

COVID-19—Facts on Special Enrollment Periods Under ACA

Special Enrollment Period for Loss of Health Insurance

FACT: If you lose your health insurance **because you have lost your job**, you are entitled to a special enrollment period to get an Affordable Care Act (ACA) plan.

FACT: Two carriers are currently offering ACA individual health insurance plans in Nebraska: Bright Health and Medica.

Other Options Available

FACT: There are other options available to explore before making your decision. Two other options are:

- ⇒ Signing up for continuation of coverage if your employer had more than twenty employees (COBRA); or
- ⇒ Signing up for continuation of coverage if your employer had less than twenty employees **AND** you were “involuntarily terminated” for reasons other than misconduct (mini-COBRA).

To find out more about your Federal Marketplace, COBRA, and mini-COBRA options, click [**here**](#).

Additional Information

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