The 2018 Open Enrollment Period runs from November 1 – December 15, 2017 in Illinois. Heading into the fifth open enrollment period, coverage remains available through the Marketplaces, along with premium and cost sharing subsidies to make that coverage more affordable. Coverage is available throughout the year through Medicaid.

### ACA Health Insurance Marketplaces

- **In 2017,** over 314 thousand people were enrolled in Marketplace coverage.
- **End of Open Enrollment:** January 31, 2017
- **February 2017 Effectuated Enrollment:** 314,038

**Over 8 in 10 Marketplace enrollees are receiving subsidies in 2017**

- **Receiving premium subsidies:** 81%
- **Receiving cost sharing subsidies:** 48%

**$364**

Average monthly premium tax credit in 2017

- **Number of Marketplace Insurers in 2017:** 5
- **Number of Marketplace Insurers in 2018:** 4

### Medicaid and the Uninsured

- **Did IL expand Medicaid through the ACA?**
  - **Yes**
  - **No**

- **690,400 adults** in the expansion group in FY 2016

**The uninsured rate in Illinois has decreased.**

- **2016 Uninsured Rate:** 15%
- **2013 Uninsured Rate:** 7%

**Total = 912 thousand Nonelderly Uninsured**

**More than half of uninsured are eligible for coverage with financial assistance**

- **Medicaid/Other Public Eligible:** 370,000
- **Tax Credit Eligible:** 199,000
- **Eligible for Financial Assistance:** 59%
- **Inseligible for Financial Assistance or Coverage:** 125,000

**SOURCE:** Kaiser Family Foundation analysis based on 2017 Medicaid eligibility levels and 2017 Current Population Survey.

### Enrollment Assistance and Outreach

- **Federal funding for Navigator programs in Illinois decreased by 31% from 2016 to 2017**
  - **2016 Federal Navigator Funding:** $2,581,477
  - **2017 Federal Navigator Funding:** $1,792,170

**The federal advertising budget for 2018 Open Enrollment was reduced by 90%**

**Consumers in IL can apply for coverage online at HealthCare.Gov**

- **Or by phone 1-800-318-2596**
- **For free in person assistance visit LIVEUNITEDchicago.org/getcovered**
- **Or call 1-866-445-5364**

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