

# BACK TO SCHOOL 2004



*Missouri's  
Health Insurance  
for Families*

## Give Your Kids a Healthy Start in School

Thousands of Missouri children under age 19 qualify for MC+ but their parents have not applied. Most uninsured children are eligible. Even some insured kids can get MC+, Missouri's health insurance for families.

Kids with no insurance are less likely to see a doctor for common illnesses such as ear infections and asthma. Vision or hearing problems also may go untreated. These problems can slow your child's progress in school.

### **MC+ covers your kids for:**

- ◆ Regular checkups, shots & sports physicals
- ◆ Doctor, hospital and emergency room visits
- ◆ Vision, dental and mental health care
- ◆ Prescriptions, lab tests & X-rays
- ◆ Much more!

**MC+ is no-cost or low-cost for most families.** Based on your family income, your child will be in one of three groups: ◆ No-Cost group ◆ Co-Pay group ◆ Monthly Premium group.

**Protect your children's health and future.**



**Call 1-877-KIDS-NOW Toll Free**  
**(1-877-543-7669)**

Or log on to [www.dss.mo.gov/mcplus](http://www.dss.mo.gov/mcplus)

Check out MC+ programs for parents and pregnant women too!

**Don't put it off ... school sports or playground activities may mean that tomorrow is the day you need MC+ Health Insurance the most!**