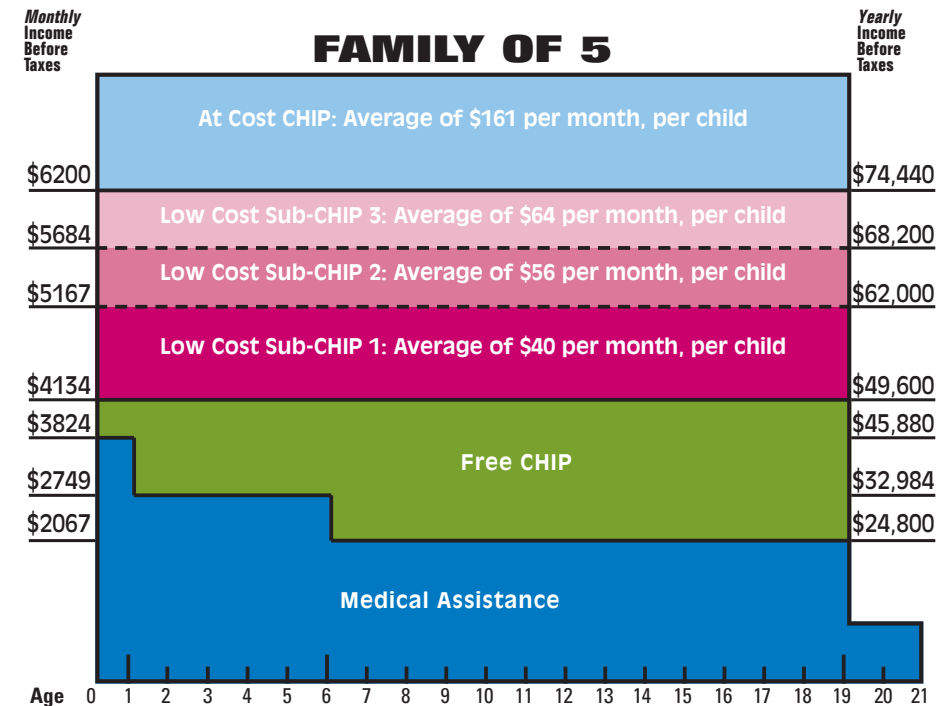
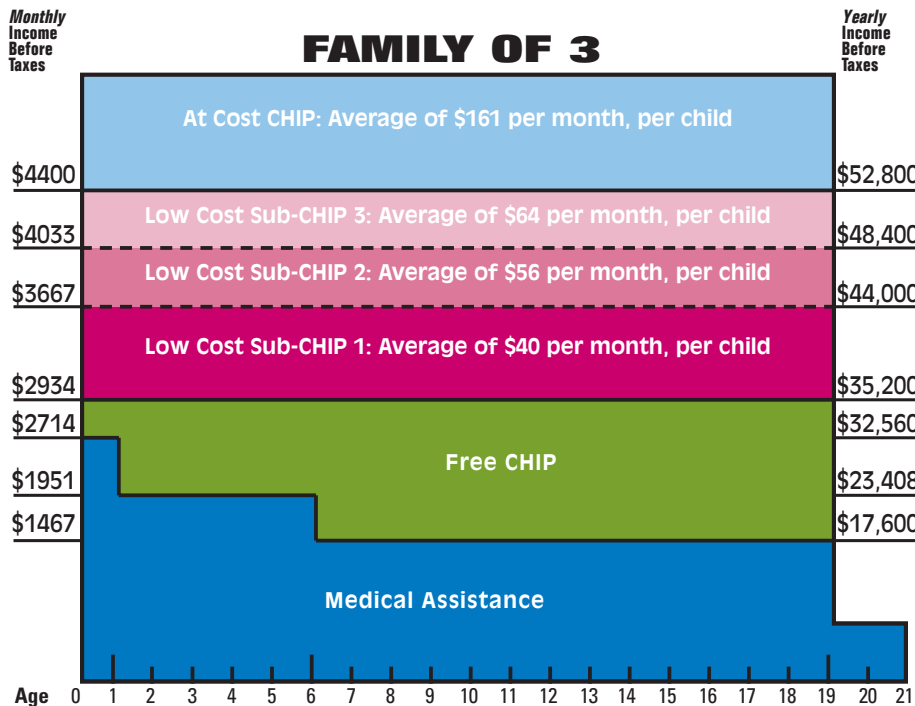
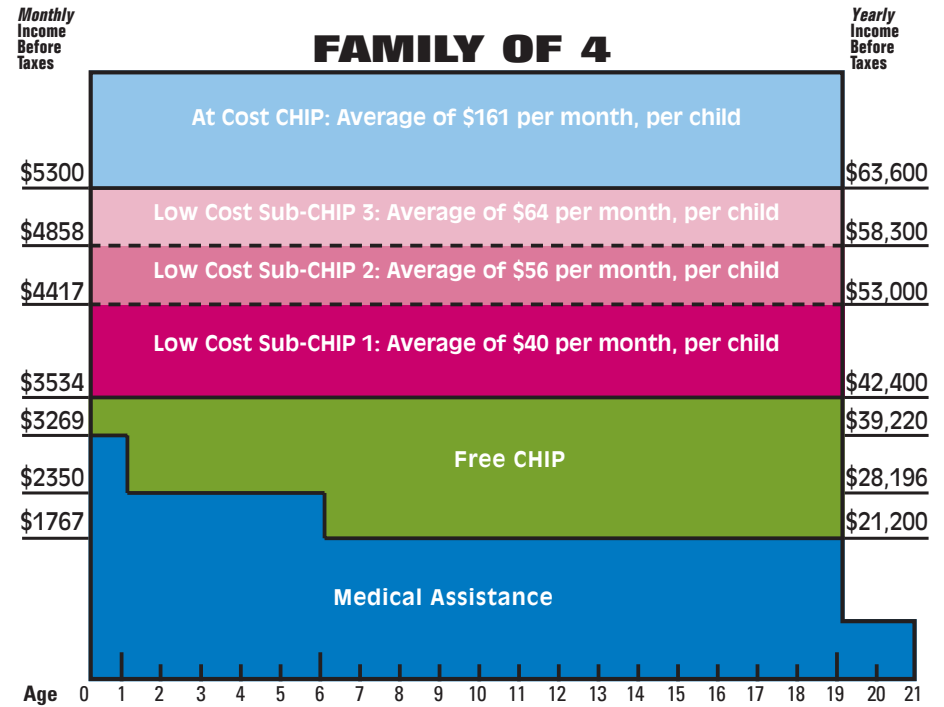
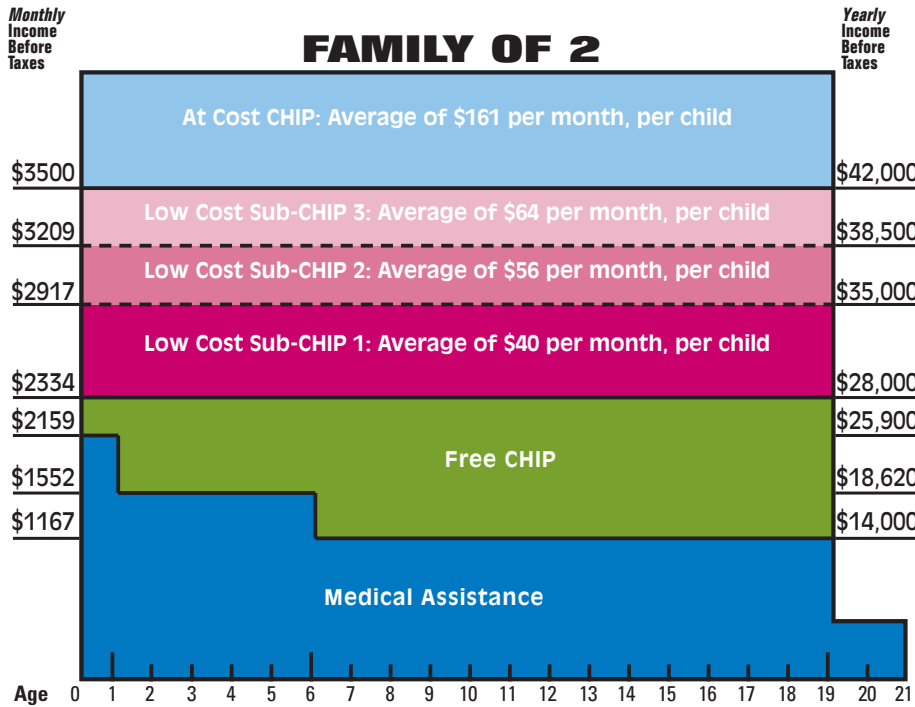


