



Eligibility Screening Notice

To Our Patients:

CHCSCT has updated its ***Eligibility Process***. We have established this change to create a better front office efficiency for our patients. We want to provide you the patient with an exceptional patient experience in a timely manner.

Effectively immediately: Patients will be required to schedule an eligibility appointment to apply and review potential for full eligibility benefits. If a patient chooses not to be made fully eligible, they will solely be screened for the **Sliding Fee Discount Program (SFDP)** based only on household size and income.

Patients who are unable to provide the recommended documents to apply for full eligibility benefits or the (SFDP) can self-declare their income and household size to be placed on a **30-day (SFDP) presumptive eligibility period**.

A **90-day (Title-V MCH) presumptive eligibility period** is available for those 0-21 years of age. Household income, size and residency can be self-declared.

Patients are encouraged to schedule an eligibility appointment during their presumptive eligibility period to prevent a lapse in program coverage. We look forward to assisting you with this opportunity.

One presumptive eligibility period is allowed every twelve months.