

Dependent Eligibility Verification Checklist

California Department of Human Resources State of California

Completion of this form is required when adding dependents to health, dental, or premier vision benefits, and recertifying dependents for continued enrollment.

By completing this form, employees are certifying that the information submitted is true and accurate and departmental human resources (HR) representatives are certifying that they have received and reviewed supporting documents to verify an employee's dependent eligibility.

Employee:	Department	Department:	
Dependent Na	me	Dependent Type	

Section I Required Forms and Acceptable Documents to Determine Dependent Eligibility

Spouse/Registered Domestic Partner		
Required Enrollment Forms ¹	Acceptable Document(s) to Verify Eligibility for Initial Enrollment and Health and Dental Benefit Triennial Re-verification	
Health: ☐ Health Benefit Plan Enrollment Form (HBD-12)	□ Copy of the official government issued Marriage Certificate or Declaration of Domestic Partnership* AND**	
Dental: ☐ Dental Plan Enrollment Authorization (STD. 692) Premier Vision: ☐ Premier Vision Plan Enrollment Authorization (CalHR 774)	 □ Copy of the first page of the employee's income tax return from the previous tax year listing the employee and the spouse or domestic partner, OR □ Copies of a combination of other documents, including but not limited to, a household bill, account statement, or insurance policy listing the name and address of the employee and the spouse or domestic partner, or other documents substantiating a current marriage or domestic partnership. Other documents that are older than 60 calendar days are unacceptable. *Departmental HR offices may waive the government issued Marriage Certificate or Declaration of Domestic Partnership in the employee's second and subsequent triennial re-verifications if the document is in the employee's Official Personnel File (OPF). **In the initial enrollment, the additional documents are not required if the marriage or domestic partnership occurred within the last six months. 	

¹ Unless otherwise requested by the HR office, these enrollment forms are only required when adding or deleting dependents from a plan.

Children* up to age 26 (month in which child turns age 26) *Natural, adopted, placement for adoption, step, or registered domestic partner's children			
Required Enrollment Forms ¹	Acceptable Document(s) to Verify Eligibility for Initial Enrollment and Health and Dental Benefit Triennial Re-verification		
Health: ☐ Health Benefit Plan Enrollment Form	A copy of the following documents that name the employee, spouse, or domestic partner as the child's parent or guardian:		
(HBD-12)	☐ Birth Certificate** (Birth certificate for newborns is due at the time of enrollment or 60 days after the effective date. Until the birth certificate		
Dental: ☐ Dental Plan Enrollment Authorization (STD. 692)	is available, the employee must provide an official hospital birth record of the child.)		
Premier Vision:	☐ Adoption Certificate**		
☐ Premier Vision Plan Enrollment Authorization (CalHR 774)	□ Court Order		
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Disabled Children Age 26 and Over			
Required Enrollment Forms ¹	Required Documents to Certify Initial Enrollment Eligibility and to Recertify Continued Enrollment Eligibility		
Health: Health Benefit Plan Enrollment Form (HBD-12)	☐ Member Questionnaire for Disabled Dependent (HBD-98) AND		
Dental: ☐ Dental Plan Enrollment Authorization (STD. 692)	☐ Medical Report for Disabled Dependent (HBD-34)		
Premier Vision: ☐ Premier Vision Plan Enrollment Authorization (CalHR 774)			
¹ Unless otherwise requested by the HR office, these enrollment forms are only required when adding or deleting dependents from a plan.	*The initial certification must occur within 60 days before and ending 60 days after the child's 26 th birthday (employee and child currently enrolled), or within 60 days of a newly eligible employee's initial health enrollment.		

Dependent in Parent-Child Relationship (PCR)			
Required Enrollment Forms	Acceptable Document(s) to Verify Eligibility		
Health: Health Benefit Plan Enrollment Form (HBD-12)	To ENROLL PCR dependent(s) under age 19 ☐ Copy of first page of employee's income tax return from previous tax year listing child as a tax dependent, OR		
 □ Affidavit of Parent-Child Relationship (HBD-40) □ Dental: □ Dental Plan Enrollment Authorization (STD. 692) 	□ Copies of other documents substantiating the child's financial dependence on employee, including, but not limited to: current legal judgments/court documents showing the employee's legal parental status or duties/guardianship over the child; bank, credit card, tuition or insurance statements/payments; school records; bills or mail indicating common residency with the dependent.		
☐ Affidavit of Parent-Child Relationship (CalHR 025)	 These other documents are only acceptable in lieu of a tax return for a time not to exceed one tax filing year for PCR dependents under age 19. 		
Premier Vision: Premier Vision Plan Enrollment Authorization (CalHR 774)	 To ENROLL PCR dependent(s) age 19 to 26 □ Copy of first page of employee's income tax return from previous tax year listing child as a tax dependent, OR □ Copies of other documents, as listed above, substantiating the child's financial dependence on employee, provided that the child: Lives with employee for more than 50 percent of time, or is a full-time student, AND Is dependent on employee for more than 50 percent of the child's support. 		

