# How to Enroll in Benefits Manual: New Hire / Rehire

**Welcome!** Thank you for using SFHSS' Self-Service system to enroll in your benefits. As a new hire, you must enroll in benefits within <u>30 calendar days</u> from your date of hire. If you do not enroll, it may result in no coverage for yourself and any dependents. You can only change your benefit choices during Open Enrollment or if you have a qualified life event change. This includes marriage, domestic partnership, a newborn or newly adopted child, as well as divorce or dissolution of domestic partnership.

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#### **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### What documents do I need?

If you will be adding or disenrolling a dependent to your existing plans, you will need to have your required documentation ready for upload. You will not be able to complete your online enrollment without uploading your documentation.

- Certified Marriage Certificate
- Domestic Partner Certification
- Birth Certificate
- Adoption Certificate
- A Social Security card must be provided for each new enrolled dependent
- Court Orders for Divorce, Separation, Annulment, Dissolution of Domestic Partnership
- Proof of coverage loss
- Proof of coverage gain
- Death Certificate

#### Who do I contact for additional benefits questions?

For additional questions about health benefits eligibility or making health benefit changes, visit **SFHSS.org** or call **(628) 652-4700**. Our telephone hours are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

#### Who do I contact for issues logging in to the Employee Portal?

If you are unable to log into the SF Portal or SF MyHub, please contact the **City and County of San Francisco's Department of Technology Help Desk at (628) 652-5000**, between the hours of 7:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday to Friday.

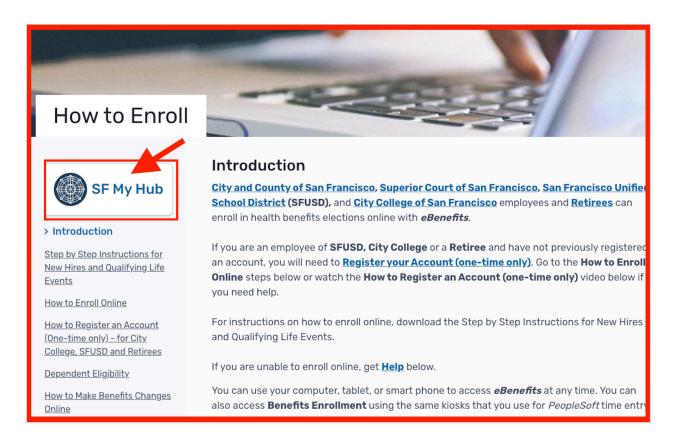
# What are the different relationship types when adding dependents to your health benefits?

When adding dependents, not all relationship types are benefit-eligible. These other relationships may be used for emergency contacts, for example. To ensure your dependent is eligible for coverage, refer to the table below.

Relationship Types	When to Use	Supporting Documentation Needed
Child	Biological or Adopted Children.	Birth/Adoption Certificate. Birth Verification is also accepted temporarily, but the Birth Certificate is still required to be submitted within 6 months.
Domestic Partner Adult	Domestic Partner.	Domestic Partnership Certificate.
Domestic Partner Child	Child of Domestic Partner.  Birth Certificate & Domestic Partners Certificate.	
Other Child - Legal	Dependents from court ordered coverage/ guardianship, etc	Court Order.
Other IRS - Non Dep Adult	Domestic Partner Certificate, Annual Attestation from SFHSS, and Tax Return.	Domestic Partner Certificate & Annual Attestation from SFHSS.
Other IRS - Non Dep Child	Birth Certificate, Domestic Partner Certificate, Annual Attestation from SFHSS, and Tax Return.	Birth Certificate, Domestic Partner Certificate & complete and return Annual Domestic Partnership Attestation that will be sent from SFHSS.
Spouses	Marriage License / Certificate.	Filed copy of a Federal Income Tax Return for spouses married for more than 18 months.  Members are required to file married filing jointly/separately, to establish a continuous spousal relationship.  Spouses married for less than 18 months will be requested to provide their filed copy of a Federal Income Tax Return (married filing jointly/ separately)

#### Login

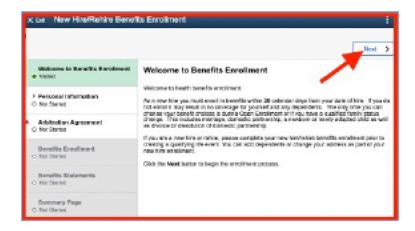
- 1. Go to: <a href="https://sfhss.org/how-to-enroll">https://sfhss.org/how-to-enroll</a>
- 2. Click on the **SF My Hub** tile on the top left of the window.



