### FOR OUR MEDICAID PATIENTS:

# Virginia Dentists Want you to Keep Your Health Coverage



## HOW MEDICAID "REDETERMINATION" MAY IMPACT YOUR COVERAGE

This spring, Medicaid returned to its regular renewal process. Because of pandemic-related policies over the last three years, all Virginians kept their Medicaid health coverage without redetermination. States are now beginning to recertify people's eligibility for Medicaid.

### **HOW YOU CAN PREPARE**

Make sure the state has your current mailing address and phone number.

There are two ways to update your contact information:

- Call the state's Medicaid agency, Cover Virginia, at 1-855-242-8282
- Online at commonhelp.virginia.gov

### RESPOND QUICKLY

Virginia Medicaid covers more than two million people in the Commonwealth. Evaluating Medicaid will take some time and is happening throughout the year.

Note: Everyone will be reviewed and the information must be returned to keep your coverage

- When the state reaches out with Medicaid coverage updates, respond quickly.
- Mail the completed documents to the address listed on the form or checklist by the due date.
- Cover Virginia will send you a prepaid return envelope, or you can turn in the form/documents by fax or in person at your local Department of Social Services.

Medicaid coverage provides you access to essential health services including dental care.

If it is determined that you are no longer eligible for Medicaid, other resources are available.

# WITH OR WITHOUT MEDICAID COVERAGE, DENTAL CARE IS AVAILABLE IN VIRGINIA



Oral health is integral to overall health. The Virginia Dental Association and its members are committed to ensuring people have access to quality oral healthcare. Learn more about low and free cost dental services, including Donated Dental Services and Mission of Mercy projects through the VDA Foundation.

More details are at vdaf.org.