



### **What is Connect Care Choice?**

Connect Care Choice is a new health care program for adults who have RI Medicaid coverage. It's designed to help you better manage your care, so you can stay healthy and continue to live independently in the community. Connect Care Choice gives you-

- the services you need, with a focus on keeping you well,
- information on covered services and community resources, and
- access to your doctor when you need it.

### **Who is eligible?**

To be eligible for Connect Care Choice, you must:

- have RI Medicaid coverage only (not Medicare),
- be 21 years old or older,
- live in the community (at home, in assisted living, or in a group home).

### **Will any of my services or benefits change if I join Connect Care Choice?**

With Connect Care Choice, you will continue to get all the services currently covered by RI Medicaid. If you are currently receiving long-term care services through a waiver program, enrolling in Connect Care Choice won't affect these services.

### **How does it work?**

If your doctor participates in the Connect Care Choice Program and you decide to enroll, a nurse care manager in your doctor's office will contact you. When you sign up for Connect Care Choice, you will continue to use your white Medicaid card (with the anchor on it) for doctor's appointments, pharmacy, and other services available through RI Medicaid.

### **Which specialists can I use in Connect Care Choice?**

All specialists that accept Medicaid fee-for-service will be available to Connect Care Choice members.

### **Do I still keep my white Medicaid card (with the anchor on it)?**

Yes, be sure to keep this card. Use it when you get medical, pharmacy or other health care services.

### **If I sign up for Connect Care Choice through my doctor's office, can I change my mind later?**

Yes. You may switch from Connect Care Choice to Rhody Health Partners (the health plan choice) for up to 90 days after your start date. After this date, your next opportunity to change programs will be during an Open Enrollment period.

### **Can I stay in Medicaid?**

No. Enrollment in Connect Care Choice or Rhody Health Partners is required.

## What if I have Medicare or other health insurance coverage?

If you have Medicare or other health insurance coverage, please call 784-8877. You will not be eligible to enroll in the Connect Care Choice program.

## Which doctors' offices participate in the Connect Care Choice program?

### Participating Primary Care Physician Practices

| <b>Name</b>   | <b>Locations</b>                       |
|---|--|
| Anchor Medical Associates                                       | Providence, Warwick, Lincoln           |
| Aquidneck Medical Associates                                    | Newport, Portsmouth                    |
| Blackstone Valley Community Health Care                         | Pawtucket, Central Falls               |
| Coastal Medical Inc.  | Providence                             |
| Cranston Comprehensive Community Action Program (CCAP)          | Cranston                               |
| East Bay Community Action Program                               | East Providence, Newport               |
| Hillside Family Medicine  | Pawtucket, Scituate                    |
| The Immunology Clinic at Miriam Hospital Memorial Hospital      | Providence<br>Pawtucket                |
| Center for Primary Care and Prevention                          |  |
| The Miriam Hospital Primary Care Clinic                         | Providence                             |
| Providence Community Health Centers                             | Providence                             |
| Central Health Center   |  |
| Capitol Hill Health Center                                      |  |
| Allen Berry Health Center                                       |  |
| Fox Point Health Center   |  |
| Chafee Health Center  |  |
| Olneyville Health Center  |  |
| Rhode Island Hospital Ambulatory Clinic                         | Providence                             |
| Thundermist Health Center                                       | Woonsocket, West Warwick, South County |
| TriTown Community Action Program (CAP)                          | Johnston                               |
| St. Joseph's Ambulatory Clinic                                  | Providence                             |
| University Medical Group  | Providence, Cranston, Lincoln          |
| Roger Williams Ambulatory Clinic                                | Providence                             |
| University Medicine Foundation-Governor St. Primary Care Center | Providence                             |

## For more information

Please call **Connect Care Choice at (401) 462-6392**