- 3. Enter your DSW (Employee ID) and password.
- 4. Complete the security verification.
- 5. You will see your dashboard with different tiles.



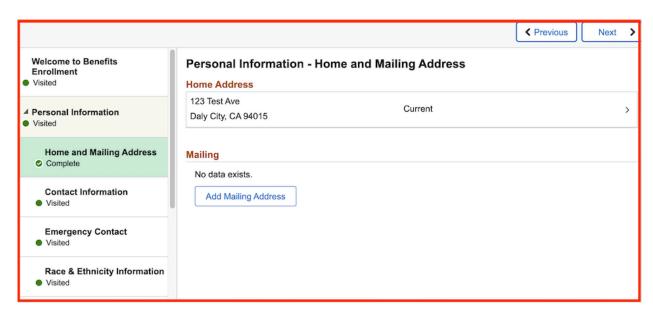
6. Click on Hire/Rehire Benefit Enrollment tile.



7. Read the message and click on **Next**.

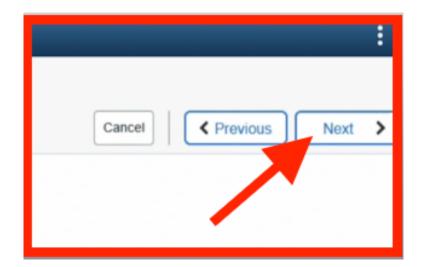
### **Complete Your Personal Information**

Complete your personal information, such as your **Home and Mailing Addresses, Contact Information, Emergency Contact, and Race & Ethnicity**.



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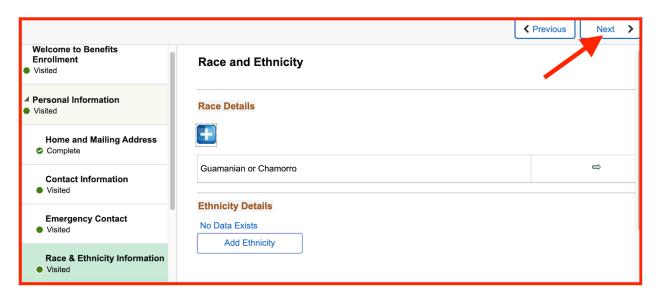




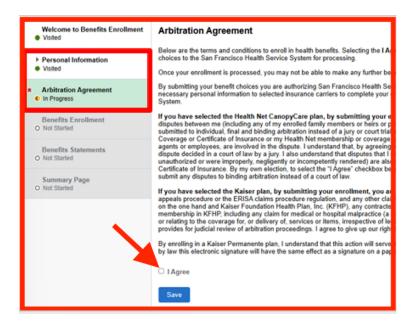
If there are no necessary changes to your personal information, you can advance and click on **Next** at the top right of the window.

#### **Race and Ethnicity**

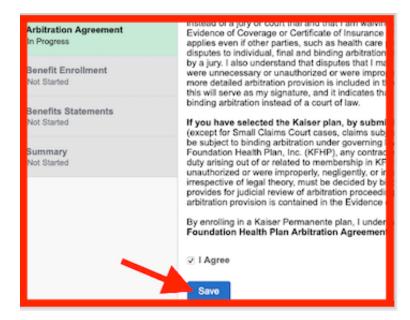
The **Race and Ethnicity** section is defined by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. Completing this section will help SFHSS evaluate the unique needs and experiences across different segments of our membership. Click on **Next** at the top right of your screen when finished.



#### **Arbitration Agreement**

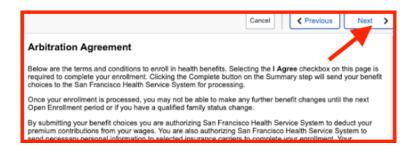


- 1. Read the Arbitration Agreement.
- 2. Click on **I Agree** check box in the bottom.



