

Teen Births (2008) and Medicaid Waiver Expansion (2011)

Medicaid waiver expansion policy	Contribution to the total % of US burden	
States <i>without expansion</i> of Medicaid coverage for family planning services	22%	72%
States with <i>partial expansion</i> of Medicaid coverage for family planning services to women under ages 18-19 or to women who have previous received Medicaid	50%	
States with <i>full expansion</i> of Medicaid coverage for family planning services for all women based on income eligibility (including women under 19)	28%	

State	2008 teen birth rate	Number of teen births ages 15-19	% of total US teen births 15-19
New Hampshire	19.8	902	0.2
Massachusetts	20.1	4586	1.1
Vermont	21.3	472	0.1
Connecticut	22.9	2789	0.6
New Jersey	24.5	7008	1.6
New York	25.2	17289	4.0
Maine	26.1	1117	0.3
Minnesota	27.2	4885	1.1
Rhode Island*	28.5	1124	0.3
North Dakota	28.6	666	0.2
Wisconsin	31.3	6041	1.4
Pennsylvania	31.5	13724	3.2
Maryland*	32.8	6560	1.5
Michigan	33.2	11985	2.8
Virginia	33.5	8801	2.0
Iowa	33.9	3591	0.8
Washington	34.6	7386	1.7
Utah	35.1	3749	0.9
Nebraska	36.5	2286	0.5
Oregon	37.2	4476	1.0
Illinois	38.1	17410	4.0
California	38.4	51730	11.9
South Dakota	40.0	1117	0.3
Delaware*	40.4	1237	0.3
Montana	40.7	1312	0.3
Ohio	41.0	16204	3.7
Idaho	41.2	2261	0.5

Hawaii	42.1	1625	0.4
Colorado	42.5	6638	1.5
Florida*	42.8	24077	5.5
Indiana	43.7	9607	2.2
Missouri	45.5	9160	2.1
Kansas	45.6	4403	1.0
Alaska	46.8	1135	0.3
West Virginia	48.8	2772	0.6
Wyoming	49.2	879	0.2
North Carolina	49.4	15136	3.5
District of Columbia	50.9	1083	0.2
Georgia	51.8	17273	4.0
Alabama	53	8559	2.0
South Carolina	53.1	8329	1.9
Nevada	53.5	4262	1.0
Louisiana	54.1	8817	2.0
Tennessee	55.6	11157	2.6
Kentucky	55.6	7636	1.8
Arizona*	56.2	12051	2.8
Oklahoma	61.6	7494	1.7
Arkansas	61.8	5940	1.4
Texas	63.4	54284	12.5
New Mexico	64.1	4540	1.0
Mississippi	65.7	7193	1.7

Expansion is defined as either amending the State Medicaid waiver or by converting to the State Plan Amendment recently made available by Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS).

* Waiver limited to women and teens who had previously received Medicaid services (i.e. Medicaid birth) and lost coverage. GA, PA and TX includes ages 18+.

Source: National Vital Statistics Report (NVSS) http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/nvsr/nvsr59/nvsr59_01.pdf
 Guttmacher Institute State Policies in Brief March 2011 http://www.guttmacher.org/statecenter/spibs/spib_SMFPE.pdf