

# MEDICAID IN WEST VIRGINIA

**522,000** children and adults are enrolled in West Virginia Medicaid

Among all Medicaid enrollees in West Virginia:

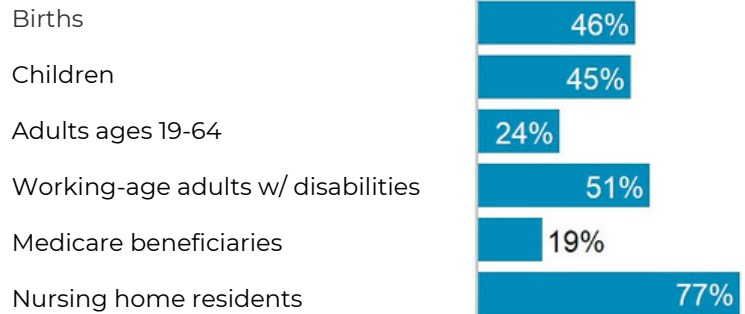
**3 in 10 (32%)** are children  
**1 in 5 (20%)** have three or more chronic conditions

**3 in 10 (34%)** live in a rural area

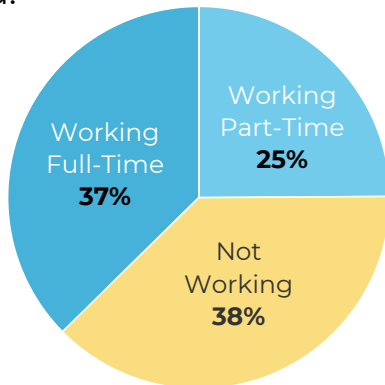
WV expansion status: **✓ Adopted**

Adults in expansion group: **171,000**

In West Virginia, Medicaid covers...



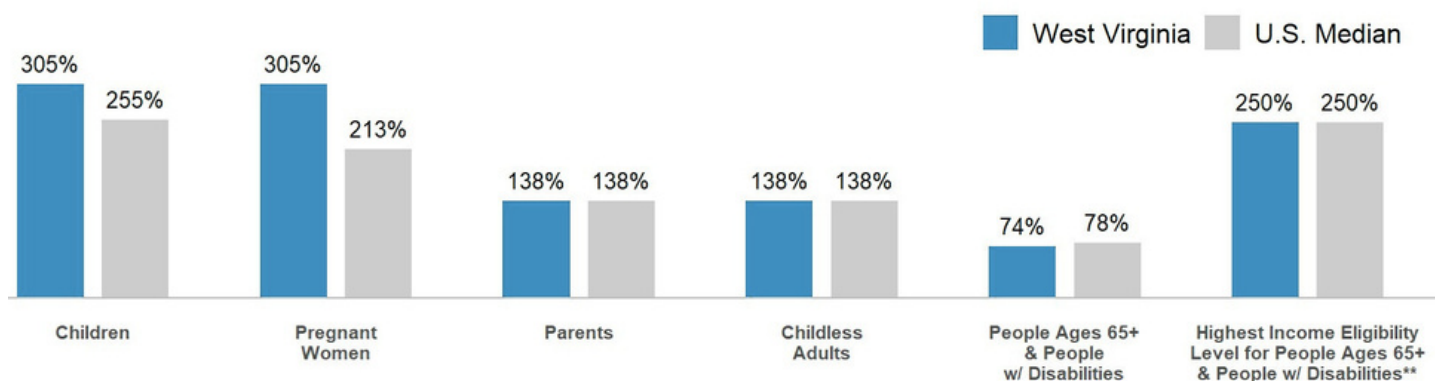
A majority (**62%**) of West Virginia adults enrolled in Medicaid are employed.



