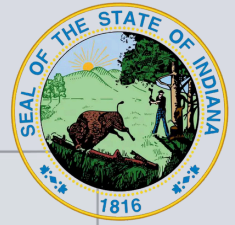




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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY



MEDICAID EXPANSION IS THE BEST JOBS AND ECONOMIC EXPANSION PROGRAM, EVER.

The Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP) has been a cornerstone of Indiana's healthcare system, improving the health and productivity of hundreds of thousands of Hoosiers since its inception. As we enter 2025, Indiana has the opportunity to build on this successful, homegrown program to strengthen the workforce, enhance economic stability, and ensure healthier communities statewide.

According to Dr. Bryce Ward, a Harvard economist researching the economic impacts of Medicaid in states across the nation, "Medicaid expansion is the best jobs and economic expansion program ever." HIP exemplifies this, delivering significant economic and health benefits to Indiana while leveraging federal funding that covers 90% of program costs. It is an investment in the state's people, with a proven return in workforce readiness, job creation, and consumer spending.

HEALTHCARE EMPLOYS 500,000 HOOSIERS.

Healthcare is Indiana's fastest-growing job sector, contributing over \$28.5 billion annually to the economy and employing nearly 500,000 Hoosiers (Indiana Economic Analysis Report 2023) [1]. Healthcare jobs offer good wages, with an average annual salary of over \$57,000, and are a critical component of Indiana's future economic outlook. By continuing to invest in HIP, Indiana can further strengthen its healthcare infrastructure, reduce rural hospital closures, and increase access to critical services like vision and dental care.

OneHIP CONTINUES INNOVATING THIS BENEFICIAL PROGRAM.

This analysis proposes enhancements to HIP by eliminating POWER Account contributions, removing the financial and bureaucratic barriers of HIP Basic, and making HIP Plus the standard, rolling all HIP programs into OneHIP. This change would simplify the program, reduce administrative costs, and ensure more Hoosiers can access the care they need. These changes would also maximize the economic return on Indiana's investment by improving workforce participation, increasing tax revenue, and reducing reliance on emergency care. Comparatively, SB-2 (2025 IN State Session) would make the user application and general experience more difficult while increasing the number of uninsured Hoosiers.



THE HEALTHY INDIANA PLAN IS A DRIVER OF ECONOMIC GROWTH AND STABILITY.

Building on HIP's success and addressing current challenges, Indiana's leaders can ensure a healthier, more prosperous future for all Hoosiers.

OneHIP PROVIDES CONTINUITY OF CARE - AND JOBS.

To learn more about Indiana's healthcare and economic trends, visit the Indiana Department of Workforce Development's Economic Reports. While changes to Medicaid as a whole are being discussed at federal levels, no immediate changes have been legislated. In Indiana, a proposed cap on the number of Hoosiers who can be enrolled in HIP [2] would decrease economic benefits and harm the state economy by decreasing the ability of people to work, decreasing jobs in healthcare and the likely closure of rural hospitals and healthcare options. OneHip would provide continuity with the way HIP has operated for more than 4 years, since April 2020 without sacrificing economic gains.



HIP Covers

of Hoosiers covered [3]

736,768

State pays

Actual 2024 Cost [4]

\$491M

Cost/Hoosier

per year [5]

\$667

Actual cost per the Indiana Budget ending June 2024. OneHIP - The Healthy Indiana Plan is a smart investment to grow the economy. HIP provides the first step on a path to economic stability and personal responsibility for hundreds of thousands of Hoosiers.

SIGNIFICANT FINDINGS

1. HIP HAS STRONG ECONOMIC ROI

HIP has a strong economic return on investment, supporting a healthy Hoosier workforce while remaining budget neutral.

2. HIP SUPPORTS ALL COMMUNITIES

All communities - rural and urban - are supported by HIP being used with its enhanced Plus benefits.

3. RURAL HOSPITALS NEED OneHIP MOST

Rural Hospitals rely on HIP funding to exist and support robust healthcare offerings in patient services.

4. 10% INVESTMENT DWARFED BY BENEFITS

HIP provides benefits that dwarf the 10% investment made by the State of Indiana through healthier workers that fuel the economy.