3. Click Save.

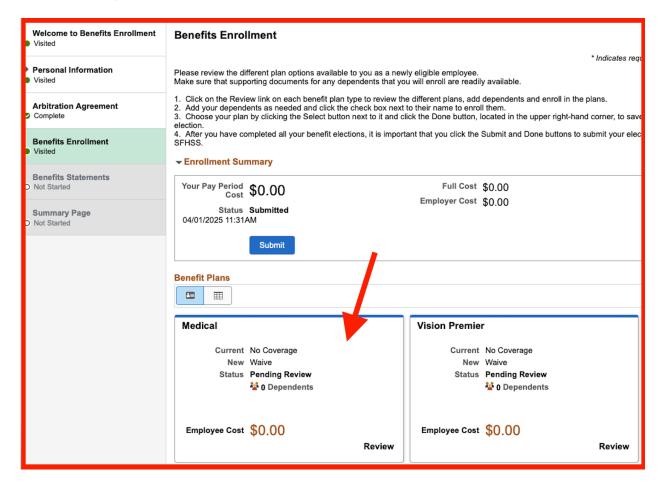
This is required to proceed to the next step.

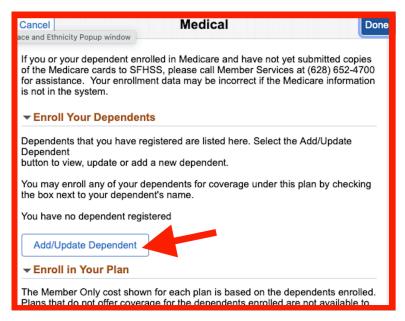


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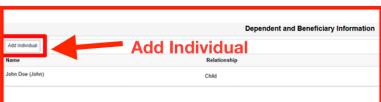
# Benefits Enrollment / Add Dependent(s) / Upload Documents

The **Benefits Enrollment** section will show you the different plan tiles available to you. For this example, we click on the **Medical** tile.





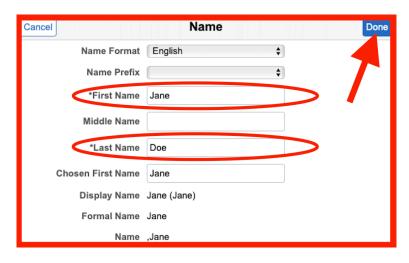
 Read the message in this Medical plan window and click on Add/Update Dependent.



2. Click on Add Individual.

Cancel Add Individual Dependent/Beneficiary Save Information			
* Indicates required field  Select Save after you have added your Dependent/ Dependent/Beneficiary Summary Popular changes will go into effect on 4/17/2025.  Name  Add Name			
Personal Information		Dependent/Beneficiary Summary Popup window	
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3. Click on Add Name.

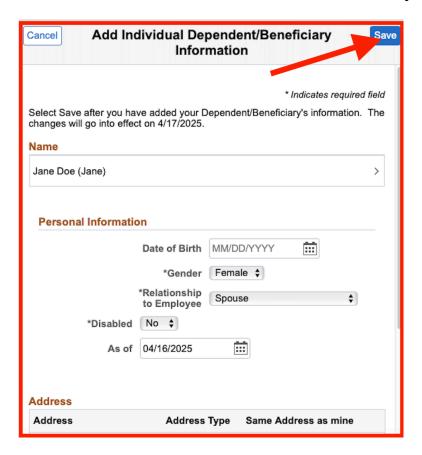


 Enter your dependent's First Name and Last Name. Click Done.

5. Complete the rest of your dependent's information in the window: **Personal Information, Address, Social Security Number, Phone, Email, Race, Ethnicity.** 

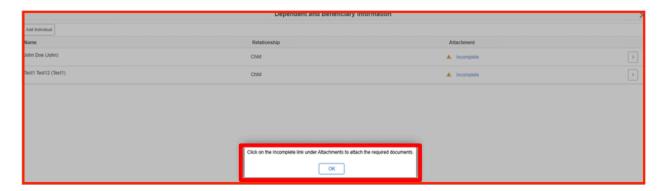
Read the **Upload Document** section in this manual for uploading instructions for your dependent(s).

The asterisk (\*) next to the items means that they are required fields.



