

HOW CUTTING MEDICAID MEANS LESS ACCESS TO REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH CARE

Medicaid helps millions of people across the country access affordable reproductive health care like birth control, cancer screenings, maternal health care, and STI testing and treatment. Here are examples of how people use Medicaid to access care:

ARIANA

Ariana needs a cervical cancer screening but can't afford high medical bills. Her Medicaid coverage is accepted at her local family planning clinic.

More than 70 million people are covered by Medicaid, and almost two-thirds of adult women enrolled in Medicaid are ages 19-44. The program funds 75% of publicly funded family planning services.

JAY

Jay is a student who uses their Medicaid coverage at Planned Parenthood for free or low-cost reproductive health services like contraception and STI testing and treatment.

One in four people have been to a Planned Parenthood health center, and for many, Planned Parenthood is their sole health care provider. 2.4 million Americans rely on Planned Parenthood health centers each year, and more than half of these patients use Medicaid.

TAYLOR

Taylor is about to have a baby. Her Medicaid coverage helps ensure she has coverage before, during, and after her pregnancy.

Medicaid covers 40% of all births in the US and plays a critical role in preventing maternal death. States with robust access to Medicaid see lower maternal mortality rates because more people have continuous access to the care they need before, during, and after pregnancy.

Americans rely on Medicaid for reproductive health care — and they do not support Trump and the GOP's plans to cut the program.

80%

OF AMERICANS OPPOSE CUTS TO MEDICAID¹

INCLUDING

89%

OF DEMOCRATS

78%

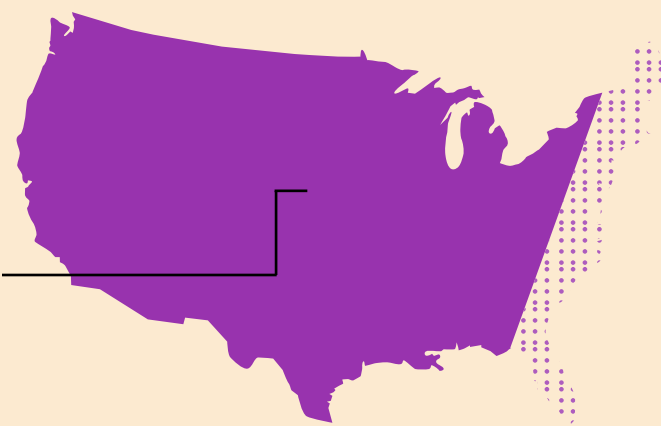
OF INDEPENDENTS

74%

OF REPUBLICANS

89%

OF AMERICANS BELIEVE THAT FUNDING FOR MEDICAID SHOULD BE KEPT THE SAME OR INCREASED²



REPRODUCTIVE FREEDOM FOR ALL