



# The Impact of FMAP Funding: 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District of Pennsylvania

Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Clearfield, Cumberland, Fayette, Franklin, Fulton, Indiana, Huntingdon, Juniata, Mifflin, Perry, Somerset, and Westmoreland Counties

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## Medical Assistance (Medicaid) Impacts within District

- At least **1 in 3 children** rely on Medical Assistance for health care in Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Clearfield, Fayette, Fulton, Huntingdon, Mifflin, and Somerset.
- For the counties in this district, there are a **total of 264,802 individuals** who rely on Medicaid for health care.
- In Pennsylvania, **every dollar spent in Pennsylvania's Medicaid program generates \$2.77 in economic activity in local communities** through the purchase of needed goods and services (Source: Families USA). As a result, **Pennsylvania's Medicaid program had an economic impact of \$4.7 billion within counties in this Congressional district**, with each county's impact listed below.
  - Bedford – \$90 million
  - Blair – \$444 million
  - Cambria – \$651 million
  - Clearfield – \$281 million
  - Cumberland – \$500 million
  - Fayette – \$531 million
  - Franklin – \$321 million
  - Fulton – \$26 million
  - Indiana – 225 million
  - Huntingdon – \$105 million
  - Juniata – 40 million
  - Mifflin – \$141 million
  - Perry – \$82 million
  - Somerset – \$163 million
  - Westmoreland – \$1.1 billion
- **Pennsylvania's budget for Medical Assistance for 2010-11, which includes the FMAP extension, will support an estimated 218,000 jobs statewide** (Source: Families USA) in the health care sector (nursing homes, hospitals, home health care agencies, etc.).
- Every million dollars cut from health investments in Pennsylvania's Medicaid budget will result in a loss of \$2.7 million in economic activity in Pennsylvania.



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## Failure to Extend FMAP Could Impact Human Services and Individuals in each PA County

Failure to extend the FMAP rate will result in the state needing to find other dollars to help balance the budget. Such action could impact human services programs in the counties. Below is a table of the numbers of individuals receiving services from human services programs during fiscal year 2008-09.

### Summary of Critical Human Services Received in District – FY 08-09

County	Medical Assistance	Child Welfare Services	Child Care Works Subsidies	Mental Retardation Services	Mental Health Services	Domestic Violence	Rape Crisis	Homeless Assistance
Bedford	8,789	1,647	135	256	1,708	647	176	404

County	Medical Assistance	Child Welfare Services	Child Care Works Subsidies	Mental Retardation Services	Mental Health Services	Domestic Violence	Rape Crisis	Homeless Assistance
Blair	26,349	4,523	783	535	5,530	871	250	2,443
Cambria	26,415	1,026	1,205	441	7,607	687	434	1,251
Clearfield	18,625	556	480	280	2,571	573	173	323
Cumberland	20,543	3,893	1,029	823	6,997	592	638	8,613
Fayette	36,694	3,211	984	596	2,004	816	393	3,476
Franklin	18,436	2,753	673	487	1,919	1,222	288	1,060
Fulton	2,557	523	32	50	197	125	101	187
Huntingdon	8,011	2,841	212	203	504	326	85	142
Indiana	13,700	2,302	479	371	1,166	691	327	753
Juniata	3,357	1,535	93	103	257	159	36	97
Mifflin	9,456	1,730	310	206	510	317	102	316
Perry	5,586	2,466	163	161	1,369	115	130	478
Somerset	12,305	913	399	400	2,711	367	176	902
Westmoreland	53,979	7,592	1,813	1,203	5,927	2,175	758	4,148
<b>District Total</b>	<b>264,802</b>	<b>37,511</b>	<b>8,790</b>	<b>6,115</b>	<b>40,977</b>	<b>9,036</b>	<b>4,067</b>	<b>24,593</b>

Another potential impact of not receiving the FMAP extension is state furloughs. **For the counties in this district, there are a total of 19,929 full-time state employees.** The breakdown for the counties is:

- Bedford – 422 employees
- Blair – 1,489 employees
- Cambria – 2,610 employees
- Clearfield – 1,284 employees
- Cumberland – 4,725 employees
- Fayette – 1,209 employees
- Franklin – 715 employees
- Fulton – 125 employees
- Huntingdon – 952 employees
- Indiana – 956 employees
- Juniata – 512 employees
- Mifflin – 452 employees
- Perry – 1,199 employees
- Somerset – 1,158 employees
- Westmoreland – 2,121 employees

**Source:** Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare