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City and UW-Milwaukee to Provide Health Insurance Marketplace Enrollment Assistance

City of Milwaukee Health Department and University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee to offer health insurance enrollment information and support before March 31 deadline

MILWAUKEE – On Wednesday, March 26, the City of Milwaukee Health Department (MHD) and University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (UW-M) will continue to offer area residents insurance enrollment assistance by providing in-person information and support from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the UW-M Student Union (2200 E. Kenwood Blvd). This event is open to students as well as the general public.

"As of Wednesday, there are just five days left to access affordable health care coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplace before the March 31 deadline," said Mayor Tom Barrett. "I urge anyone with questions about their options or who need assistance enrolling to get help from our trained certified application counselors."

Along with daily assistance at the City's three health center locations, the MHD continues its joint effort with the Milwaukee Public Library to offer computer enrollment assistance each Wednesday from 3 to 5:30 p.m. at the Central Library Computer Room (814 W. Wisconsin Ave.).

"Thanks to the collaborative work of the Milwaukee Enrollment Network and great partners like the Milwaukee Public Library and the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, informational and enrollment events continue through these final days of Health Insurance Marketplace Enrollment," said Commissioner of Health Bevan K. Baker.

For a list of the final enrollment events visit www.milwaukee.gov/health or the Milwaukee Enrollment Network at www.mkehcp.org. On Twitter, you can also follow #EnrollMKE for updates on local events and information geared toward assisting with health care enrollment.

Individuals with questions regarding the Health Insurance Marketplace or assistance with enrollment are encouraged to visit www.healthcare.gov or call (800) 318-2596. For help finding enrollment assistance locally, area residents are encouraged to dial 2-1-1.

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