Medicaid covers from 25% to 35% of people in WV's congressional districts



Medicaid eligibility limits as a percent of the federal poverty level (FPL)\*

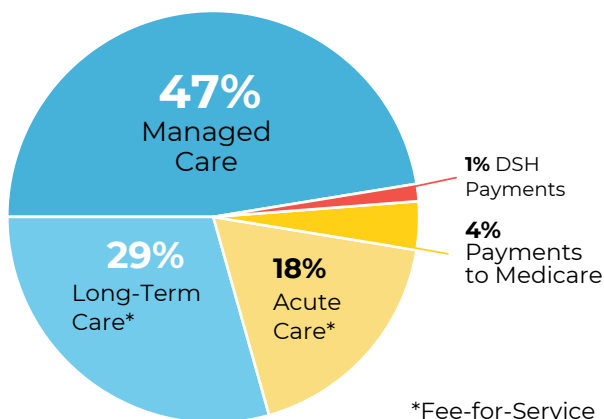


\*The FPL in 2025 is \$26,650 for a family of three and \$15,650 for an individual.

\*\*To qualify for Medicaid at the higher income eligibility levels, individuals must meet requirements for the buy-in program for working age people with disabilities.

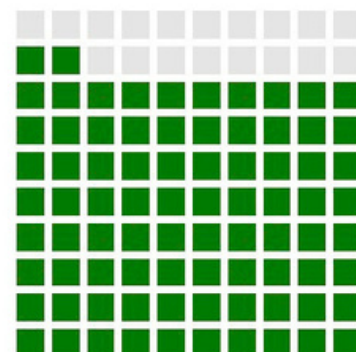


Total Medicaid spending in West Virginia is **\$5.5 billion**

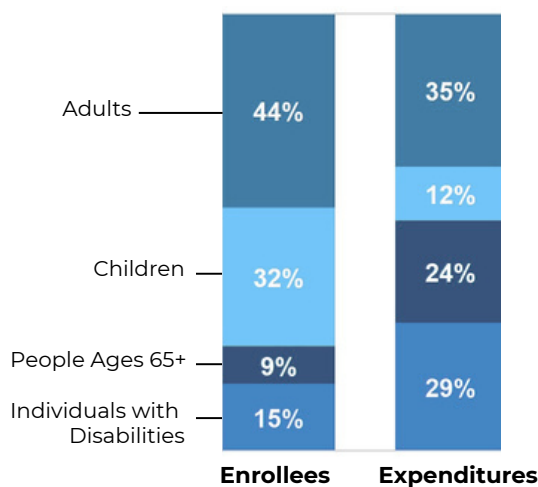


Financing for Medicaid is shared by states & the federal government... **West Virginia receives \$4.5 billion in federal Medicaid funding**

Federal funding is **82%** of total Medicaid spending in West Virginia



In West Virginia, people **ages 65+** and **people with disabilities** are **24%** of Medicaid enrollees, but account for **53%** of spending

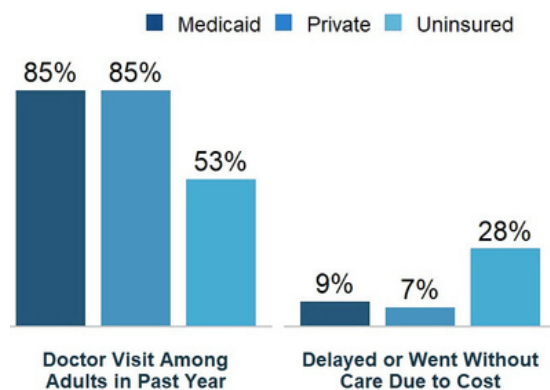


Per enrollee, **Medicaid spending is higher for** individuals receiving **institutional care**

|                          | 🏠 Home Care     | 🏥 Institutional Care |
|--------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| Per-enrollee spending:   | <b>\$24,118</b> | <b>\$81,772</b>      |
| Number of enrollees      | <b>45,900</b>   | <b>12,100</b>        |
| People on waiting lists* | <b>766</b>      |                      |

*\*A waiting list includes people who are interested in, but are not receiving, home care.*

**Nationally, access to care is similar for adults with Medicaid and private insurance**



**Most Americans hold favorable views of Medicaid!**

