

# Family Planning Minute – Insurance Affordability (Providers)

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Have you ever wondered how you could help clients with all their healthcare needs? California Family PACT providers have a responsibility to inform their clients on how they can apply for affordable health insurance options through Covered California. It is through here clients may qualify for low- or no-cost insurance through the state's Medi-Cal program, or even qualify for a discount on private insurance. Either option will provide coverage for all their medical needs, not just family planning. So, the next time you're checking to see if a client is eligible for Family PACT, or checking them in for their visit, be sure to talk to them about the options available through Covered California to ensure clients get all the healthcare they need beyond family planning. The best part about it is all Californians can sign up during the annual open enrollment period each fall, or anytime during the year when a life-changing event occurs such as moving, getting married, or having a baby. Medi-Cal enrollment is available all year-round. There's even a checkbox on the client eligibility certification form to remind you. Be sure to visit the Family PACT website at [familypact.org](http://familypact.org) for more information.