



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Lincoln County

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Lincoln County	1512	\$11,793,600	300	\$12,608,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

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Lake County	2378	\$18,548,400	480	\$19,829,000

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 7

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Sanders, Missoula and Mineral Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Sanders County	1382	\$9,464,954
Missoula County	10152	\$66,071,970
Mineral County	610	\$4,132,838

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Sanders County	1013	\$7,901,400	200	\$8,447,000
Missoula County	7699	\$60,052,200	1540	\$64,199,000
Mineral County	334	\$2,605,200	70	\$2,785,000

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 8

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Glacier, Lake, Pondera, Toole and Missoula Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Glacier County	2936	\$19,325,884
Lake County	4559	\$29,115,941
Pondera County	871	\$5,620,503
Toole County	435	\$3,514,710
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Glacier County	1243	\$9,695,400	250	\$10,365,000
Lake County	2378	\$18,548,400	480	\$19,829,000
Pondera County	492	\$3,837,600	100	\$4,103,000
Toole County	305	\$2,379,000	60	\$2,543,000
Missoula County	7699	\$60,052,200	1540	\$64,199,000

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If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **12,117 people in the five counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 9

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Cascade, Teton, Lewis and Clark, and Powell Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Cascade County	7962	\$56,416,156
Teton County	525	\$3,750,523
Lewis and Clark County	5439	\$31,395,368
Powell County	622	\$5,103,051

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Cascade County	4151	\$32,377,800	830	\$34,613,000
Teton County	400	\$3,120,000	80	\$3,335,000
Lewis and Clark County	2808	\$21,902,400	560	\$23,415,000
Powell County	343	\$2,675,400	70	\$2,860,000

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Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In Cascade County, expansion could add over 830 jobs and generate \$34,613,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **4,151 people in Cascade County** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

Sources: Montana Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, and Bureau of Business and Economic Research.



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 14

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Pondera, Chouteau, Toole, Glacier and Liberty Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Pondera County	871	\$5,620,503
Chouteau County	353	\$2,394,296
Toole County	435	\$3,514,710
Glacier County	2936	\$19,325,884
Liberty County	128	\$956,659

Expanding Medicaid is a great deal for Montana. Over 60,000 Montanans would get the health insurance they need at little cost to the state. In fact, the federal government covers 100% of the costs for the first three years, and no less than 90% thereafter. This is also Montana's opportunity to get back the dollars we have already been contributing to Medicaid expansion. From lower federal payments to hospitals and providers, to taxes and fees on certain health plans, Montanans have been and will continue to pay for Medicaid expansion. If we don't take those dollars, they will simply be redirected to other states like Arizona, California, North Dakota, and Oregon to generate jobs and provide health care for their residents.

	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Pondera County	492	\$3,837,600	100	\$4,103,000
Chouteau County	372	\$2,901,600	70	\$3,102,000
Toole County	305	\$2,379,000	60	\$2,543,000
Glacier County	1243	\$9,695,400	250	\$10,365,000
Liberty County	193	\$1,505,400	40	\$1,609,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In the five counties, expansion could add over 520 jobs and generate \$21,722,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **2,605 people in the five counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

Sources: Montana Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, and Bureau of Business and Economic Research.



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 15

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Fergus, Judith Basin, Garfield, Chouteau, McCone and Petroleum Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Fergus County	902	\$7,098,494
Judith Basin County	133	\$697,387
Garfield County	78	\$600,159
Chouteau County	353	\$2,394,296
McCone County	71	\$464,366
Petroleum County	21	\$105,835

Expanding Medicaid is a great deal for Montana. Over 60,000 Montanans would get the health insurance they need at little cost to the state. In fact, the federal government covers 100% of the costs for the first three years, and no less than 90% thereafter. This is also Montana's opportunity to get back the dollars we have already been contributing to Medicaid expansion. From lower federal payments to hospitals and providers, to taxes and fees on certain health plans, Montanans have been and will continue to pay for Medicaid expansion. If we don't take those dollars, they will simply be redirected to other states like Arizona, California, North Dakota, and Oregon to generate jobs and provide health care for their residents.

