

# LEGAL SERVICES CAN HELP YOU GET THE CARE YOU NEED

Central Jersey Legal Services Health Care Access Project provides legal assistance to expand access to health care for residents of Central New Jersey.

If you have problems with your health insurance, or need help to find coverage for your health care needs, Central Jersey Legal Services can help. We can assist with questions and concerns about health coverage programs such as:

- Medicaid
- Medicare
- NJ FamilyCare
- PAAD
- Charity Care
- Private Insurance

Central Jersey Legal Services is a law firm that provides free representation in civil cases to financially eligible people who live in Mercer, Middlesex & Union Counties.

A CJS attorney or paralegal can help you understand your legal rights and explain what actions you can take to solve your health care problems.



Call or visit one of our offices to find out more about how we may be able to help.

**These are some examples of the types of cases the Health Care Access Project can help you with.**

## Eligibility for Health Insurance Programs

CJS can explain what options are available for you to obtain health care coverage. We can help you understand the requirements for health coverage programs and help you to apply. If your application for health coverage is denied and you think the denial is in error, CJS may be able assist you to appeal.

## Prescription Medications

Our staff can help with questions or issues with Medicare Part D Prescription Drug Plans and programs that cover some Part D co-payments. We can give you information about other programs to help with prescription medicines, and we can help if you have problems getting the prescription medication you need.

## Termination of Benefits

If your health benefits are terminated or suspended, we can evaluate the reasons for the termination or suspension and give you advice about what to do to restore your coverage.

## Reduction in Care or Refusal of Service

If your health care coverage denies a benefit under your health plan or reduces your coverage, we may be able to help you appeal. We may also be able to help if you have trouble finding a medical provider who will perform a needed service and accept your insurance.

## Medical Bills

CJS may be able to help if you receive bills for health care that you think your insurance program should cover.

## Access to Medical Records

If you need to see different medical providers and have trouble getting copies of your medical records, we may be able to help.

# Other Ways We Can Help

Central Jersey Legal Services provides legal help to support families, preserve homes and maintain economic stability for our clients. We can assist you with many types of legal problems, in addition to our Health Care Access Program.

**CJS can help you with these and other types of legal problems:**



## FAMILY

Divorce, child custody, support, domestic violence, family reunification, and DYFS actions.



## HOUSING & WELFARE

Housing discrimination, eviction, rent collection, other landlord-tenant disputes, Section 8 and public housing problems, TANF, GA, Food Stamps, HEAP, Medicaid/Medicare, unemployment, State disability, and welfare issues.



## CONSUMER

Bankruptcy, credit access, foreclosure, medical bill collections, utility billing/shut offs, and unfair sales practices.



## SENIOR & DISABILITY

Wills, guardianships, advance directives, SSI/SSD denial, termination or overpayment, nursing home issues, and institutional/residential mental health issues.



If you need legal advice and cannot afford a private attorney, call the Central Jersey Legal Services office in your County for assistance.



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**Health Care**

**Access Project**



**Central Jersey Legal Services' Health Care Access Project provides legal assistance to help low-income individuals and families access the health care they need.**



**Central Jersey Legal Services, Inc.**

Serving the civil legal needs of low income residents of Central New Jersey

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