

Montana Health Centers



Community health centers (CHCs) provide comprehensive, high-quality primary and preventive care and reduce overall costs for the health care system. CHCs depend primarily on Medicaid and federal grant funding to operate.

Proposals to cap federal matching or end Medicaid expansions are a major threat to CHCs, their patients, and health systems in the communities they serve.

122,449
CHC patients

Montana's CHC patients are from varied populations, including more than:

- 20,000 children birth to age 18
- 77,900 adults ages 18 to 64
- 23,000 older adults age 65+

40,097
CHC patients in Medicaid

- 11,000 children in Medicaid
- 28,000 adults 18 to 64 in Medicaid

1 in 6

Medicaid enrollees served by CHCs

33%

CHC patients covered by Medicaid

34%

CHC revenues from Medicaid

14

CHC grantees

CHCs work in communities with shortages of other providers

144

Service sites

93%

In rural areas

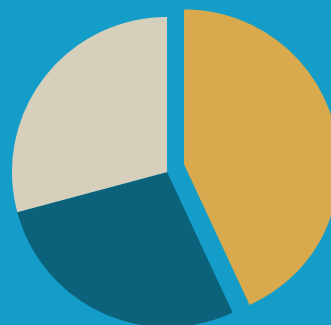


Employment Impact

1,581 jobs

Direct CHC jobs created (FTEs)

Patient Income Level



43% At or below 100% of poverty

28% 101-200% of poverty

29% Above 200% of poverty