5. HIP BASIC & POWER ACCTS ADD RED TAPE

Basic and POWER accounts needlessly increase complexity and red tape without fiscal benefits. Consolidating to a single “OneHIP” program saves money.





HIP AND MEDICAID EXPANSION OVERVIEW

In 2015, as part of Medicaid Expansion, the Indiana Legislature revised the Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP) to incorporate personal responsibility into the federal program. Indiana was one of eight states that applied for and implemented waivers in their Expansion to charge premiums to beneficiaries earning below 150% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL). Studies conducted in 2017 and 2020 have shown that HIP has been highly successful in increasing healthcare coverage among working-class Hoosiers. Today, HIP serves more than 700,000 residents, improving their health outcomes, employability, and workplace productivity. [6]

HIP supports healthcare systems across Indiana, particularly in rural areas where hospitals are vital economic drivers. HIP reimbursement enables rural hospitals to provide local healthcare services that are comparable to urban areas, keeping dollars within the community. This economic impact extends beyond healthcare, as HIP participants spend more locally on housing, transportation, food, and other necessities, contributing to increased state tax revenues. [7] Having healthcare available where people live also protects rural communities. [8]



According to a broader analysis of Medicaid expansion, “The Affordable Care Act’s expansion of Medicaid also generated important health and economic benefits, including reduced mortality and improved financial well-being, for the adults newly gaining coverage.” [9] Indiana exemplifies this trend, with the uninsured rate declining from 14% in 2013 to 7% in 2022. [10] Of the more than 2,000,000 Hoosiers enrolled in Medicaid, over 700,000 are part of HIP, which includes enhanced benefits such as vision and dental coverage. [11]

During the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency (PHE), administrative barriers to HIP enrollment were temporarily lifted under the CARES Act, resulting in a record 800,000 Hoosiers being enrolled in HIP, all of them in the enhanced benefits of HIP Plus, HIP Maternity, or the HIP State plans . [12] The subsequent reinstatement of these barriers has contributed to significant disenrollment with over 100,000

participants losing coverage, dropping the enrollment to below 700,000 within a year and a half. [13]

To maximize the benefits of HIP, we recommend eliminating barriers to enrollment and emphasizing the advantages of HIP Plus. Simplifying access to HIP will likely increase participation and persistence, creating a healthier, more resilient workforce. This human capital is essential for driving economic growth across Indiana and supporting businesses, community organizations, and local events.

With HIP Plus coverage, Hoosiers achieve better health outcomes, enabling them to contribute to the economy as both workers and consumers. Access to healthcare reduces the need to choose between essential needs and medical costs, empowering individuals to invest in childcare, transportation, and other services. This leads to stronger communities, thriving small businesses, and improved economic opportunities for all. [14]

80% OF HIP RECIPIENTS WORK [15]

- 61% work outside the home
- 13% are at-home caregivers
- 6% are students investing in their future through education.

THE ECONOMIC BENEFITS OF HIP



500K

healthcare workers
- second leading
area of job growth



\$57K

average annual
wages



\$28.5B

added to state
economy

ECONOMIC OUTLOOK REPORT HIGHLIGHTS HEALTHCARE AS SECOND LEADING AREA OF JOB GROWTH FOR INDIANA

Healthcare is a vital driver of Indiana's economy, representing the second-leading area of job growth according to the Economic Outlook Report presented to the State Budget Committee on December 17, 2024. Many of these new jobs are directly supported by HIP, which reimburses rural healthcare providers, redirects patients from emergency rooms to primary care, and contributes to rising wages. [16]



Between January 2022 and January 2023, Indiana added more than 14,000 healthcare jobs, making it the fastest-growing job sector in the state. Healthcare jobs offer strong economic benefits, with an average annual wage of over \$57,000. Nearly 500,000 Hoosiers are employed in this sector, which adds approximately \$28.5 billion annually to the state economy. [17] From 2018 to 2022, the Health Care and Social Assistance sector grew by more than 70,000 jobs, with four of Indiana's 20 "INDemand" professions in healthcare. [18] A robust healthcare system supported by HIP is essential to Indiana's workforce and long-term economic prosperity.