	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Fergus County	775	\$6,045,000	160	\$6,462,000
Judith Basin County	171	\$1,333,800	30	\$1,426,000
Garfield County	109	\$850,200	20	\$909,000
Chouteau County	372	\$2,901,600	70	\$3,102,000
McCone County	128	\$998,400	30	\$1,067,000
Petroleum County	47	\$366,600	10	\$392,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In the six counties, expansion could add over 320 jobs and generate \$13,358,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **1,602 people in the six counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

Sources: Montana Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, and Bureau of Business and Economic Research.



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 16

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Roosevelt, Blaine, Hill, Valley, Phillips, and Chouteau Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Roosevelt County	2707	\$18,883,635
Blaine County	1137	\$7,563,400
Hill County	2600	\$14,946,976
Valley County	861	\$5,968,100
Phillips County	489	\$3,718,983
Chouteau County	353	\$2,394,296

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Roosevelt County	865	\$6,747,000	170	\$7,213,000
Blaine County	607	\$4,734,600	120	\$5,062,000
Hill County	1122	\$8,751,600	230	\$9,356,000
Valley County	417	\$3,252,600	80	\$3,477,000
Phillips County	308	\$2,402,400	60	\$2,568,000
Chouteau County	372	\$2,901,600	70	\$3,102,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In the six counties, expansion could add over 730 jobs and generate \$30,778,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **3,691 people in the six counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

Sources: Montana Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, and Bureau of Business and Economic Research.



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Hill and Blaine Counties

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Hill and Blaine Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Hill County	2600	\$14,946,976
Blaine County	1137	\$7,563,400

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Hill County	1122	\$8,751,600	230	\$9,356,000
Blaine County	607	\$4,734,600	120	\$5,062,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In Hill and Blaine Counties, expansion could add over 350 jobs and generate \$14,418,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **1,729 people in Hill and Blaine Counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

Sources: Montana Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, and Bureau of Business and Economic Research.



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 18

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Valley, Phillips, Sheridan, Roosevelt, Daniels and Richland Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Valley County	861	\$5,968,100
Phillips County	489	\$3,718,983
Sheridan County	236	\$2,023,888
Roosevelt County	2707	\$18,883,635
Daniels County	113	\$1,227,823
Richland County	504	\$4,722,248

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Valley County	417	\$3,252,600	80	\$3,477,000
Phillips County	308	\$2,402,400	60	\$2,568,000
Sheridan County	181	\$1,411,800	40	\$1,509,000
Roosevelt County	865	\$6,747,000	170	\$7,213,000
Daniels County	86	\$670,800	20	\$717,000
Richland County	528	\$4,118,400	110	\$4,403,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In the six counties, expansion could add over 480 jobs and generate \$19,887,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **2,385 people in the six counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

Sources: Montana Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, and Bureau of Business and Economic Research.



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 19

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Dawson, Richland and Wibaux Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Dawson County	543	\$5,558,075
Richland County	504	\$4,722,248
Wibaux County	46	\$835,603

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Dawson County	394	\$3,073,200	80	\$3,285,000
Richland County	528	\$4,118,400	110	\$4,403,000
Wibaux County	64	\$499,200	10	\$534,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In Dawson, Richland and Wibaux Counties, expansion could add over 200 jobs and generate \$8,222,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **986 people in Dawson, Richland and Wibaux Counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

Sources: Montana Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, and Bureau of Business and Economic Research.



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 20

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Custer, Fallon, Carter, Powder River, Prairie, McCone, and Dawson Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Custer County	1103	\$7,990,343
Fallon County	151	\$1,678,462
Carter County	51	\$757,579
Powder River County	58	\$976,633
Prairie County	73	\$856,472
McCone County	71	\$464,366
Dawson County	543	\$5,558,075

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Custer County	642	\$5,007,600	130	\$5,353,000
Fallon County	135	\$1,053,000	30	\$1,126,000
Carter County	96	\$748,800	20	\$801,000
Powder River County	124	\$967,200	20	\$1,034,000
Prairie County	91	\$709,800	20	\$759,000
McCone County	128	\$998,400	30	\$1,067,000
Dawson County	394	\$3,073,200	80	\$3,285,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In the seven counties, expansion could add over 330 jobs and generate \$13,425,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **1,610 people in the seven counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

Sources: Montana Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, and Bureau of Business and Economic Research.



