

Human Services Department Medical Assistance Division State Coverage Insurance (SCI) Waiting List Fact Sheet

On October 1, 2009 the Human Services Department issued a notice that a **waiting list** for individual applicants for the **State Coverage Insurance** (SCI) Program would begin November 2, 2009, and a waiting list for new groups would be effective December 12, 2009.

▶ As of December 31, 2011, there were approximately 35,600 individual applicants on the SCI waiting list and 45 employer groups.

SCI Current Enrollment

- ▶ SCI enrollment as of December 2011 is 40,986.
 - ▶ 63% are childless adults
 - ▶ 84% of total enrollment is below 100% of the Federal Poverty Level
 - ▶ 1,378 employer groups are enrolled

SCI Waiver Status

- ► The Children's Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act (CHIPRA) did not allow childless adults enrolled in SCI to continue to be covered with CHIP funds (Title XXI) after December 31, 2009
- ▶ The Human Services Department submitted a Medicaid waiver to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) on September 30, 2009, in order to provide a seamless transition of the childless adults in SCI to a Medicaid Section 1115 Waiver with Title XIX funding. The waiver was approved with an effective date of January 1, 2010.
- ▶ Parents in SCI were approved to continue coverage on the existing HIFA waiver with CHIP funding through September 30, 2012. HSD plans to submit another request to CMS to extend this waiver through September 30, 2013.