# FEDERAL MEDICAID CUTS WILL REDUCE ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE IN NEW MEXICO

#### MEDICAID POWERS NEW MEXICO HEALTH CARE

As the largest health care payor, Medicaid is a lifeline for providers and the backbone of care in our communities. The strength of our entire provider network depends on a strong, stable Medicaid program.

#### **ENROLLMENT**

~840,000 Medicaid members~42% of state's populationHighest Medicaid per capita in US



## MEDICAID MEMBER IMPACTS

**At least 88,530** New Mexicans permanently lose Medicaid coverage

- Nearly 10,000 active Medicaid non-citizens will likely be disenrolled permanently beginning October 2026
- Approx. 89,000 expansion adults likely permanently disenrolled due to work requirements beginning January 2027

**5,648** could lose at least 1 month of coverage due to limits on retroactive coverage starting Jan. 2027 **254,400** subject to new work requirements



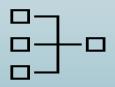
## **MEDICAID FISCAL IMPACTS**

Loss of **\$8.5** billion in federal funding for provider payments 2028-2037



## MEDICAID PROVIDER IMPACTS

**50+ safety net providers** lose critical funding **6-8 hospitals could close** within 18-24 months



#### MEDICAID SYSTEMS IMPACTS

18 months and \$24 million General Fund needed to support integrated Medicaid & SNAP IT systems changes including Call Center and YES.NM.GOV.