# PCCY CHILD HEALTH WATCH

## Health Insurance Income Eligibility for Children in Pennsylvania

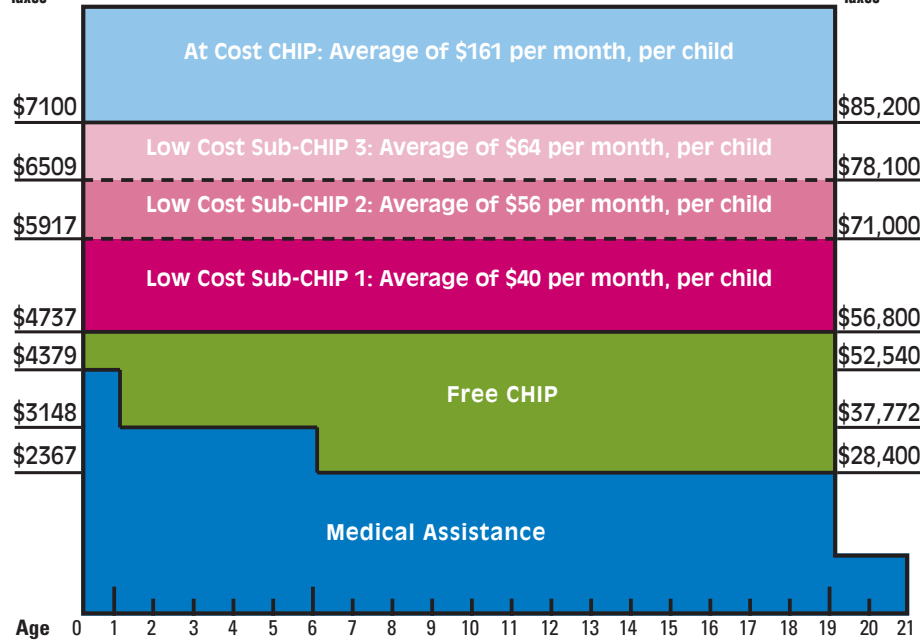
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Monthly Income Before Taxes

