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**Why Won't My Card Work**

Why won’t my card work? A tax expert says this will be a common question on the government’s Obamacare exchange. There’s no family coverage. Everyone has their own plan. This means the baby could be in the government’s CHIP program. Older children could be on Medicaid. Mom could get coverage with a federal premium subsidy and Dad could get employer-subsidized exchange coverage.

But if mom becomes pregnant she may be switched to Medicaid. Or if dad loses his job, both could be switched to Medicaid. A family could “go through 9 insurance cards in 6 months,” the expert says. Exchange enrollees must report every change in family and work status to the government, which could mean their old card no longer works.

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