



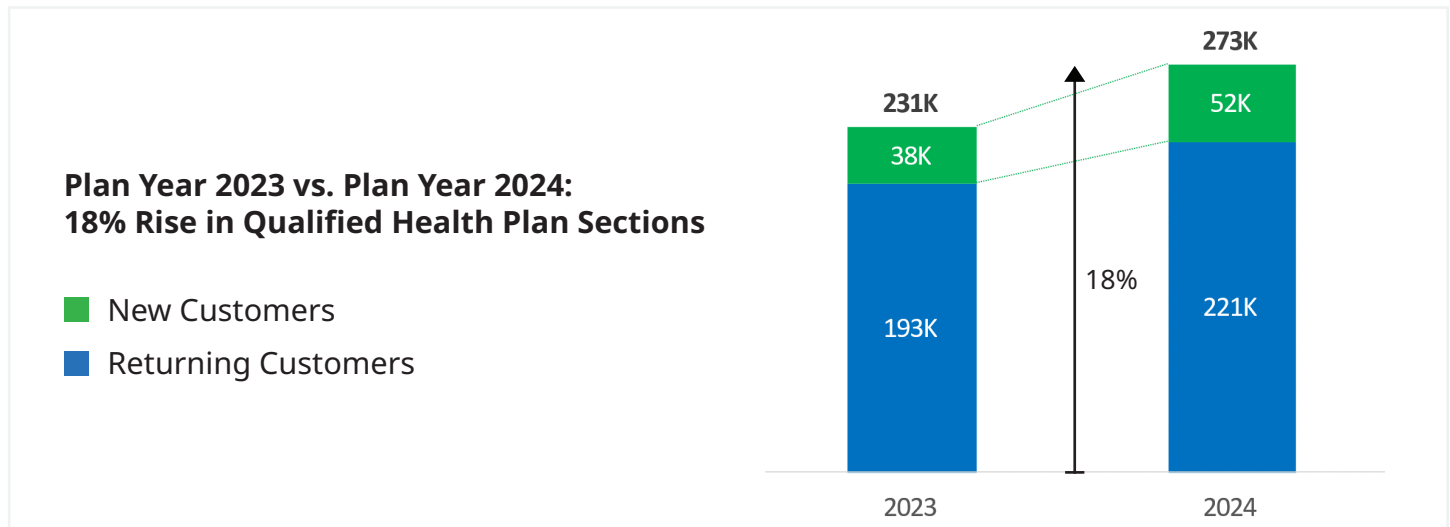
Washington Health Benefit Exchange: Key Recent Accomplishments

Open Enrollment: Record-high plan selection

Washington Health Benefit Exchange (Exchange) ended 2024 open enrollment (Nov. 1, 2023 – Jan. 15, 2024) with a **record 273,000 Washingtonians** signed up for health insurance coverage.

About **52,000 new customers** gained coverage through *Washington Healthplanfinder*, a 40% increase over last year, also a record high.

The key drivers of high enrollment include the Medicaid unwind and the availability of enhanced federal and state subsidies.



Immigrant Health Coverage: Smooth early implementation

- New this year, all Washingtonians can shop for and purchase health and dental coverage on *Washington Healthplanfinder*, regardless of citizenship status – nearly 2,300 individuals enrolled in coverage for 2024.
- These new customers are not eligible for federal subsidies though do qualify for the state premium subsidy, Cascade Care Savings.
- The Exchange partnered with our statewide network of enrollment assisters and community organizations to conduct culturally-responsive outreach and education to these new customers.

Next Step: The Exchange is working closely with the Health Care Authority (HCA) to support the launch of a Medicaid-like program, Apple Health Expansion, in July 2024.



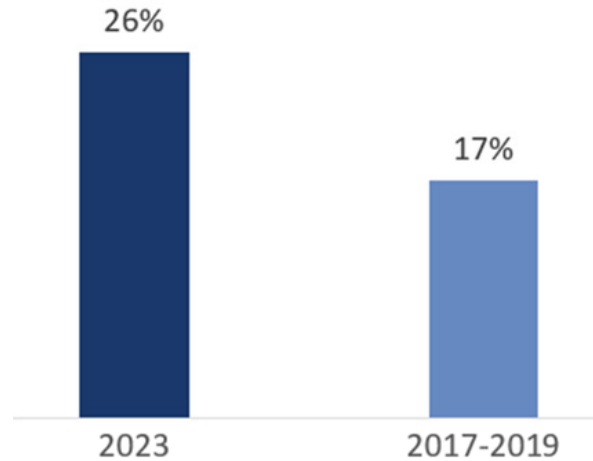
Medicaid unwind: Successfully keeping people covered

Apple Health redeterminations: Cumulative from Apr 1-Nov. 31



- Apple Health Continued
- Apple Health Ended

Conversion from Apple Health to QHP higher in 2023 than in pre-COVID years



The majority of Washingtonians have had their Apple Health eligibility redetermined.

- More than 1.5 million out of 2 million Apple Health customers had their eligibility redetermined from April 1 through November 30.
- One-third of those who have lost coverage have regained coverage through Washington Healthplanfinder (WAH/QHP).
- Federal and state premium subsidies are helping customers transition from Apple Health to QHP coverage
- Those transitioning to QHPs are younger and more racially and ethnically diverse than existing customers.

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