Indiana's experience aligns with national research comparing Medicaid expansion states to non-expansion states. Medicaid expansion improves insurance coverage and health outcomes while having "no negative impact on state budgets." [19] The program also generates significant economic benefits, including gains in food security, housing

stability, financial well-being, and child support. Medicaid expansion decreases state spending on uncompensated care, freeing resources for other priorities. [20]

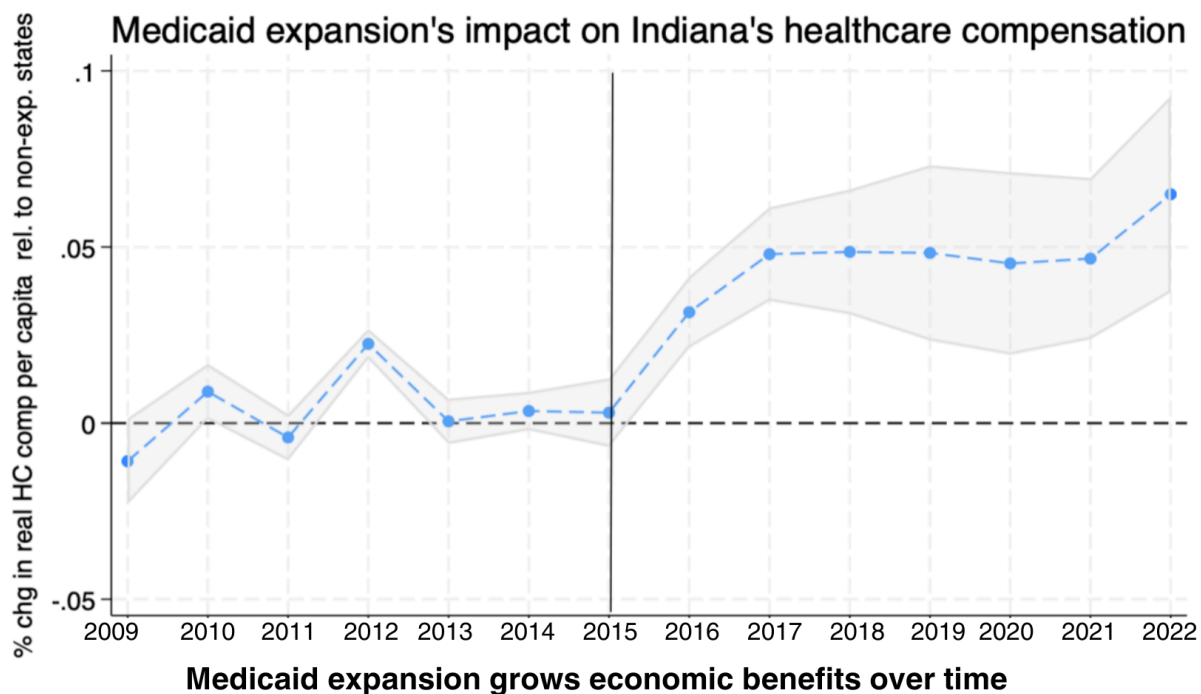
Dr. Bryce Ward's statement that "Medicaid expansion is the best economic and jobs expansion program ever" is based on his analysis, which demonstrates that Indiana's healthcare compensation per capita increased by 5% after Medicaid expansion, translating to \$1.8 billion annually in inflation-adjusted earnings. [21] HIP exemplifies this success by maximizing federal dollars to meet community needs while boosting job creation and consumer spending across Indiana.

Uninsured people are 3.5 times more likely to delay or skip needed care than those who have private insurance OR Medicaid. [21a]

Uninsured individuals impose significant financial burdens on local communities, state programs, and healthcare providers. These costs include uncompensated care, lost workforce participation, and decreased consumer spending. Rural hospitals and clinics rely on HIP patients to sustain operations, while urban hospitals depend on HIP funding to care for vulnerable populations. [22]

ECONOMIC BENEFITS INCREASE OVER TIME

HIP leverages federal dollars to deliver comprehensive healthcare coverage, ensuring access to primary care, specialized services, and dental and vision care. This support leads to stronger families, healthier communities, and statewide economic growth. HIP is not merely a healthcare program; it is an investment in Indiana's future. By adopting OneHIP, Indiana can streamline healthcare delivery, foster economic stability, and improve health outcomes for all Hoosiers.



