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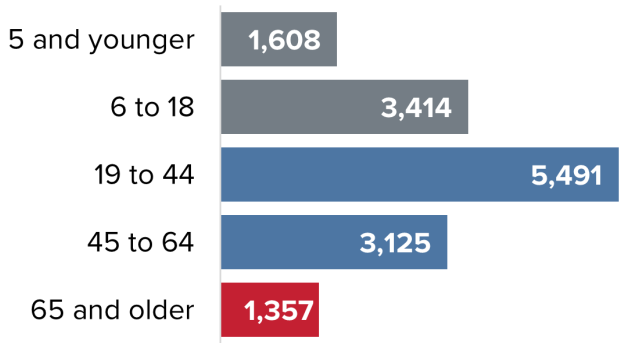
Athens County

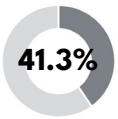
14,994

Athens County residents receive health coverage thanks to Medicaid, which is **24.4%** of the county's population.

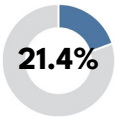
Age of Medicaid Enrollees



In Athens County, Medicaid covers:



2 in 5 children 18 and younger

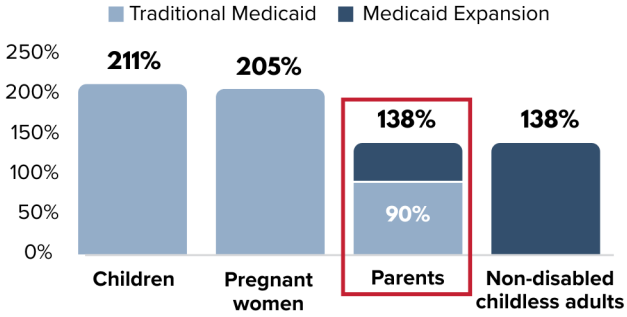


1 in 5 working age adults (19-64)

1 in 10 older adults (65+)

Eligibility levels as a percent of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL)

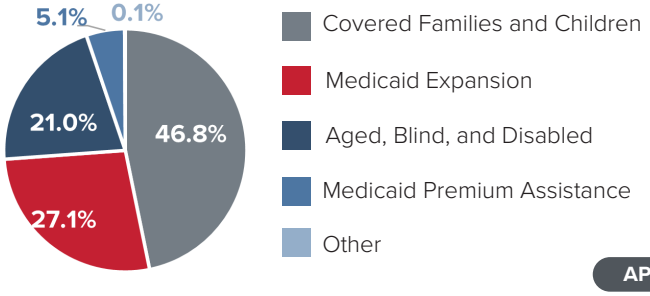
(100% FPL = $15,650 for a single person; $26,650 for a family of 3)



Nearly half of all Ohioans with Medicaid Expansion work.

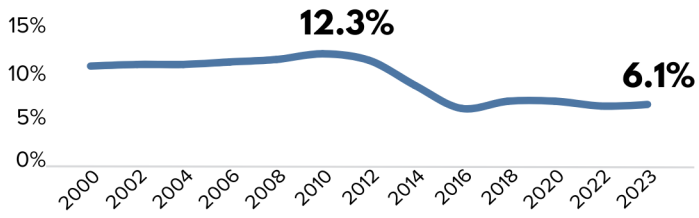
Others are students, caretakers, or dealing with a chronic health condition.

4,056 adults are enrolled in Medicaid Expansion in Athens County. The Medicaid caseload is comprised of several major groups:



Ohio's uninsured rate is half of what it was before Medicaid expansion.

Preventive care and treating conditions early reduce the need for high-cost emergency room visits, long hospital stays, and additional public spending.



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Data sources: Ohio Department of Medicaid, Enrolled Population for month of March 2025, U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey

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