

Group Information from Membership Accounting

s Open Enrollment is:

When can you add an employee?

- New hire New hires must meet the probationary period you have set for your group. Example: Probationary period is 1st of the month following date of hire (e.g., full-time employees hired 1/15 would have an effective date of 2/1).
- Open Enrollment Once a year at renewal, you can enroll employees and dependents who had previously declined coverage.
- Loss of coverage Remember to include a copy of the Prior Coverage Certificate with the enrollment form when submitting an application due to loss of coverage.

When can you add a dependent?

Dependents may be added at Open Enrollment or when there is a qualifying event.

What is a qualifying event?

- Newborn
- Marriage
- Court order dependent
- Adoption/Placement for adoption/Foster care
- Loss of coverage

All applications for adding new dependents due to a qualifying event must be signed by the subscriber and received by Health Net within 60 days of that event.

Most common reasons an application is delayed

- Missing date of hire
- Missing date of birth
- Missing signature
- Employee signed both acceptance and declination sections

Cancellations

Cancellation requests for employees and/or dependents must be received within 30 days of effective date (e.g., for an employer to cancel an employee effective 4/1, the request must be received by Health Net no later than 4/30).

Billing or eligibility questions?

Please call Membership Accounting at **800-224-8808**, **option 2**, or fax **916-935-4420**.

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