This graph tracks increased compensation in Indiana's healthcare jobs compared to states that did not expand Medicaid. Each job that exists in healthcare supports 2 more jobs for the community. [23] As an economic multiplier, healthcare jobs are important for economic development and job creation because healthcare is the one industry that supports all other industries through a healthy workforce.


S&P Global Market Intelligence provided an "Indiana Economic Forecast Update" in December of 2023. Much of the analysis compared the state economy to national markers and noted areas of concern for Indiana. While focusing the report on inflation, labor costs, consumer spending, and industry trends, the bottom line for Indiana included this forecast:

INDIANA ECONOMIC FORECAST UPDATE HIGHLIGHTS NEED TO SUPPORT WORKING PEOPLE

A critical element for Hoosiers to increase the skilled labor pool or start new businesses is healthcare coverage while people are being trained, changing jobs, or starting a new business. OneHIP in 2025 is the greatest plan to help working people. Working people lead to a brighter future in Indiana. As “talent attraction games” [24] heat up, OneHIP is an important part of the labor-attracting package, providing temporary coverage for working people. OneHIP is a driver of Indiana’s growth. It is a job creation program disguised as healthcare that will attract other new business to Indiana. FSSA reports the HIP program [25] is budget neutral which doesn’t include the positive ripple effects for improving healthcare outcomes for Hoosiers.



Longer-term issues remain the same – (the) labor force must continue to grow in size and skill level to allow existing businesses to expand and to attract new business.



IMPROVING HIP FOR 2025



ADVANCING INNOVATION AND WELLNESS

PUTTING WELLNESS FIRST: A RECORD OF INNOVATION IN HIP

The Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP) has been a leader in healthcare innovation since its inception. Under Governor Mitch Daniels, the original HIP offered health coverage to 40,000 low-income, working-age adults who lacked access to employer-sponsored insurance or Medicaid/Medicare. HIP Plus, the program's top-tier plan, provided vision and dental coverage ahead of many other states, while its modest monthly premiums eliminated co-payment barriers for regular healthcare. [26] However, HIP Basic has created significant obstacles, penalizing participants for missed payments or address changes and often leading to disenrollment. [27]

ONE PLAN: ELIMINATING HIP BASIC

To better serve Hoosiers, eliminating HIP Basic and consolidating all participants into OneHIP would simplify the system and reduce administrative complexity. This change would ensure that all eligible residents receive consistent access to essential healthcare, including free annual wellness visits and preventive services. Eliminating HIP Basic's co-payments would also promote better management of chronic conditions, leading to improved long-term health outcomes. [28]

Streamlining HIP into a single plan aligns with its foundational goal of encouraging personal responsibility for wellness. OneHIP would prioritize:

1. Vision and dental care for all participants
2. Simplified cost-sharing for essential health services
3. Stronger relationships with primary care providers to enhance preventive care. [29]



BUILDING ON A LEGACY OF LEADERSHIP

Over the life of this program, Indiana's innovative approach has continued to expand, covering ten times as many Hoosiers. HIP 2.0, launched in 2015 as part of the Affordable Care Act's Medicaid expansion, extended coverage to 400,000 adults earning up to 138% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL). [30] During the COVID-19 pandemic, Governor Eric Holcomb removed cost-sharing requirements, further simplifying access to care and maintaining coverage during a critical time. [31]

The July 2021 transition of 50,000 HIP Basic members to HIP Plus demonstrated the benefits of reducing barriers. Participants gained access to enhanced services, illustrating the value of simplifying the program. [32]

HIP BASIC AND POWER ACCOUNTS DO NOT WORK AS INTENDED. THEY INCREASE CONFUSION.

