

Supporting Document Requirements for Enrolling Eligible Dependents:

SPOUSE:

- A copy of your marriage certificate, **AND**
- A document dated within the last 60 days showing your current relationship status, such as a recurring household bill or statement account or the first page of your latest tax filing. The document must list your name, your spouse's name, the date and your mailing address.
- **Social Security number will be required when adding this dependent.**

REGISTERED DOMESTIC PARTNER:

- A copy of your Declaration of Domestic Partnership registered with the California Secretary of State, **AND**
- A document dated within the last 60 days showing your current relationship status, such as a recurring household bill or statement account. The document must list your name, your partner's name, the date and your mailing address.
- **Social Security number will be required when adding this dependent.**

CHILDREN up to age 26*:

- A child is defined as a natural or adopted child, or a step-child, including a child of a domestic partner.
- A copy of the child's birth certificate or adoption certificate naming you, your spouse or your domestic partner as the child's parent **OR**
- A copy of the court order naming you, your spouse or domestic partner as the child's legal guardian.
- **Social Security number will be required when adding this dependent.**

CHILDREN up to age 26 where you assume the role of primary care parent:

- An Affidavit of Parent-Child Relationship, **AND**
- A copy of the front page of your most recent federal or state tax return confirming this child is your dependent, **OR**
- A copy of the court order naming you as the child's legal guardian, **OR** your current mailing address, if applicable.
- **Social Security number will be required when adding this dependent.**

*For a stepchild, you must also provide documentation of your current relationship to your spouse or domestic partner as requested above.

Split Enrollments:

Members who are married or in a registered domestic partnership that both work for agencies in the CalPERS Health Program can enroll separately. If you and your spouse or domestic partner enroll separately, you must enroll all eligible family members, regardless of the relationship, under one parent. Dependents cannot be split between parents.

Dual Coverage

You cannot be enrolled in a CalPERS health plan as a member and a dependent or a dependent on two enrollments. This is called dual coverage and is unlawful. When dual coverage is discovered, the coverage will retroactively be canceled. You will be subject to pay for all costs incurred from the date the dual coverage began.