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 21

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Big Horn, Rosebud, Yellowstone and Powder River Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Big Horn County	3092	\$16,759,871
Rosebud County	1502	\$8,086,433
Yellowstone County	14,529	\$95,462,055
Powder River County	58	\$976,633

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Big Horn County	1168	\$9,110,400	230	\$9,739,000
Rosebud County	593	\$4,625,400	120	\$4,945,000
Yellowstone County	7245	\$56,511,000	1450	\$60,413,000
Powder River County	124	\$967,200	20	\$1,034,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In the four counties, expansion could add over 1,820 jobs and generate \$76,131,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **9,130 people in the four counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

Sources: Montana Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, and Bureau of Business and Economic Research.



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 22

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Yellowstone, Rosebud, Treasure and Custer Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Yellowstone County	14529	\$95,462,055
Rosebud County	1502	\$8,086,433
Treasure County	51	\$199,797
Custer County	1103	\$7,990,343

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Yellowstone County	7245	\$56,511,000	1450	\$60,413,000
Rosebud County	593	\$4,625,400	120	\$4,945,000
Treasure County	45	\$351,000	10	\$375,000
Custer County	642	\$5,007,600	130	\$5,353,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In the four counties, expansion could add over 1,710 jobs and generate \$71,086,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **8,525 people in the four counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

Sources: Montana Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, and Bureau of Business and Economic Research.



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 23

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Yellowstone, Musselshell, Custer and Rosebud Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Yellowstone County	14529	\$95,462,055
Musselshell County	550	\$4,174,276
Custer County	1103	\$7,990,343
Rosebud County	1502	\$8,086,433

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Yellowstone County	7245	\$56,511,000	1450	\$60,413,000
Musselshell County	321	\$2,503,800	60	\$2,677,000
Custer County	642	\$5,007,600	130	\$5,353,000
Rosebud County	593	\$4,625,400	120	\$4,945,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In the four counties, expansion could add over 1,760 jobs and generate \$73,388,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **8,801 people in the four counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

Sources: Montana Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Census Bureau Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, and Bureau of Business and Economic Research.



Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Yellowstone County

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Yellowstone County.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Yellowstone County	14,529	\$95,462,055

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Yellowstone and Carbon Counties

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Yellowstone and Carbon Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Yellowstone County	14,529	\$95,462,055
Carbon County	618	\$3,530,242

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Yellowstone County	7245	\$56,511,000	1450	\$60,413,000
Carbon County	537	\$4,188,600	110	\$4,478,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **7,782 people in Yellowstone and Carbon Counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 30

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Carbon, Stillwater and Sweet Grass Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Carbon County	618	\$3,530,242
Stillwater County	614	\$3,559,872
Sweet Grass County	169	\$1,802,902

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Carbon County	537	\$4,188,600	110	\$4,478,000
Stillwater County	384	\$2,995,200	80	\$3,202,000
Sweet Grass County	218	\$1,700,400	40	\$1,818,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **1,139 people in Carbon, Stillwater and Sweet Grass Counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Park and Sweet Grass Counties

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Park and Sweet Grass Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Park County	1232	\$7,670,499
Sweet Grass County	169	\$1,802,902

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Park County	1107	\$8,634,600	220	\$9,231,000
Sweet Grass County	218	\$1,700,400	40	\$1,818,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **1,325 people in Park and Sweet Grass Counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Gallatin County

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Gallatin County.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Gallatin County	4515	\$23,725,266

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Gallatin County	4757	\$37,104,600	950	\$39,667,000

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Gallatin and Broadwater Counties

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Gallatin County	4515	\$23,725,266
Broadwater County	374	\$2,785,477

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Broadwater County	333	\$2,597,400	70	\$2,777,000

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 36

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Beaverhead, Madison and Jefferson Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Beaverhead County	766	\$6,059,487
Madison County	379	\$3,458,892
Jefferson County	809	\$6,516,060

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Beaverhead County	746	\$5,818,800	150	\$6,221,000
Madison County	496	\$3,868,800	100	\$4,136,000
Jefferson County	504	\$3,931,200	100	\$4,203,000