Community members' perspectives provide keen insight and explain why “Basic” is cumbersome. HIP Basic and POWER accounts have consistently created challenges for participants. Prior to the pandemic, missing two consecutive POWER Account contributions resulted in a downgrade to HIP Basic. This plan’s diminished benefits and mandatory copayments created financial burdens and discouraged healthcare utilization. [33]



- * A man with Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) lost his HIP Plus benefits after missing POWER Account payments. Relegated to HIP Basic, he could not afford \$4 copays for his inhalers.
- * Desperate, he called 911 several times for emergency care, accruing \$2,600 in ambulance and hospital bills he could not pay. This cycle of poor health and mounting debt ultimately shifted costs to the public [34]

HOOSIER WITH COPD



- * A young mother described the problem: “Within the last year, I had my son, so I went from HIP Plus and paid a \$1 premium to them bumping me to HIP Maternity. While I was pregnant, I didn’t have a premium at all.
- * Now recently, last month, I’m paying \$20 [a month] back on HIP Plus. Right now, it’s tight. I’m a single mom, so that \$20, I usually use it towards diapers. Versus \$1, you don’t miss as much. But \$20, that’s gas or whatever, diapers, wipes.

HOOSIER MOM WITH NEW BABY

Imagine the outcomes for these Hoosiers if OneHIP was the program. Eliminating confusion would have saved state funds, eliminated worry, and ensured steady healthcare coverage for those who need it to support their families.

STRONG LEADERSHIP ESTABLISHING OneHIP



Indiana has the opportunity to lead once again by consolidating HIP into a single plan. Removing POWER Account contributions and HIP Basic would simplify healthcare access, reduce administrative costs, and improve outcomes for all participants. [35] Gov. Mike Braun and the Indiana General Assembly can take the next step in this record of innovation by setting the standard of care to be HIP Plus - OneHIP.

The changes made during the pandemic have increased health outcomes and positively impacted the state budget through healthier Hoosiers and higher employment. Moving to OneHIP would reduce operational costs and remove barriers for participants. When HIP Plus was the standard during the pandemic, more Hoosiers accessed healthcare and demonstrated better health outcomes. [36]

This would simplify processes, save administrative and legal costs, and ease access for Hoosiers. Indiana can act independently of judicial mandates to prioritize its people. Consolidate all HIP programs into OneHIP for all eligible Hoosiers.

Leading By Expanding HIP to become OneHIP

Indiana is one of eight states that received federal waivers to charge premiums in their Medicaid expansion programs. Unlike other states, Indiana implemented premiums for all HIP members earning between 0% and 138% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL). By comparison, other states began charging premiums at higher income thresholds, such as 50% or 100% FPL. Some states, like Arizona, Kentucky and Pennsylvania, received waivers but never implemented premiums. Others, including Arkansas, Michigan, and Montana, have since discontinued premiums. Iowa allows members to avoid premiums for the first year and waives them entirely if wellness activities are completed. These states have prioritized wellness over financial barriers.

**CHOOSING TO ELIMINATE POWER ACCOUNTS AND ENDING
HIP BASIC WOULD CUT THROUGH BUREAUCRATIC RED TAPE.**

INDIANA ONCE LED IN INNOVATIVE MEDICAID MODELS

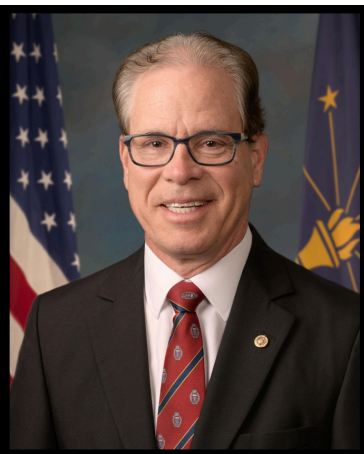
Indiana led again in dropping premiums during the pandemic. Continuing the use of POWER accounts and HIP Basic perpetuates inefficiencies and demonstrates a need for change.

Recent studies bolster earlier research on premiums and cost-sharing for low-income populations, indicating that these policies lead to reduced coverage, worse access to care, and increased financial burden. [37] It is time for Indiana to embrace new innovations and prioritize health outcomes for its residents.



INDIANA FAMILY AND SOCIAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (FSSA) REPORTED:

Gov. Mike Braun and the Indiana General Assembly can take the next step in this record of innovation by setting the standard of care to be HIP Plus.



