DID YOU KNOW?
YOU CAN GET HOUSING ASSISTANCE THROUGH MEDI-CAL!

DO YOU QUALIFY?

You may qualify if you are:

- ✓ A Medi-Cal member who has selected a health plan (like Anthem, Blue Shield, or a local plan) **AND**
- ✓ Staying on the street, in your car, in a shelter OR will lose your housing in the next 30 days **AND**
- ✓ Have a health condition (for example, diabetes, asthma, heart disease, mental health and/or substance use disorder diagnosis, disability, or are pregnant/had a baby in the past 12 months).

WHAT YOU CAN GET

Enhanced Care Management (ECM)

Personal Care Coordinator

- Meets you wherever you are
- Helps you find and get transportation to doctors & treatment
- Assists you with getting ID & documents
- Helps apply for benefits (ex. food stamps)
- Connects you to housing services like Community Supports

Community supports (CS)

Direct Support to Get Housed

- Help to look for/identify housing options, fill out applications, and work with landlords
- Money for housing/utility deposits & help with rent, in some situations
- Help staying housed
- A place to recover after the hospital

What does Medi-Cal consider housing-related services?

- Enhanced Care Management (to help coordinate your health and housing needs)
- Housing Transition Navigation Services (to find, apply for, and secure housing)
- Housing Deposits (security deposits for housing and/or utilities)
- Housing Tenancy and Sustaining Services (support to maintain safe and stable housing)
- Recuperative Care (Medical Respite) (short-term housing to heal after illness or injury)
- Short-Term Post-Hospitalization Housing (housing up to 6-months to continue recovery)
- Transitional Rent (up to 6-months to bridge from homelessness to permanent housing)

HOW TO GET THIS HELP

Already enrolled in Medi-Cal?

- Call **"Member Services"** on the back of your Medi-Cal Member ID Card
- **OR** - look up your health plan on the **DHCS Medi-Cal Managed Health Care Plan Directory**: https://www.dhcs.ca.gov/individuals/Pages/MMCDHealthPlanDir.aspx
- **OR** - ask street outreach, emergency shelter, community clinic, or hospital social worker staff for help. Say: ***"Can you refer me for Enhanced Care Management and Community Supports? I need housing, and I think I may qualify."***

Need to get Medi-Cal first?

- **Apply Online:** Covered California at Coveredca.com or BenefitsCal.com
- **In person**: County Medi-Cal office, community center, or Health Enrollment Navigator. To find your county Medi-Cal Office, visit https://www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/medi-cal/Pages/CountyOffices.aspx
- **By phone:** Dial 211 to connect with local help
- **Ask** your case manager or people helping with your health or housing to help you get Medi-Cal