 a month per child to \$159 a month per family. There is no charge for Medicaid for children (KidCare Medicaid).**