This can be achieved by removing POWER Account contributions and discontinuing HIP Basic. The federal judicial ruling and preliminary injunction in *Rose v. Becerra* (June 2024) opposes flaws in the existing HIP system. Prolonging this litigation will cost Indiana millions in legal fees while propping up an outdated and ineffective plan.

"In the absence of the waiver being immediately reissued (or the District Court ruling stayed), we will be forced to start transitioning over 335,000 Medicaid members into HIP Basic, resulting in a loss of certain benefits described below. The higher benefits and more predictable cost-sharing provided under the HIP Demonstration (aka HIP Plus) project are more than sufficient to establish that the project will expand benefits and meet the test articulated by the District Court for the Secretary's exercise of his Section 1115 authority."

CONSOLIDATING ALL HIP PROGRAMS INTO OneHIP FOR ALL ELIGIBLE HOOSIERS IS INNOVATIVE LEADERSHIP.



Indiana lawmakers have the power to make pandemic-era changes to HIP permanent, eliminating inefficiencies and reducing unnecessary state administrative expenses. Removing POWER Account contributions and ending HIP Basic would simplify administration, reduce costs, and encourage greater participation. Historically, the federal government has paid 90% of HIP's expenses, making it a highly cost-effective program.

ADDITIONALLY:

1. OneHIP would resolve ongoing litigation and avoid unnecessary costs. [38]
2. OneHIP would eliminate bureaucratic red tape.
3. OneHIP provides high quality, cost-effective healthcare.

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BUILDING A CULTURE OF HEALTH

STATEWIDE HEALTH BENEFITS: The Clear Value of OneHIP

A statewide focus on health equity and accessibility underscores the value of the Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP). Team Indiana, supported by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF), is conducting a comprehensive Health Equity Study as part of the 7th Cohort of the Interdisciplinary Research Leaders (IRL) Program. This initiative brings together a diverse team of credentialed investigators, researchers, subject matter experts, and community leaders to explore innovative strategies for improving health outcomes across Indiana.

RWJF, the philanthropic foundation affiliated with Johnson & Johnson, has long supported action-oriented community studies designed to "build a culture of health." Through its IRL program, the foundation fosters collaboration among academic and community experts to address systemic health disparities and promote better health for all. In 2019, Dr. Craig and Dr. Hicks contributed to HIP research with their study, "Health Equity, Urban Congregations & HIP." [40] This study highlighted the need for:

- 1.Improved communication strategies,
- 2.Streamlined processes to reduce administrative complexity, and
- 3.Enhanced interpersonal support for HIP participants

Their findings identified actionable recommendations for change, many of which remain relevant today. These recommendations, informed by pre- and post-pandemic data, provide a roadmap for strengthening HIP to better serve Indiana’s diverse communities. A roadmap that leads to OneHIP.



By leveraging the insights from these studies, Indiana can address barriers to healthcare access, improve the program's efficiency, and create a healthier, more resilient population. The ongoing commitment to health equity through HIP not only enhances individual well-being but also contributes to the economic and social vitality of the state.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommendations that flow from HIP member experiences and insights include:

- Create user-friendly “one stop” HIP Application/Enrollment Tracking System
- Improve FSSA and MCE communications with clear content and multiple communication channels
- Adopt an intentional customer service model for FSSA, DFR offices, call center, and HIP broker
- Shift from quarterly to annual review of income eligibility, with guaranteed one-year of coverage
- Overhaul Medicaid transportation for patient access and security and more flexible payment
- FSSA and MCEs coordinate personal assistance with front-line professionals assisting HIP applicants and members
- FSSA and MCEs create strategic partnerships with government, provider, corporate, community, and faith organizations to expand HIP Plus enrollment and integrate care with holistic services

ENGAGING HOOSIERS FOR MEANINGFUL INSIGHTS



As part of the current study, Dr. Hicks is introducing the need for Community Valued Research. This approach prioritizes the voices of community members directly impacted by policies, ensuring their lived experiences shape recommendations for improvement. The current study, spanning 2022-2025, has conducted over 100 interviews with recipients of the Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP) across the state, yielding invaluable insights about the program's strengths and areas for growth. In our study, "The community is the expert." [41]

To enhance the study's rigor and inclusivity, community experts were recruited and compensated for their participation. These experts provided unique perspectives reflective of Indiana's diverse demographics

and regions, ensuring the research captured the multifaceted needs of Hoosiers. This deliberate outreach approach underscores the commitment to a comprehensive and actionable understanding of the HIP program.

