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## MESSAGE FOR ALL EPSDT ELIGIBLES AND THEIR PARENTS

Louisiana Medicaid provides eligible Medicaid recipients who are under 21 years of age with preventative care, like regular examinations and immunizations. Regular examinations may prevent future problems and immunizations will protect your child from diseases like measles and mumps.

If you are a Medicaid recipient under the age of 21, you may be eligible for the following services at no cost to you:

Doctor visits; hospital (inpatient and outpatient) services, lab tests and x-rays; family planning services; home health care; dental care; rehabilitation services, prescription drugs; medical equipment, appliances and supplies (DME); support coordination; speech and language evaluations and therapies; occupational therapy; physical therapy; psychological evaluations and therapy; psychological and behavior services; podiatry services; optometrist services; hospice services; extended home health services; residential institutional care; home and community based (waiver) services; medical, dental, vision and hearing screenings, both periodic and interperiodic; immunizations; eyeglasses; hearing aids; psychiatric hospital care; personal care services; audiological services; medically necessary transportation: Ambulance transportation, non-ambulance transportation; appointment scheduling assistance; chiropractic services; prenatal care; certified nurse midwives; certified nurse practitioners; mental health rehabilitation; mental health clinic services; addictive disorder services and any other medically necessary health care, diagnostic services, treatment, and other measures which are coverable by Medicaid, which includes a wide range of services not covered for recipients over the age of 21.

For further information regarding available services, call the Specialty Resource Line (toll-free) at 1-877-455-9955.

Some of these services must be approved by Medicaid in advance. Your medical provider should be aware of which services must be pre-approved and can assist you in obtaining those services.