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Four Reasons Why Medicaid Expansion Means a Healthier Kentucky



A healthy workforce is more productive and leads to a stronger state economy, more jobs and more local spending.

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HEALTHIER KENTUCKY

Current Medicaid Coverage

57% OF POVERTY
(\$11,132 PER YEAR FOR FAMILY OF 3)

Working parents with children at home

Not Covered

Adults with no children

Medicaid Expansion

138% OF POVERTY
(\$26,915 PER YEAR FOR A FAMILY OF 3)

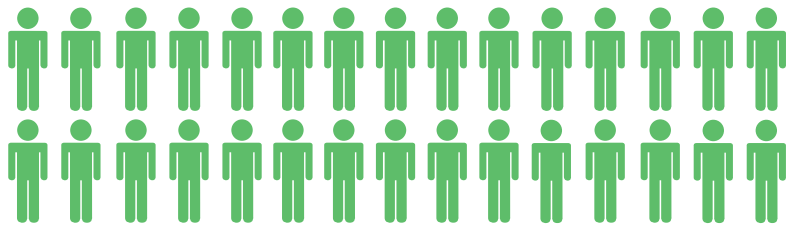
Low-income adults

A Medicaid expansion will allow more working-age adults in Kentucky to receive health coverage.

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SECURITY FOR FAMILIES

MORE THAN 300,000 NEWLY ELIGIBLE ADULTS

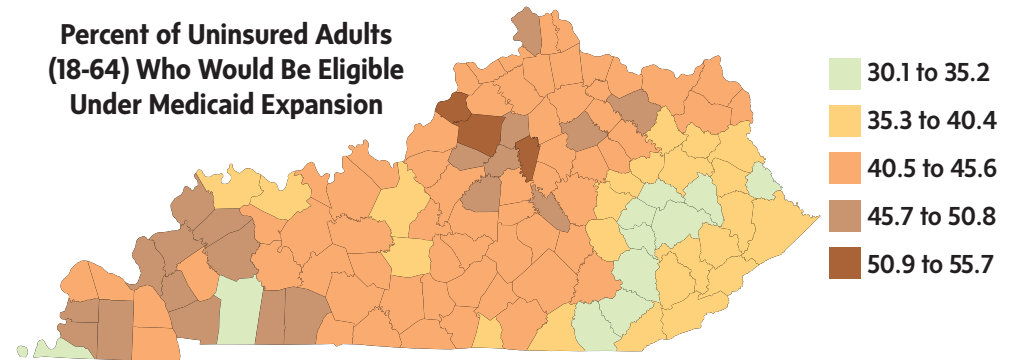


The expansion will increase access to health coverage for more than 300,000 newly eligible Kentuckians—more than half of the state’s uninsured population.

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MORE PRODUCTIVE WORKFORCE

Percent of Uninsured Adults (18-64) Who Would Be Eligible Under Medicaid Expansion



Extending coverage for working-age adults will help ensure a healthy workforce for Kentucky.

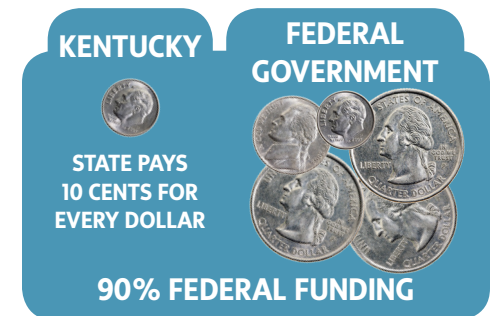
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FEDERAL DOLLARS FOR KENTUCKY’S ECONOMY

2014-2016



2020 & BEYOND



For the first three years of expansion, the federal government will pay 100% of the cost of coverage—creating an estimated 14,700 new jobs. Kentucky will leave billions of federal dollars on the table, including money contributed by Kentucky taxpayers, without a Medicaid expansion.