

5 THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT

Medi-Cal Expansion For Undocumented Children



- ① California leaders have expanded full-scope Medi-Cal to cover all lower-income children under 19 years old, regardless of immigration status. The expansion will become active no earlier than **May 2016**.
- ② Families should enroll their children NOW in restricted-scope Medi-Cal, also known as "emergency" Medi-Cal, in order to transition to full scope Medi-Cal as soon as the program is expanded.
- ③ You don't have to have an emergency to enroll and the information you share is strictly confidential.
- ④ Full-scope Medi-Cal means access to FREE or low cost preventive services – like annual check-ups – and peace of mind for California families.
- ⑤ Families can enroll their children through their local county human services office or a local clinic. Get help finding a clinic at www.localclinic.net or by calling toll-free **1-855-899-PLUS**.