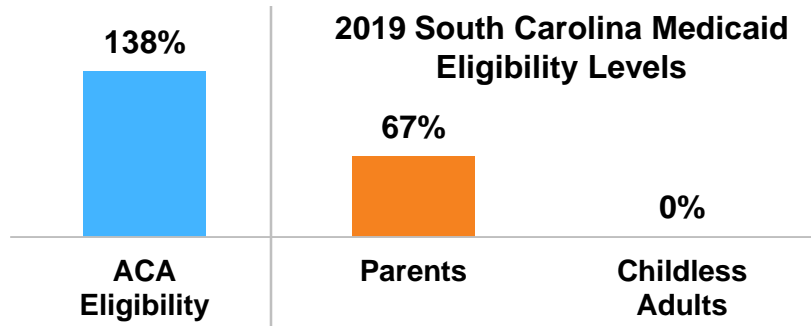


UNINSURED ADULTS IN SOUTH CAROLINA WHO WOULD BECOME ELIGIBLE FOR MEDICAID UNDER EXPANSION

The ACA expanded Medicaid coverage to nearly all adults with incomes up to 138% of the Federal Poverty Level (\$17,236 for an individual in 2019). If South Carolina were to expand its Medicaid program, **211,000** uninsured nonelderly adults would become eligible for coverage, **44%** of the state's uninsured nonelderly adult population.

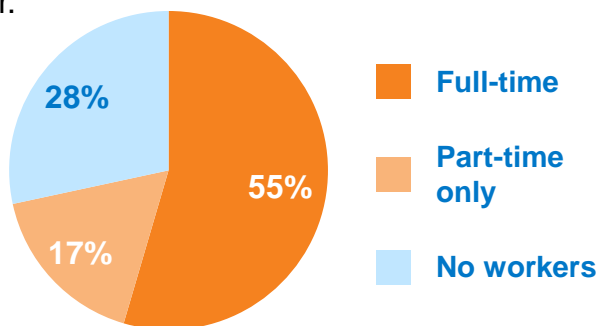


85% of those who would become eligible under Medicaid expansion are childless adults, a group historically excluded from Medicaid eligibility.



Who Are Uninsured Adults Who Would Become Eligible for Medicaid if South Carolina Expanded?

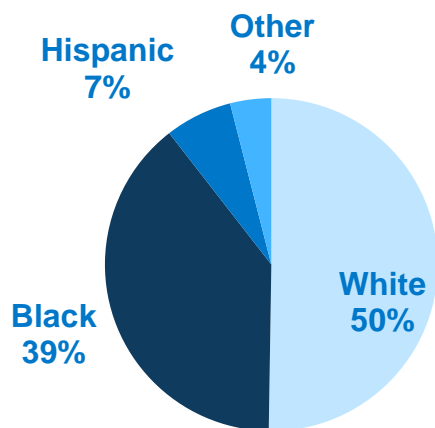
Over **7 in 10** are in a family with at least one worker.



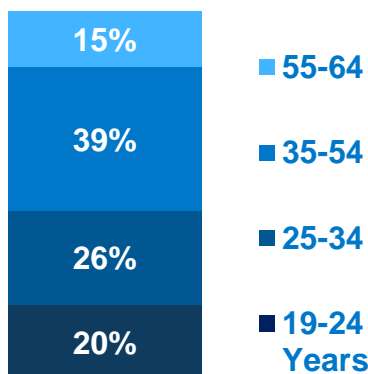
Nearly **6 in 10** are adults living below poverty.



Half are White, non-Hispanic.



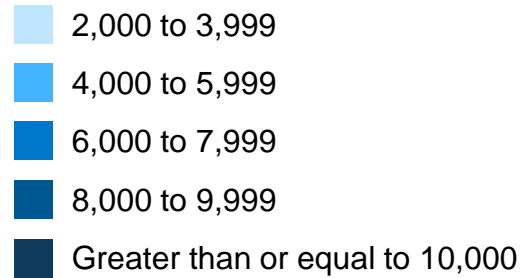
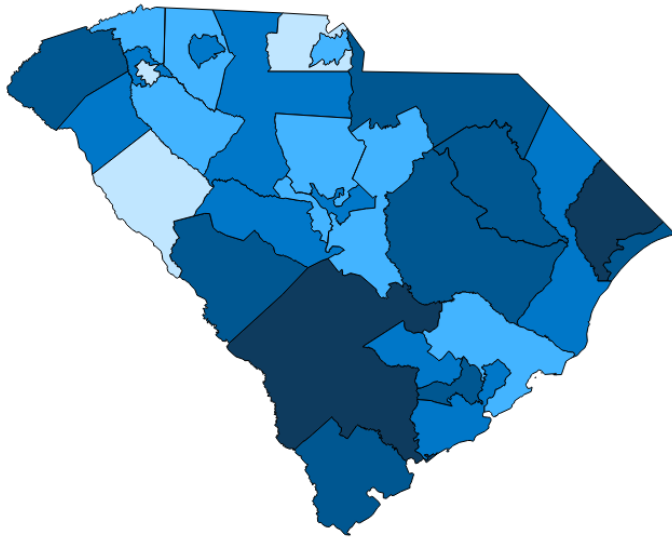
Almost **4 in 10** are middle-aged and 15% are near-elderly, who are more likely to have substantial health needs.



102,000
women

Nearly **half** are women even though many women qualify for Medicaid as caregiver parents.

Where Do Uninsured Adults Who Would Be Eligible for Medicaid if South Carolina Expanded Live?



What is the Potential Impact of Medicaid Expansion?

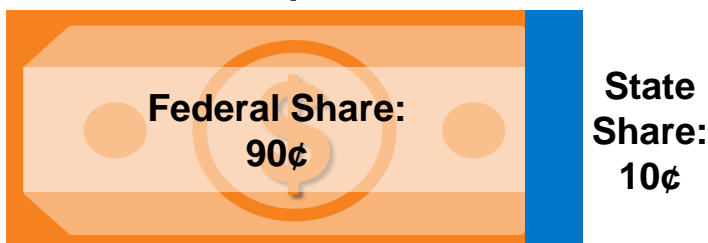


How Would the Medicaid Expansion in South Carolina be Financed?

The federal government pays most of the cost of the ACA Medicaid expansion: 90% in FY 2020 and beyond.

For traditional Medicaid, the federal share of cost is lower (71%) in FY 2020 and changes slightly each year depending on the state's per capita income.

ACA Expansion



Traditional Medicaid

