

This document outlines the proposed work requirements for the IHAWP program. These activities and exemptions are not currently in effect.

Iowa Health and Wellness Plan (IHAWP) Member Work Requirements

The proposed work requirements only affect Iowa Medicaid members covered by the Iowa Health and Wellness Plan (IHAWP), which provides low to no-cost health coverage for Iowans aged 19-64.

Qualifying activities:



Working 100 hours per month (or earnings equal to the state minimum wage

multiplied by 100)



Job skills training



Enrollment in an educational or job skills program



Caregiving services for dependents with disabilities

*Members will need to provide documentation to verify the above activities.

Does not apply to:

- Children
- Caretakers of children under age 6
- Women with a high-risk pregnancy
- People in treatment for a substance use disorder
- People with disability status
- Medicaid for Employed People with Disabilities (MEPD)

- Iowans living in nursing homes
- Iowans on a Home-and Community-Based Services (HCBS) Waiver
- People who are in active treatment for breast or cervical cancer
- Already meeting SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) and FIP (Family Investment Program) work requirements (or are exempted)

For questions about who qualifies for IHAWP, call Member Services toll free at **1-800-338-8366** or email **IMEmember@hhs.iowa.gov**.