6. Click on **Save** at the top right corner of the window.

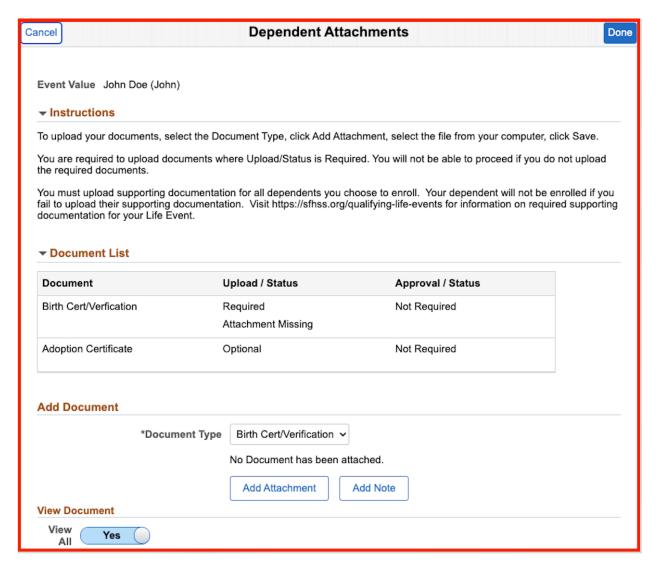
7. Once you have entered the dependent information and clicked **Save**. The message below will display. "Click on the Incomplete link under Attachments to attach the required documents". Click **OK**.



8. Click on Incomplete under Attachment



9. Once you click on **Incomplete**, you will be directed to the **Dependent Attachments** page. The top of the page provides instructions, and the list of supporting documentation required.

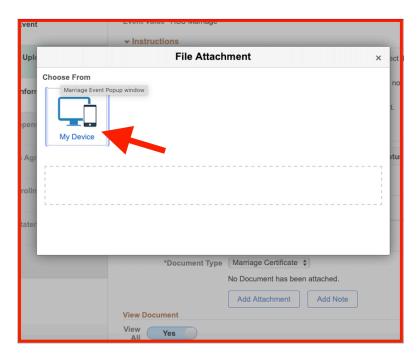


10. Follow the **Instructions** on this page as you are required to upload documents in order to proceed with the next steps.

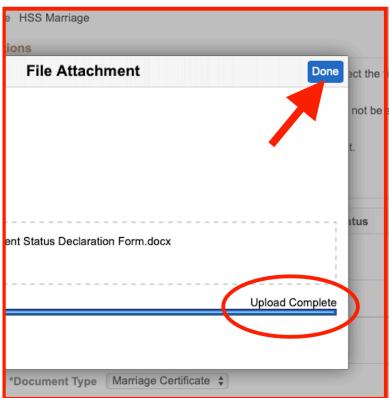
The **Documents List** is a list of all the required documents you will need to upload. **You may be required to provide more than one type of supporting document.** 

11. In the **Add Document** section, under the \***Document Type**, click on the drop-down arrows to ensure you are uploading the correct document.

Then click on the Add Attachment button.

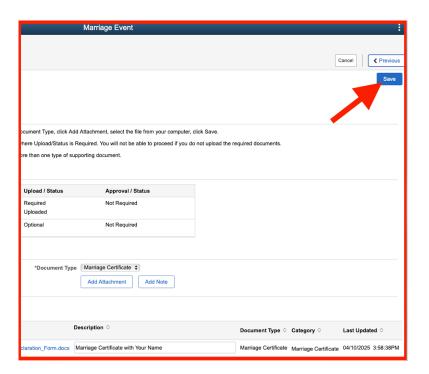


- 12. The **File Attachment** window will appear.
  - Click on **My Device** to navigate your computer, tablet, or phone for the document to upload.
- 13. Once the document has been selected, click on **Upload.**



- 14. Wait until **Upload Complete** is shown on the bottom of the window.
- 15. Click on **Done**.

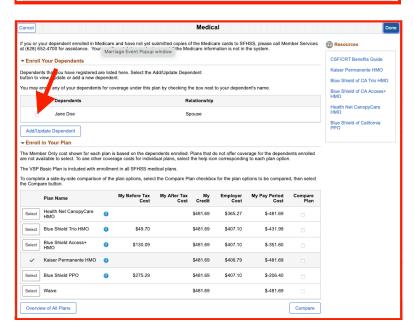
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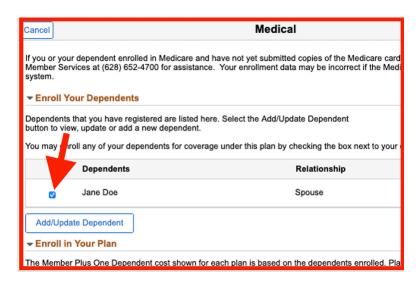
16. Click on **Save.** It is located on the top right corner.

