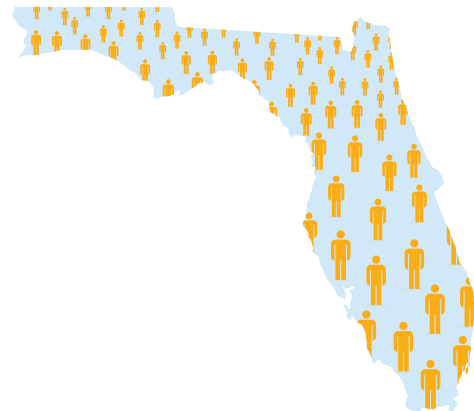




# Top 10 Facts About Florida's Medicaid Program

Medicaid is a crucial source of coverage for Florida residents, including children and families and those living with disabilities. In addition to providing a valuable safety net for our communities, the Medicaid program plays an important role in significantly decreasing the number of uninsured Floridians.



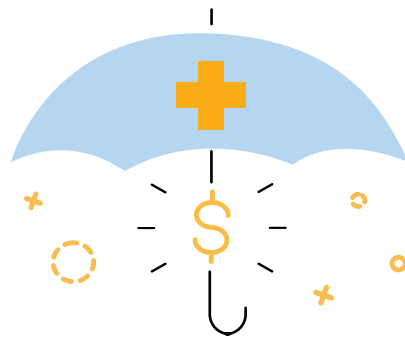
Nearly 4.3 million Floridians are enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP.

Nearly 20% of Florida's total population is covered through Medicaid.

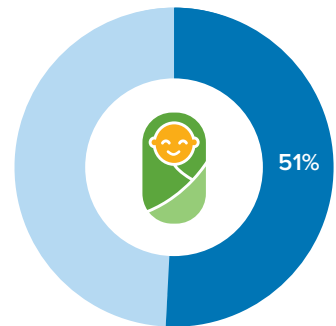
**Medicaid covers 3 in 7 Florida children.**



Children make up nearly 60% of Florida's entire Medicaid population.

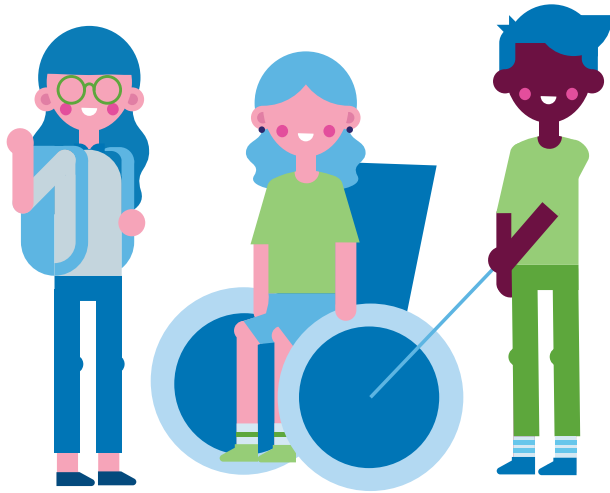


Nearly 1.8 million low-income children in Florida receive Medicaid coverage.



Medicaid covers 51% of Florida children who are under 6 years old, a key developmental milestone.





**About 30% of Floridians with disabilities are covered by Medicaid.**



**Between 2009 and 2016, the rate of uninsured children in Florida was cut by more than half.**

**About 30% of Floridians with disabilities are covered by Medicaid.**

**Expanding Medicaid could provide coverage to more than 800,000 additional Florida residents over the next 5 years.**



<sup>1</sup> <http://data.modernmedicaid.org/states/florida/>

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