

HEALTHCARE RESOURCES

New York State-Wide

For help finding low-cost care or coverage, call Community Health Advocates toll-free at:
888-614-5400 or go to: www.communityhealthadvocates.org

COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER LOCATORS:

- [HRSA's Federally Qualified Health Center Locator \(EQHC\)](#)
- [New York State specific "Find a Health Center"](#)
- Health centers are local clinics that can treat your medical, dental, and other health care needs. They are community-based and led in part by patients at the health center. Health centers adjust their fees based on income and family size. Even if you don't have insurance or can't afford to pay, you will not be turned away.

FREE OR LOW-COST MEDICAL CLINIC LOCATORS:

- [National Association of Free & Charitable Clinics \(NAFC\) Healthcare Services Locator](#)
- [NYS Local Health Departments](#)
- [NYS Family Planning Program Sites](#)

HOSPITAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE:

- [Patient's Financial Aid Law \(FAL\)](#)
 - Eligible New Yorkers can apply for financial assistance when seeking hospital care. The following individuals are eligible:
 - Low-income individuals without health insurance; or
 - underinsured individuals (out-of-pocket medical costs accumulated in the past twelve months that amount to more than ten percent of such individual's gross annual income); or
 - those who have exhausted their health insurance benefits, and who can demonstrate an inability to pay full charges; or
 - at the hospital's discretion, individuals who can demonstrate an inability to pay their co-pay and/or deductible can request a reduced or discounted payment.
 - Visit the [website](#) to learn more

NEW YORK STATE VACCINES FOR ADULTS PROGRAM

- The New York State Vaccines for Adults (VFA) Program provides vaccines at no cost to eligible adults.
- The vaccines are distributed to health care facilities that are enrolled as VFA providers.
- Many health care facilities participate in the VFA, please visit their [website](#) to learn more.

NEW YORK STATE VACCINES FOR CHILDREN PROGRAM

- The New York State Vaccines for Children (NYS VFC) Program is a federally-funded program that provides vaccines at no cost.
- The vaccines are distributed to private physicians' offices and public health clinics enrolled as VFC providers.
- Many health care facilities participate in the VFC, please visit their [website](#) to learn more.

NYSDOH UNINSURED CARE PROGRAMS

- The programs provide access to free health care (Drugs, Outpatient Primary Care, Home Care, Insurance Premium Payments, and Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis to prevent HIV infection) for New York State residents who are living with or at risk of acquiring HIV/AIDS and are uninsured or underinsured.
- Please visit their [website](#) to learn more.