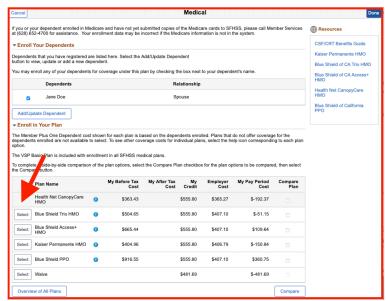


17. Click on **X** to close the window.

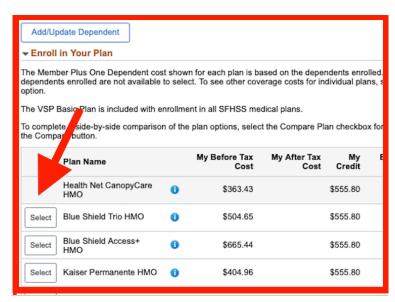


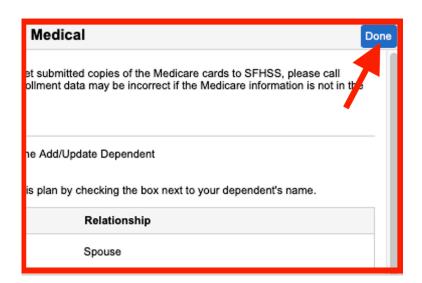
18. This new window will appear. Click on the check box next to name of the dependent you plan to enroll.





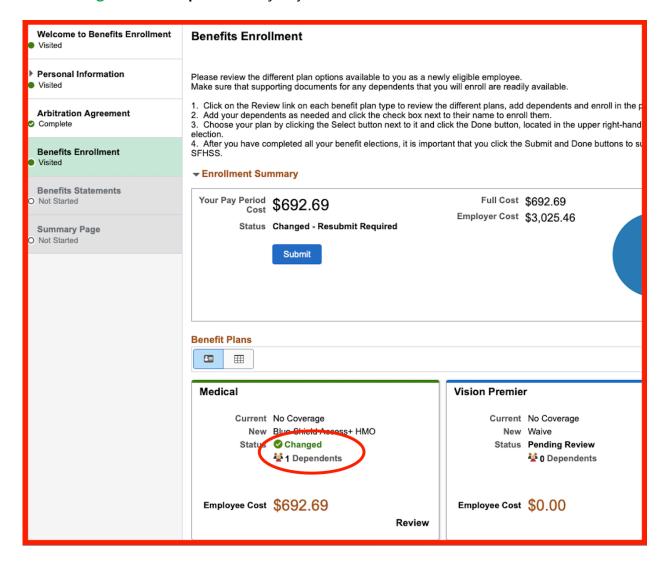
19. Click the **Select** button next to the medical plan you choose.





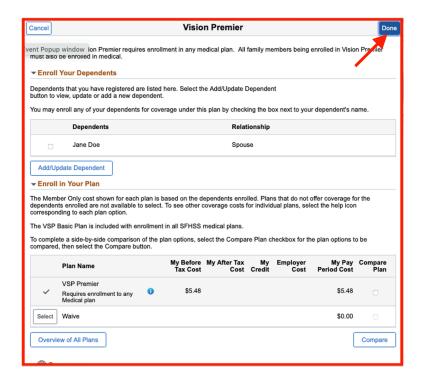
20. Click on **Done** at the top right of the window.

You will be returned to the **Benefit Enrollment** section. Notice that the **Medical** tile will show **Changed** and **1 dependent(s)** you just added.



You can now repeat the same process for Vision Premier.

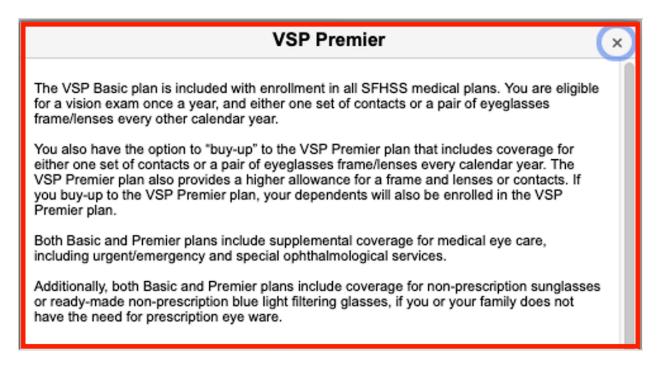
Refer to the Benefits Plan Comparison Tool section in this manual to learn how to compare different plans side-by-side when applicable.