Annual Recertification of PCR Dependent Follow recertification instructions in CalPERS Circular Letter #600-008-15			
Required Recertification Forms	Acceptable Document(s) to Recertify Eligibility		
To recertify continued enrollment for health, dental, and premier vision (if applicable) benefits:	To RECERTIFY PCR dependent(s) under age 19 ☐ Copy of first page of employee's income tax return from previous tax year listing child as a tax dependent		
☐ Affidavit of Parent-Child Relationship (HBD-40)	To RECERTIFY PCR dependent(s) age 19 to 26 □ Copy of first page of employee's income tax return from previous tax year listing child as a tax dependent, OR		
To recertify continued enrollment for dental and premier vision (if applicable) benefits: Affidavit of Parent-Child Relationship (CalHR 025)	 Copies of other documents, as listed for initial PCR dependent enrollment, substantiating the child's financial dependence on employee, provided that the child: Lives with employee for more than 50 percent of time, or is a full-time student, AND Is dependent on employee for more than 50 percent of the child's support. 		

Section II Employee Acknowledgement of Obligations

Employee must initial all sections, cei	titying under penalty of perjury that:				
All of the above information pro	ovided by me is true and correct to the be	est of my knowledge.			
I provided the required documents to substantiate the relationship of my enrolled dependent(s).					
I understand that additional information and supporting documents may be requested, as necessary, substantiate dependent eligibility for health, dental, and/or vision benefits.					
	ntal HR office in writing, within 60 days, uhip, when a parent-child relationship end occurs.				
material representation, or k	r causing to be made, any knowingly nowingly failing to disclose a materianation with the intent to use it, may relation of employment.	al fact (e.g., divorce), or to			
and the CalPERS system for e	to reimburse my employer, the health, dexpenditures made for medical claims, pattorney's fees on behalf of any family materials to be inaccurate or fraudulent.	rocessing fees,			
lagree that a review of eligibilit	y can occur at any time.				
Employee Signature		Date			
Certif	Section III Fication by Human Resources Staff				
HR Representative must initial all sec	tions, certifying under penalty of perjury	that:			
I am a duly appointed and qua	lified representative of the department s	tated on Page 1.			
I reviewed the employee's hea documents to verify the eligibil	alth, dental, and/or vision enrollment form ity of the dependent(s).	n(s) and supporting			
	quirement to notify their employer in writi mestic partnership, when a parent-child ity occurs.				
vision benefit plan, and the Ca fees, administrative expenses	may be required to reimburse their emp IPERS system for expenditures made for and attorney's fees on behalf of any far to be inaccurate or fraudulent, and that	or medical claims, processing nily member, if any of the			
	I retained copies of the employee's health, dental, and/or vision enrollment form(s) and all supporting dependent eligibility verification documents in the employee's Official Personnel File.				
I will provide a copy of this cor	npleted and signed Checklist to the emp	loyee.			
Based on the information prov dependent(s).	ided and review of the documentation, I	approve enrolling the			
HR Representative Name/Title	HR Representative Signature	Date			

Privacy Notice

This notice is provided pursuant to the Information Practices Act of 1977.

The information on this form is requested pursuant to Government Code sections 1151 and 1153, Internal Revenue Code sections 6011 and 6051, Code of Federal Regulations section 404.1256, and the Social Security Act, title II, section 218.

The information collected will be used and maintained by State of California agencies and departments for administering health, dental, and vision benefits.

The submission of all information requested is mandatory unless otherwise noted. If you fail to provide the information requested, your appointing authority (state agencies and departments) will not be able to verify your dependent eligibility. Individuals should not provide personal information that is not requested or required on this form.

Disclosure and Sharing

The privacy of your personal information is important to us. State agencies and departments will not share your personal information without your permission or consent, but may share them under the following circumstances:

- 1. Other state agencies require the information to administer and process your eligibility verification, and/or make requested changes to an existing enrollment.
- 2. You give us permission and we have your consent.
- 3. We may release information to a party with legal authority, such as a subpoena.

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The information collected on this form is subject to the limitations in the Information Practices Act of 1977 and state policy. For more information on how we care for your personal information, please read the Privacy Policy of the state agency or department in your request.

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Access to Your Information

We want to ensure we have accurate information about you. In general, you have the right to review your personal information that we have. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the human resources office of the state agency or department in your request.