The study capitalizes on the pandemic as a natural experiment, analyzing the significant benefits observed when administrative barriers to HIP enrollment were temporarily lifted. By drawing from this period, the research explores what a more accessible and efficient HIP program could achieve in the future.

COMMUNITY VALUED HEALTH OUTCOMES RESEARCH

Additionally, the study is bolstered by the Community Leadership Board (CLB)—a coalition of faith leaders, healthcare advocates, and community organizers from across Indiana. This board has hosted virtual and in-person meetings to educate stakeholders, gather feedback, and align research efforts with community needs. Over the past two years, this collaborative effort has illuminated how streamlined policies and enhanced healthcare access can lead to better outcomes for all Hoosiers.

**CONSTITUENTS WANT OneHIP
SO THEY CAN LEAD PRODUCTIVE LIVES.**

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The findings of this research point to one clear conclusion: an improved, accessible HIP program is not just a health initiative—it is a cornerstone of Indiana’s economic and social prosperity. By listening to the voices of their constituents and acting on their recommendations, the Indiana State Legislature can foster a healthier, more resilient workforce and community.

**HIP is more than a health program.
It is a cornerstone to Indiana’s economic and
social prosperity.**

CONCLUSION



BUILDING A STRONGER INDIANA ECONOMY WITH HEALTHIER HOOSIERS THROUGH OneHIP

Since its inception in 2015, the Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP) has proven to be a transformative program, delivering tangible health and economic benefits to Hoosiers while strengthening the state's workforce and economy. By consolidating into a single, streamlined OneHIP program, Indiana has the opportunity to eliminate unnecessary bureaucracy, reduce administrative costs, and improve access to quality healthcare for more residents.

The proposed changes—removing POWER Account contributions, eliminating HIP Basic, and making HIP Plus the standard—offer a pathway to improved health outcomes, increased workforce participation, and stronger rural and urban communities. These enhancements will empower over 700,000 Hoosiers with greater health security, enabling them to contribute more effectively to their families, workplaces, and communities.

700K

Hoosiers with more
security



\$667

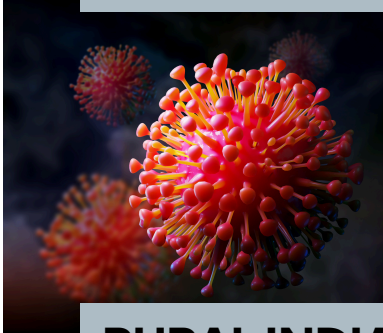
actual cost, per Hoosier,
per year



THE ECONOMIC BENEFITS OF OneHIP ARE CLEAR.

Economically, HIP's federal funding structure provides Indiana with unparalleled value. For every dollar the state invests, the return is multiplied through job creation, increased consumer spending, and reduced uncompensated care costs. Healthcare—a leading job sector in Indiana—will continue to grow, fueling broader economic development and solidifying Indiana as a destination for businesses and skilled workers.

THE PANDEMIC SHOWED THE BENEFITS OF OneHIP



The natural experiment of the pandemic has demonstrated the immense potential of a simplified and inclusive HIP program. By reducing barriers and focusing on preventive care, Indiana can foster a healthier population while supporting its long-term economic goals.

RURAL INDIANA NEEDS OneHIP



Medicaid cuts could have a more sweeping effect on rural America than urban areas because of how the program sustains impoverished areas with few health providers. “And that’s an interesting conundrum because most of rural America is a much deeper red than urban America.” Jon Tester, former US Senator (MT-D).

OneHIP IS AN INVESTMENT IN INDIANA’S FUTURE.



With thoughtful leadership, the Indiana State Legislature can seize this opportunity to build a robust, sustainable healthcare model that reflects the state’s commitment to its people.