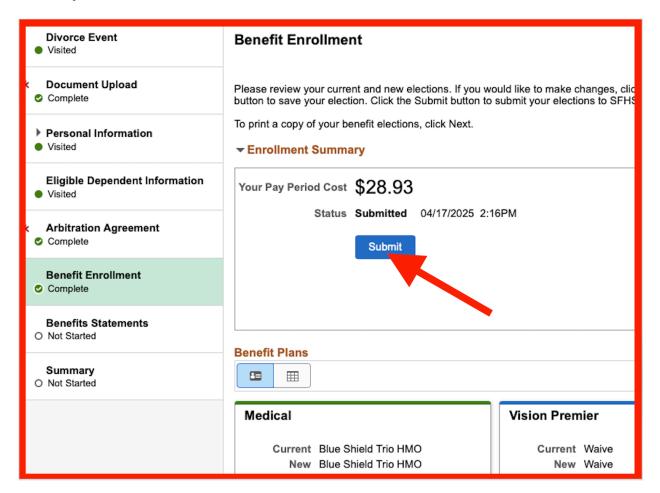
21. Repeat the same steps for your **Vision** plan.

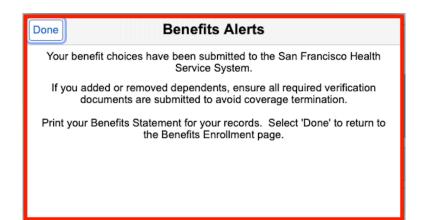
But if you choose not to enroll in the **Vision Premier** plan, just click **Done**.

Note that the VSP Basic plan is included with enrollment in all the SFHSS medical plans as described below, and there is no need to make any selection for the basic plan.



Click on Submit once you have made all your changes. Failure to click Submit, will not finalize your benefits enrollment.

