



## Action Alert #9: LDH Seeking Input on Act 421 Children's Medicaid Option

July 16, 2020

The Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) is seeking input on the Act 421 Children's Medicaid Option. This program is similar to TEFRA coverage under Louisiana Medicaid and would allow children with disabilities who meet institutional level-of-care requirements receive Medicaid, regardless of parental income.

### LDH Hosting Two Public Meetings

- Wednesday, July 22, 2020 from 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
- Monday, July 27, 2020 from 4:30 PM – 6:30 PM

Both hearings will be streamed via Zoom and the [LDH Facebook page](#). For more information about Act 421 Children's Medicaid Option and to access the Zoom meeting links, visit <http://www.ldh.la.gov/act421>.

To request any accommodations you may need to participate in the virtual public hearings or to access printed materials, email [421-CMO@la.gov](mailto:421-CMO@la.gov).

### Submit Public Comment

Public comments will be accepted until August 10, 2020. There are three ways you can submit public comment:

- Email comments to [421-CMO@la.gov](mailto:421-CMO@la.gov)
- Complete a [public comment form](#)
- Mail written comments to:  
Bureau of Health Services Financing  
Attention: Act 421 Children's Medicaid Options Manager  
P.O. Box 91030 (Bin #24)  
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-3117

### Additional Information on Act 421

- [Act 421 – Children's Medicaid Option Presentation](#)
- [Public Notice of 1115 Demonstration Waiver Submission for Act 421 Medicaid Children's Option](#)
- [Section 1115 Demonstration Proposal for Act 421 Children's Medicaid Option](#)

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