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **1,746 people in Beaverhead, Madison and Jefferson Counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Silver Bow County

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Silver Bow County.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Silver Bow County	4258	\$32,360,303

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Silver Bow County	1895	\$14,781,000	380	\$15,802,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

As newly insured Montanans seek health care, there will be an increase in the demand for doctors, nurses, and other medical support staff. Health care providers can hire new employees who will then spend their paychecks in local businesses. These additional dollars flowing on Main Street allow businesses to grow. Expanding Medicaid could add as many as 12,700 jobs annually and generate \$4 billion in labor income in Montana in the first eight years. **In Silver Bow County, expansion could add over 380 jobs and generate \$15,802,000 in labor income annually.** What starts as a small investment in Medicaid expansion actually triggers a chain reaction of economic development across our state.

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Lewis and Clark and Jefferson Counties

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	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Lewis and Clark County	5439	\$31,395,368
Jefferson County	809	\$6,516,060

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Lewis and Clark County	2808	\$21,902,400	560	\$23,415,000
Jefferson County	504	\$3,931,200	100	\$4,203,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Lewis and Clark County

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **2,808 people in Lewis and Clark County** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 42

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in the six counties in Senate District 42.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Lewis and Clark County	5439	\$31,395,368
Wheatland County	215	\$1,060,942
Meagher County	294	\$1,423,306
Powell County	622	\$5,103,051
Broadwater County	374	\$2,785,477
Golden Valley County	89	\$294,876

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Lewis and Clark County	2808	\$21,902,400	560	\$23,415,000
Wheatland County	186	\$1,450,800	40	\$1,551,000
Meagher County	175	\$1,365,000	40	\$1,459,000
Powell County	343	\$2,675,400	70	\$2,860,000
Broadwater County	333	\$2,597,400	70	\$2,777,000
Golden Valley County	78	\$608,400	20	\$650,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **3,923 people in the six counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Senate District 43

Medicaid plays a vital role in supporting the healthcare economy in Deer Lodge, Powell and Granite Counties.

	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Deer Lodge County	1068	\$8,722,780
Powell County	622	\$5,103,051
Granite County	190	\$1,547,723

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Deer Lodge County	525	\$4,095,000	110	\$4,378,000
Powell County	343	\$2,675,400	70	\$2,860,000
Granite County	210	\$1,638,000	40	\$1,751,000

Expansion's Economic Impacts

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

If Montana fails to expand Medicaid, **1,078 people in Deer Lodge, Powell, and Granite Counties** – mainly parents and other adults working for low wages – will be left without insurance. They will make too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to be eligible for tax credits to purchase private insurance. They will be left with no viable options- stuck in the middle ground, left to face the inefficient health care system of the past. They will continue to receive less preventative care and delay treatment due to high costs. As a result, they will have worse health outcomes, higher financial burdens, and raise health care costs for all of us.

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Ravalli County

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Ravalli County	4143	\$23,752,818

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	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
Ravalli County	2724	\$21,247,200	550	\$22,714,000

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Without Expansion: A County-Level Outlook

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Medicaid Expansion: It's the Right Choice for Missoula County

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Missoula County	10,152	\$66,071,970

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Missoula County	7699	\$60,052,200	1540	\$64,199,000

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	Medicaid Recipients in County (FY 2012)	Medicaid Dollars Spent (FY 2012)
Missoula County	10,152	\$66,071,970

Expanding Medicaid is a great deal for Montana. Over 60,000 Montanans would get the health insurance they need at little cost to the state. In fact, the federal government covers 100% of the costs for the first three years, and no less than 90% thereafter. This is also Montana's opportunity to get back the dollars we have already been contributing to Medicaid expansion. From lower federal payments to hospitals and providers, to taxes and fees on certain health plans, Montanans have been and will continue to pay for Medicaid expansion. If we don't take those dollars, they will simply be redirected to other states like Arizona, California, North Dakota, and Oregon to generate jobs and provide health care for their residents.

	Uninsured Adults Eligible for Medicaid Expansion	Anticipated Additional Medicaid Spending	Anticipated Increase in Jobs per Year	Anticipated Increase in Labor Income per Year
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