

# THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT

YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR HEALTH INSURANCE.

# YES, YOU!

ARE YOU  
A FORMER FOSTER  
CARE YOUTH?

DID YOU LEAVE  
CARE ON  
OR AFTER YOUR  
18TH BIRTHDAY?

ARE YOU  
UNDER THE AGE  
OF 26 YEARS  
OLD?

## UNDER THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT:

- Any youth in the foster care system any time on or after their 18th birthday (from ANY state) may qualify to receive healthcare benefits beginning January 1, 2014 in Pennsylvania.
- Coverage may last until age 26.
- You can apply now!

## WHAT SHOULD I DO NEXT?

- APPLY!
- If you are still involved with children and youth services, ask your caseworker! You may have been automatically signed up, but asking does not hurt.
- Spread the word to your friends! They may not know. Now you do! Help them out!

## GOOD, SIGN ME UP!

- Apply online through COMPASS: [www.compass.state.pa.us](http://www.compass.state.pa.us)
- Call the PA Consumer Service Center at 1-866-550-4355 to apply or ask questions.
- You can find additional information on [www.healthcare.gov](http://www.healthcare.gov) and [www.dhs.pa.gov](http://www.dhs.pa.gov)

