

Utah Medicaid H.R.1 Project Status

December 2025

HR 1 Timeline

2025



July

- Eligibility and enrollment rule moratorium until September 30, 2034 (Sec. 71109)
- Federal payment prohibited, including Planned Parenthood, for a 1-year period (Sec. 71113)
- State-Directed Payment limits (Sec. 71116)
- Provider tax provisions (Sec. 71115)

October

- Rural health fund (Sec. 71401)

2026



October

- Eligibility changes for immigrants (Sec. 71109)
- Expansion FMAP for emergency Medicaid (Sec. 71110)

2027



January

- Community engagement requirements (Sec. 71119)
- More frequent eligibility renewals (Sec. 77107)
- Reduction of retroactive period (Sec. 71112)
- Duplicate enrollment and address verification (Sec. 71103)
- 1115 Budget neutrality (Sec. 71118)
- Disenrolling deceased individuals (Sec. 71104)

2028



January

- Disenrolling deceased providers (Sec. 71105)
- Home equity limit (Sec. 71108)

July

- HCBS waiver option (Sec. 71121)

October

- Cost sharing (Sec. 71120)

2029



October

- Duplicate enrollment, HHS national system (Sec. 71103)
- Erroneous payments (Sec. 71106)

Policy analysis & planning

- **Eligibility provisions**
 - **Progress to date**
 - Completed comprehensive analysis of H.R.1
 - State options & recommendations
 - Gap analysis of Medicaid and SNAP
 - Conversion planning
 - **Next steps**
 - Drafting policy, procedures, system requirements, training and communication materials to include member notices


*CMS guidance is still forthcoming. Will need to adjust as allowed with timeline and determine day 2 items when unable to adjust.

Data integration & system readiness

- **Critical data links in progress:**
 - The team is focused on securing data connections for the community engagement (CE) mandate and address information. These include the following:
 - Connecting to Utah's Higher Education system (USHE)
 - Creating data sharing from DIH Data Warehouse to eREP for medically frail status
 - Connecting to the CCJJ portal for incarcerated individuals
 - Connecting to the National Change of Address (NCOA) database
 - **Initial planning of a CE Navigation dashboard in MyCase**
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Stakeholder engagement & communication

- **Website launched 8/29**
 - Includes FAQs for members & providers, presentation, and timeline
 - Designated email established: dih_obbba@utah.gov
 - [Information](#) on Catastrophic Health Plans
- **ACOs and mental health/substance use authorities**
 - Baseline survey sent out on 10/23
 - Compiling results & establishing strategy/next steps
- **Communication plan** being established with key dates and tasks ensuring a coordinated message to all external partners and members
- **How to follow progress or get involved**
 - Follow updates and progress: [Medicaid.utah.gov/obbba](https://www.Medicaid.utah.gov/obbba)
 - Join the MAC: [Medicaid.utah.gov/mcac](https://www.Medicaid.utah.gov/mcac)
 - Encourage members to join the BAC: [Medicaid.utah.gov/bac](https://www.Medicaid.utah.gov/bac)



Establish
navigation &
supports

Launch
communication
plan

Design, build,
test systems

Key next steps