Healthchek Services for Children Younger than Age 21

Healthchek is Ohio's Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) Program. It is a service package for babies, kids, and young adults younger than age 21 who are enrolled on Ohio Medicaid.

The purpose of **Healthchek** is to discover and treat health problems early. If a potential health problem is found, further diagnosis and treatment are covered by Medicaid.

Healthchek covers ten check-ups in the first two years of life and annual check-ups thereafter and offers a comprehensive physical examination that includes:

- medical history
- complete unclothed exam (with parent approval)
- developmental screening (to assess if child's physical and mental abilities are age appropriate)
- vision screening
- dental screening
- hearing assessment
- immunization assessment (making sure child receives them on time)
- <u>lead screening</u>; and
- other services or screenings as needed

If your children are enrolled on Ohio Medicaid, **Healthchek** services are available to them. If you are younger than age 21 and are also enrolled, you can receive **Healthchek** services, too.

If you still have questions about Healthchek, send a note through the <u>Healthchek Questions</u> form.