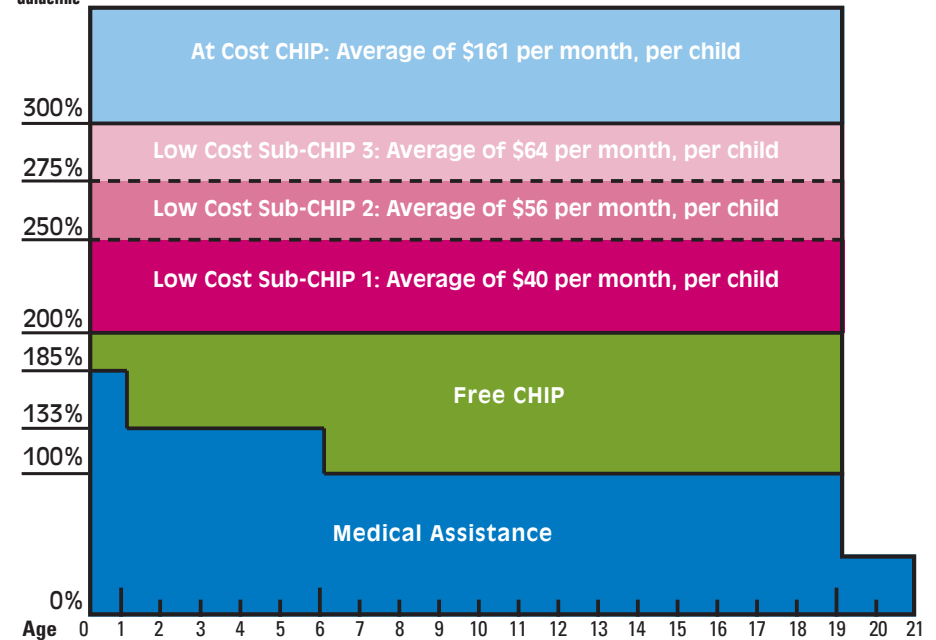
## FAMILY OF 6

Yearly Income Before Taxes



% of Federal Poverty Guideline

## GENERAL ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES



## ALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS

Families whose income appears to be too high may still qualify by taking some income deductions. Figures on the chart reflect gross income after allowable deductions have been taken.

1. Each working parent or guardian may deduct \$120 per month from his or her income.
2. Families with child care expenses for children up to age two may deduct the amount they spend for child care, up to \$200 per child per month.
3. Families with child care expenses for children older than two or with day care expenses for older or disabled adults may deduct the amount they spend for day care, up to \$175 per person, per month.

Parents who take these deductions may need to prove their care expenses, and will not be able to take a deduction that is more than the amount they pay. For more information, call PCCY at 215-563-5848 x17.

## DETERMINING HOUSEHOLD SIZE

Family size is parent(s) or guardian(s) plus children. For example, 1 parent with 2 children is a family of 3. Pregnant women count as two people for medical assistance, but not for CHIP.

For pregnant women, use eligibility guidelines for 0-1 year olds. For more information, call PCCY at 215-563-5848 x17.

## 100% of FEDERAL POVERTY GUIDELINE LEVEL (monthly/yearly)

| Family of | 2                   | 3                   | 4                   | 5                   | 6                   | For each additional person add |
|-----------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|
|           | \$1167/<br>\$14,000 | \$1467/<br>\$17,600 | \$1767/<br>\$21,200 | \$2067/<br>\$24,800 | \$2367/<br>\$28,400 | \$300/<br>\$3,600              |

## To sign up for free or low-cost health insurance:

|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| Statewide Toll-free Hotline (PA Dep't of Health).....                               | 800-986-KIDS     |
| PCCY Child Healthwatch Helpline (Language Line translation available).....          | 215-563-5848 x17 |
| CHOICE Maternal/Children's Health Line (Spanish speaking counselors available)..... | 215-985-3301     |
| Aetna U.S. Healthcare.....  | 800-822-2447     |
| Caring Foundation/Keystone CHIP.....  | 800-464-5437     |
| AmeriChoice.....  | 877-289-1917     |

## To get help with general problems getting health care for children:

|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| PCCY Child Healthwatch Helpline (Language Line translation available).....          | 215-563-5848 x17 |
| CHOICE Maternal/Children's Health Line (Spanish speaking counselors available)..... | 215-985-3301     |