

HB 1251 -- Notice of Eligibility for the State Children's Health Insurance Program

Sponsor: Sater

Beginning January 1, 2010, this bill requires the reporting of health insurance information on Missouri income tax returns for dependent children claimed. If any child doesn't have health care coverage and the taxpayer's household income doesn't exceed 150% of the federal poverty guidelines, the Department of Revenue must provide notice of eligibility for the State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) and provide enrollment information as developed by the Department of Social Services to the taxpayer.