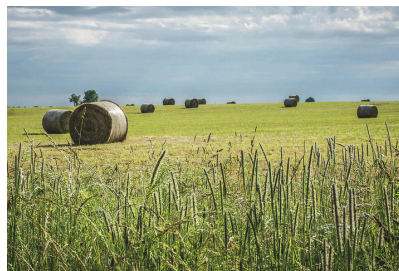
The data is clear: investing in HIP is an investment in Indiana’s future. A healthier workforce means a more competitive economy, stronger families, and thriving communities across the state. Now is the time to lead with innovation and compassion, ensuring that every Hoosier has access to the healthcare they need to succeed.

“A great state with a strong workforce is only bolstered by more healthy people. OneHIP gives hope, ensuring that all Hoosiers have an opportunity for improved health and this means a stronger economy for Indiana.” Ivan Douglas Hicks, Ph.D.

A ROBUST ECONOMY STARTS WITH HEALTHY HOOSIERS.

With thoughtful leadership, the Indiana State Legislature can seize this opportunity to build a robust, sustainable healthcare model that reflects the state's commitment to its people.

The data is clear: investing in HIP is an investment in Indiana's future, in all areas. A healthier workforce means a more competitive economy, stronger families, and thriving communities across the state. Now is the time to lead with innovation and compassion, ensuring that every Hoosier has access to the healthcare they need to succeed.



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OneHIP : A Smart Investment for Indiana

Improving and Streamlining HIP is a Smart Step to Provide Affordable Health Care to Low-Income Hoosiers - While Strengthening Indiana's Economy and Workforce.



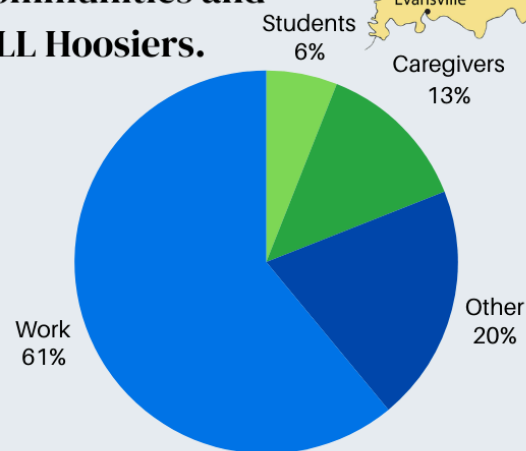
OneHIP is The Best Next Step For Hoosiers

Strengthen Indiana's healthcare infrastructure under OneHIP (One Healthy Indiana Plan) to:

- Invest in Indiana's workforce by ensuring healthier workers.
- Improve outcomes with preventive care.
- Protect hospitals, rural communities and tax payers from financial burden of uninsured people using ERs

Consolidating to OneHIP program, Indiana can deliver tailored, state-specific healthcare solutions that reflect Hoosier values.

OneHIP supports workers, hospitals, rural communities and ALL Hoosiers.



By rebranding Medicaid expansion as OneHIP, Indiana can deliver tailored, state-specific healthcare solutions that reflect Hoosier values.



Federal Spending in Indiana



Workers Now Have Health Insurance

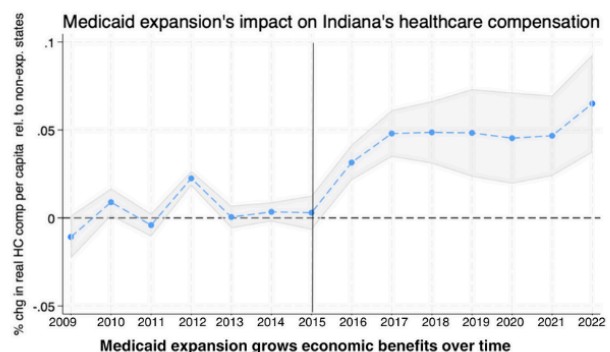


Average Healthcare Salary



Every Healthcare Job Creates 2 More Jobs

Medicaid Expansion Improves Work Readiness and Local Economies through Healthcare.



Detailed Information Available in "OneHIP: A Smart Investment for Indiana" Report

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