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HEALTHY KIDS and ACCESS Acts: CHIP Funding and Other Key Provisions for Child Health

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CHIP Legislation 2017-2018

- December 8, 2017: First CR (P.L. 115-90) changed redistribution formula
- December 22, 2017: Second CR (P.L. 115-96) added partial FFY 2018 allotment and changed redistribution formula again
- January 22, 2018: HEALTHY KIDS Act (P.L. 115-120)
- February 8, 2018: ACCESS Act (P.L. 115-123)

10 Years of CHIP Funding

HEALTHY KIDS Act

National allotments by federal fiscal year:

- 2018: \$21.5B
- 2019: \$22.6B
- 2020: \$23.7B
- 2021: \$24.8B
- 2022: \$25.9B
- 2023: \$25.9B

ACCESS Act

New approach to CHIP funding:

- 2024-2026: such sums as necessary
- 2027: \$15.3B plus such sums as necessary

CHIP Match Rate

Federal Fiscal Year	CHIP Match Rate
2018	e-FMAP plus 23 percentage points
2019	e-FMAP plus 23 percentage points
2020	e-FMAP plus 11.5 percentage points
2021 and beyond	e-FMAP

Maintenance of Effort

- FFY 2018 & 2019: States must maintain eligibility standards, methodologies, and procedures for children in Medicaid and CHIP
- FFY 2020 & beyond: States with income eligibility levels above 300% of FPL may scale back to 300% of FPL

Pediatric Quality

Pediatric Quality Measures Program

- Launched in CHIPRA (P.L. 111-3) to fund centers of excellence to develop and maintain pediatric quality measures. New funding:
 - \$90M FFYs 2018-2023
 - \$60M FFYs 2024-2027

Mandatory Quality Reporting

- Reporting on quality measures in the Child Core Set is currently voluntary for states.
- The ACCESS Act requires states to report all measures of the Child Core Set for Medicaid and CHIP beginning in FFY 2024.

Outreach and Enrollment

- \$120M in outreach and enrollment grant funds for FFY 2018-2023
- \$48M in outreach and enrollment grant funds for FFY 2024-2027
- Parent mentors are eligible for outreach and enrollment grants; income earned not included in MAGI determinations

Other CHIP-Related Extensions

- Child Enrollment Contingency Fund
 - § 2104(n) through FFY 2027
- Qualifying States
 - §2105(g) through FFY 2027
- Express Lane Eligibility
 - §1902(e)(13)(I) through FFY 2027
- Childhood Obesity Demonstration
 - §1139A(e)(8) through FFY 2023 with an additional \$30 million over the period 2018-2023

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- Medicaid**: Comments on Federal Regulations: Medicaid and CHIP Waivers (October 4, 2017)
- Research & Reports**: How Can We Tell Whether Medicaid MCOs are Doing a Good Job for Kids? (February 26, 2018)
- Medicaid**: Percent of Children Covered by Medicaid/CHIP by County, 2012-2016 (January 25, 2018)

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- Say Ahhh!**: New GAO Report on Medicaid Waiver Evaluations Identifies Many Shortcomings (Joan Alker)
- Say Ahhh!**: Show Me Your Budget, and I'll Tell You What You Value (Hint: It's Not Medicaid in Schools) (Sasha Pudelski)
- Say Ahhh!**: Mississippi Medicaid Waiver Could Lead to Coverage Losses for Very Poor Families (Joan Alker)
- Say Ahhh!**: Research Update: Can Parents in Non-Expansion States Meet a Work Requirement and Remain Medicaid-Eligible? (Karina Wagnerman)

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