



Healthchek

→ **Healthchek is Ohio's Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment (EPSDT) service package.**

These services include a comprehensive health and developmental history to assess physical and mental health, and screenings for potential health problems – including vision, hearing, and dental screenings.

Babies, kids, and young adults younger than age 21 who are covered by Ohio Medicaid can receive Healthchek services.

→ **When to schedule a Healthchek exam:**

Babies: Should have at least 8 Healthchek exams by their first birthday. **Children:** should have Healthchek exams at 15, 18, 24, and 30 months. **After 30 months old until age 21:** one exam per year is recommended.

→ **Where to get Healthchek services:**

Any doctor that accepts Medicaid can provide Healthchek services. Ask your doctor at your next appointment for Healthchek services. Sometimes, a provider may refer a patient to another doctor for specialized care. Some services require prior approval.

→ **Covered by a Managed Care Plan?**

Contact your plan for more information about Healthchek services.

→ **Learn more:**

Get in touch with your county's Healthchek Coordinator - call the Ohio Medicaid Consumer Hotline and ask for the Coordinator's contact information.

Healthchek services keep babies, kids and young adults healthy by finding and treating health problems early.

→ **Prevention services - like these - are very important:**

- » Physicals
- » Hearing, vision, and dental check
- » Nutritional screenings
- » Mental health screenings
- » Developmental screenings
- » Vaccinations (if needed)

→ **Looking for more information? Go Online:**

<http://medicaid.ohio.gov/Healthchek>



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