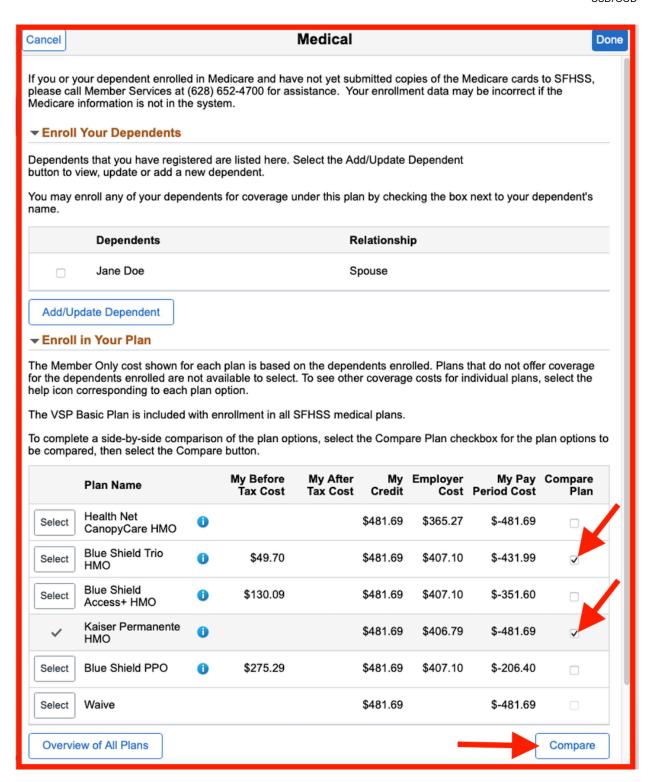




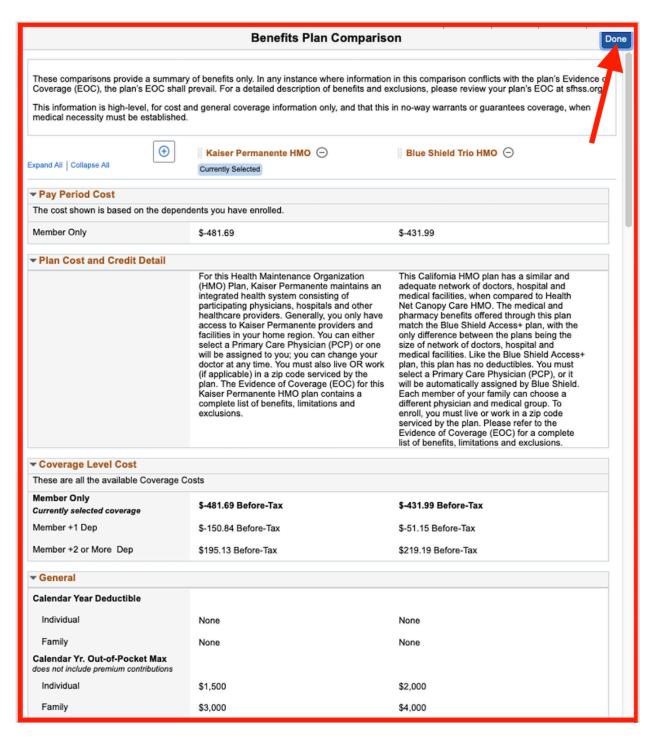
Read the message and click **Done.** 

## **Benefits Plan Comparison Tool**

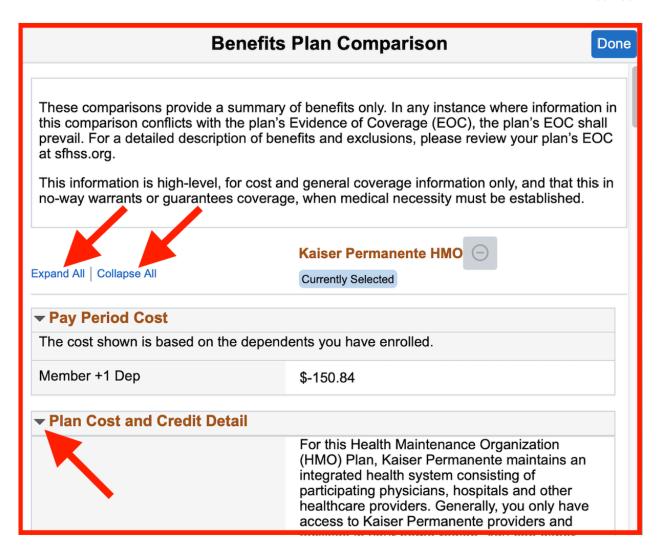
In the example, we clicked on the **Medical** plan tile. You can compare different plans by checking the checkboxes under the **Compare Plan**, then click on **Compare**.



A new window will show you a comprehensive side-by-side plan comparison. Click **Done** at the top right corner of the window to close.



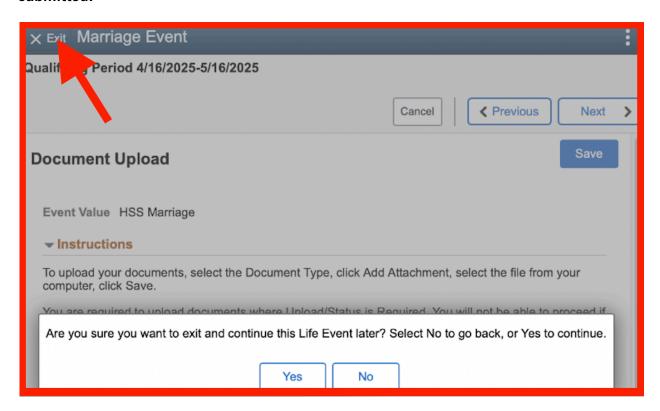
You can also expand and collapse the information by clicking and unclicking on the **Expand All** and **Collapse All**. You can also click and unclick on the small triangle next to the heading titles.

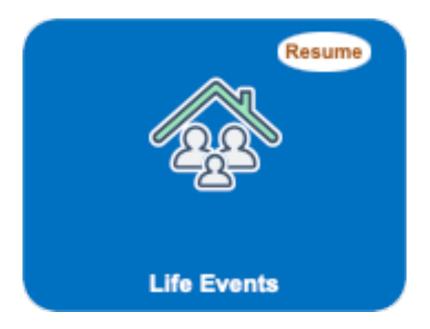


#### **Exit and Continue Later**

During the enrollment process, you can click on **Exit** at the top left corner, then click **Yes**, if you decide to leave the system and continue the process later.

Exiting the system and not submitting the changes will not make your elections final. It is your responsibility to make sure that the changes you make are properly and timely submitted.





The next time you login, you will notice the **Life Events** tile will show **Resume**.

This means your previous changes were saved from your last login session.