

## About Washington Apple Health (Medicaid)

In Washington State, we call the Medicaid program “Apple Health.” Apple Health provides health care coverage to nearly 2 million residents—adults and children. Washington’s uninsured rate has dropped to an historic 5.4 percent, thanks in part to access to Apple Health made possible through the Affordable Care Act.


### Covered services

Those enrolled in Apple Health have access to many health care services, including:

- Office visits with a doctor or health care professional
- Emergency medical care
- Maternity and newborn care
- Mental health services
- Treatment for chemical or alcohol dependence
- Pediatric services, including well-child visits, immunizations, dental and vision care
- Limited dental and vision care for adults
- Hospitalization
- Prescription medications
- Laboratory services
- Transportation to and from medical appointments, when necessary
- An interpreter for appointments, when necessary

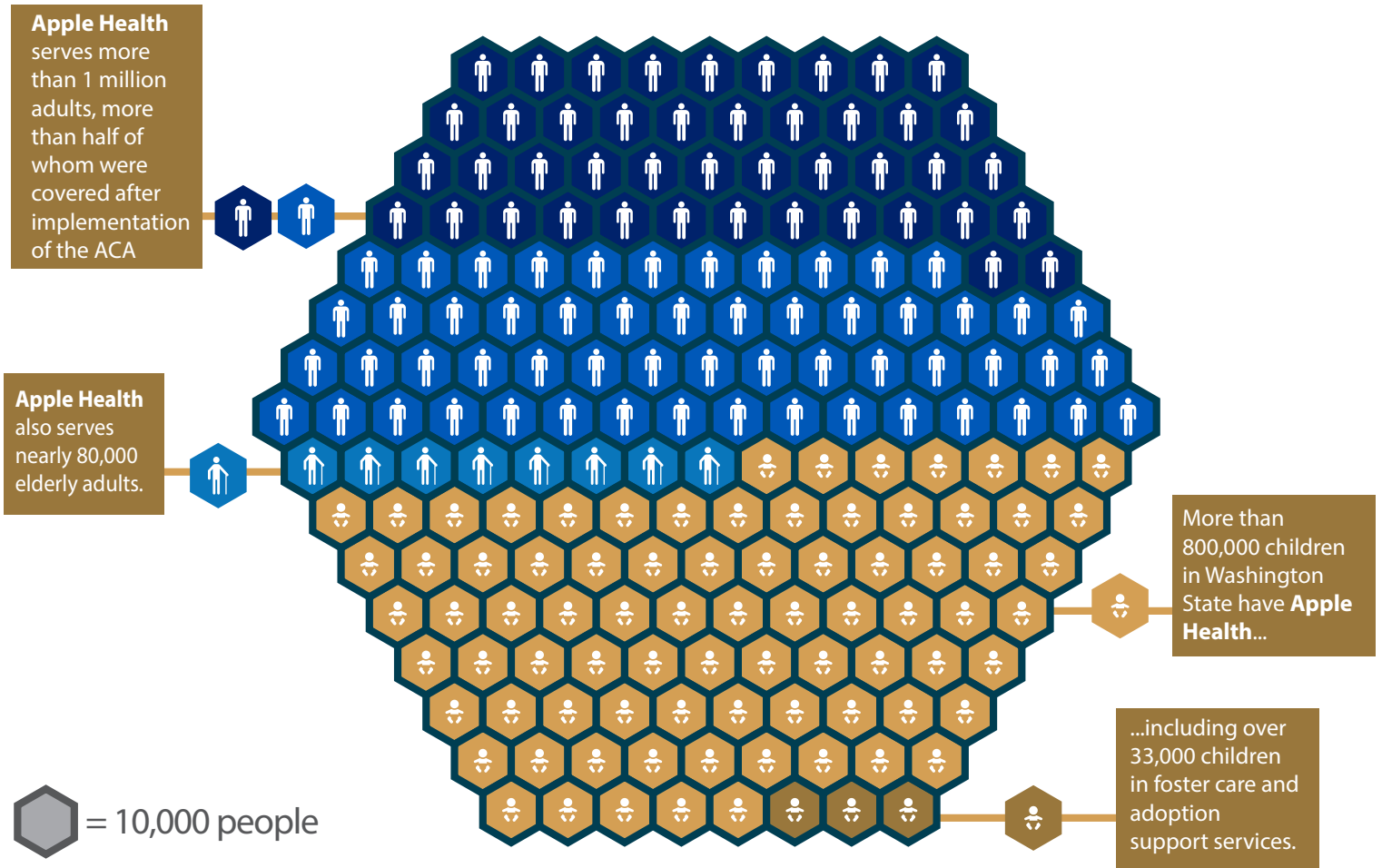
### Applying for coverage

Individuals apply for Apple Health coverage through our state’s health benefit exchange, Washington Healthplanfinder. Even if they are not eligible for Apple Health, visitors can then explore low-cost private insurance options on Washington Healthplanfinder.

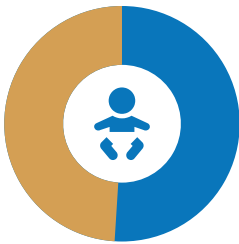
A photograph showing a woman in a striped tank top and denim shorts crouching on a cracked, dry desert floor. She is smiling and looking down at a young child in a green shirt who is also crouching and playing with the sand. The ground is parched and cracked in a grid-like pattern, suggesting severe drought.

*“If I didn’t have Apple Health, my son and I would have been on food assistance, we would have lost our home, I would have all this debt . . . I can’t begin to explain how much Apple Health has helped me.”*  
– Shylo Williamson, Spokane

# Nearly 1.9 million Washington residents rely on **Apple Health** for medical services—that's about 1 in 4 Washingtonians!



42,534 deliveries with **Apple Health**-paid maternity care



In 2016, **Apple Health** funded more than half of all births in Washington outside of military hospitals

More than half of **Apple Health** clients ages 18 to 64 are employed.

More than 84% of **Apple Health** clients are enrolled in managed care.