The Insure Oklahoma Employer Sponsored Insurance program is designed to assist small business owners, employees and their dependents with health insurance premiums. Find out more information by visiting www.insureoklahoma.org.
Employer Sponsored Insurance (ESI)

Fast Facts

August 2023

November-05 Oklahoma implemented Insure Oklahoma Employer Sponsored Insurance (ESI), the premium assistance for health insurance coverage targeting some 50,000 low-wage working adults in Oklahoma.

January-07 Insure Oklahoma implements the Individual Plan (IP) to assist sole proprietors (self employed), certain unemployed individuals, and working individuals who do not have access to small group health coverage.

November-07 Increased Insure Oklahoma ESI qualifying income guidelines from 185 to 200 percent of the federal poverty level. ESI available to businesses with 25 to 50 employees.

March-09 Expanded IP to offer coverage for full-time Oklahoma college students within qualifying income guidelines age 19 through 22. ESI available to businesses with 50 to 99 employees.

August-10 Expanded ESI to offer coverage for dependent children of Insure Oklahoma members that are between 186 to 200 percent of the federal poverty level.

September-10 Expanded IP to offer coverage for dependent children of Insure Oklahoma members that are between 186 to 200 percent of the federal poverty level.

January-14 Decreased Insure Oklahoma IP qualifying income guidelines from 200 to 100 percent of the federal poverty level.

September-15 ESI now available to any small business with up to 250 employees.

March-16 Insure Oklahoma moves to online enrollment.

March-17 Enrollment begins for Not-for-Profit Businesses with more than 250 employees.

August-18 Insure Oklahoma funding extended for 5 year period. (Aug 2018 - Dec 2023)

May-21 Insure Oklahoma individual plan phase out begins

July-21 Insure Oklahoma Individual Plan (IP) and portions of the Employer Sponsored Insurance (ESI) members move to the Healthy Adult Plan.