

# AHEAD Primary Care Programs Application Process

May 2026



# Today's Presenters

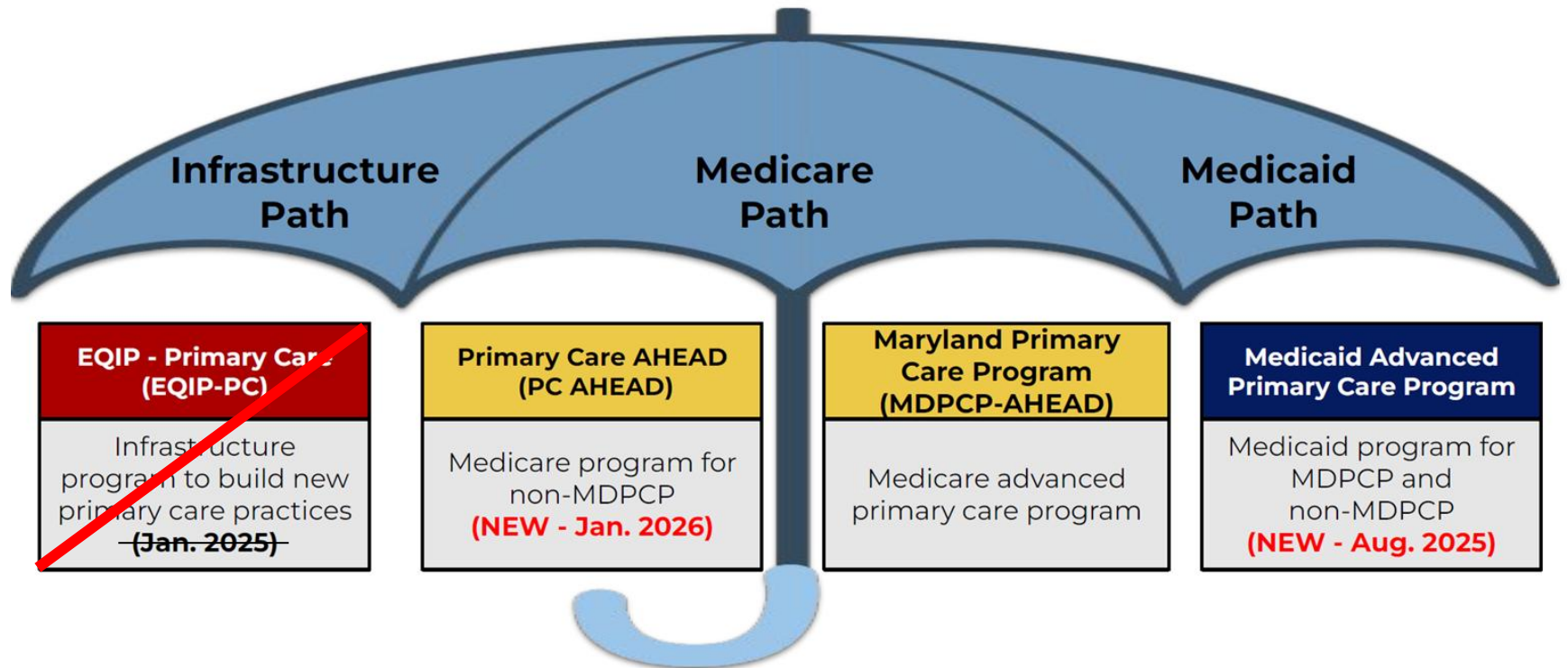


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### **Application for PY2027**

This application is for...

- Practices interested in applying for the Medicaid Advanced Primary Care Program and if applicable, MDPCP-AHEAD and PC AHEAD.
- Current Medicaid Advanced Primary Care Program participants interested in applying for MDPCP-AHEAD or PC AHEAD.
- Practice organizations currently in the Medicaid Advanced Primary Care Program and either MDPCP-AHEAD or PC AHEAD, but want to apply for the other Medicare program.

*Please note that current MDPCP-AHEAD participants must participate in the Medicaid Advanced Primary Care Program for PY 2027, but do not need to apply via this form.*

# Practice Eligibility Requirements

## Medicaid Advanced Primary Care Program

- **Have a minimum of 250 assigned HealthChoice members across all MCOs**
- Have an EHR
- Be able to report eQMs
- Be connected to CRISP or willing to get connected to CRISP before the end of 2026

### **GATEWAY PATH:**

Must meet these eligibility requirements to apply for MDPCP-AHEAD or PC AHEAD

## MDPCP-AHEAD

- Primary care providers that are simultaneously participating in the Medicaid Advanced Primary Care Program
- **A minimum of 125 attributed Medicare beneficiaries.**
- Meet minimum Care Transformation Requirement vetting

## PC AHEAD

- Primary care providers that are simultaneously participating in the Medicaid Advanced Primary Care Program.
- **No attribution requirement**

# Application Webinars

## **AHEAD Primary Care Application Open Office Hour**

**Tuesday, May 5 | 12:00-1:00 p.m.**

Drop by during the hour to pose any program or application questions to the Office of Advanced Primary Care

[Register Here](#)

## **AHEAD Primary Care Application Recorded Walkthrough**

*Pre-recorded*

Watch a brief of the application to help you prepare the required information

[View Recorded Walkthrough](#)

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**by 5:00 PM**

**APPLICATION DEADLINE**

# Maryland's AHEAD Primary Care Programs

The application is for practices interested in enrolling in the Medicaid Advanced Primary Care Program, **MDPCP-AHEAD**, and PC AHEAD.

Applications are due by **Friday, May 22nd at 5PM**

We recognize this is a fast turnaround and are committed to making the process as efficient as possible. Contact us at [cto@medchi.org](mailto:cto@medchi.org).

**[CLICK TO APPLY NOW](#) →**

## Next Steps

- **REVIEW** Program Eligibility Requirements  
*(in this presentation)*
- **WATCH** the [recorded walkthrough](#) of the application to prepared for the application questions
- **CONNECT** with MedChi by emailing [cto@medchi.org](mailto:cto@medchi.org) to begin your application ahead of the **May 22<sup>nd</sup> deadline!**





# Any questions?

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