

Why Does Medicaid Matter?



Because of Medicaid, my adult son Jeff, has a steady job he loves as a courtesy clerk at Safeway. Without the support of his job coach and agency, he would not have been able to hold on to this job since he deals with a great deal of anxiety and is not always appropriate in social settings. Because of his employment agency, funded by Medicaid, he has worked for over five years in this job.

Additionally, Jeff depends on Medicaid Personal Care for day to day supports. He needs help with cooking, grocery shopping, cleaning and other activities of daily living. He also needs support during his many times of stress and anxiety, as well as help in finding those who can help him (therapists, psychiatric care providers, etc.) and scheduling appointments with them. If he lost MPC, we are concerned for his daily well-being, especially once we, his parents, can no longer help with his care.

Legislative District #18, Congressional District #3

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