

# Projected Regional Economic Impact of Medicaid Expansion in 2016

A 2013 RAND report provided a broad economic analysis of the economic impact of expanding Medicaid in Pennsylvania. Projections for 2016 outlined in that report are understated as compared to true implementation of the policy. A New Commonwealth Fund study estimates the loss of more than 137,000 private sector jobs in PA if the ACA is repealed without adequate replacement.

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Effect on PA Gross Domestic Product	<b>\$3.55 Billion</b>
Effect on Employment	<b>39,200 jobs</b>

