

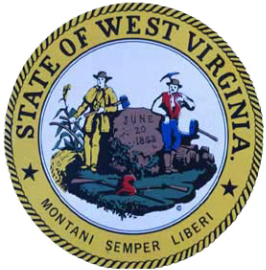
STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

Redesigns Eligibility

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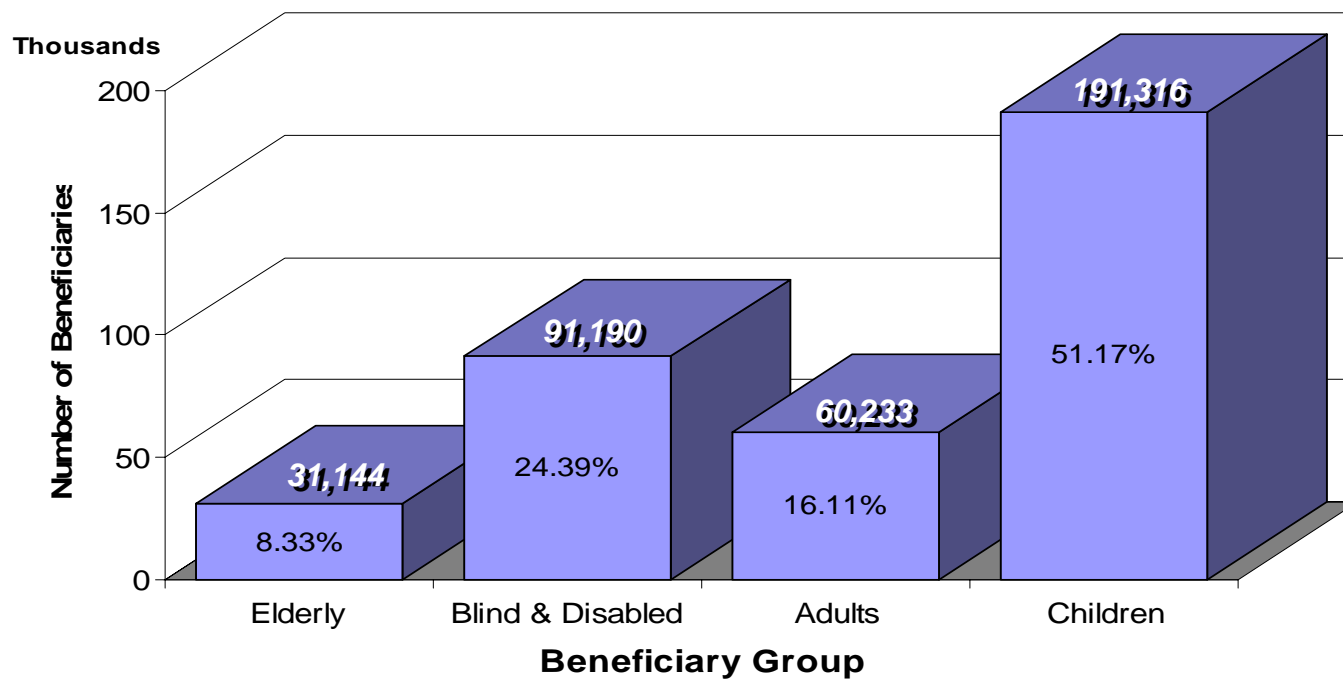
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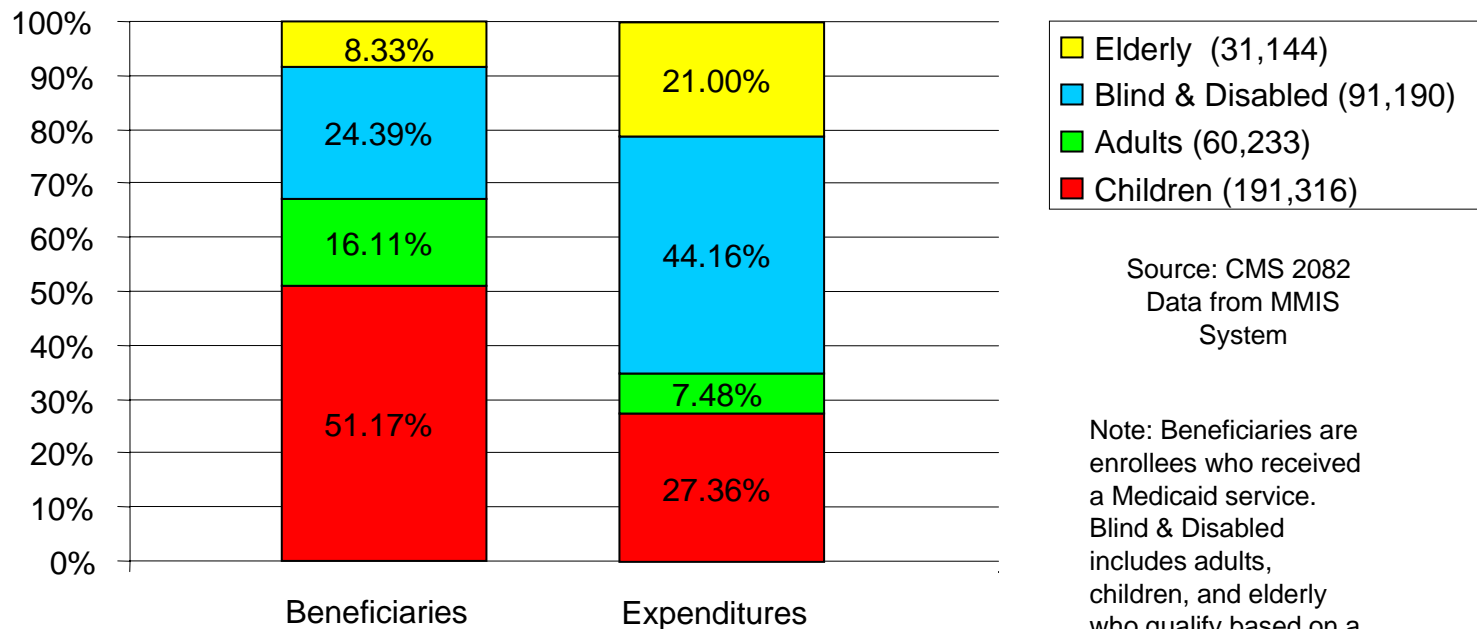
# West Virginia Beneficiaries by Enrollment Group

**West Virginia Medicaid Beneficiaries  
By Enrollment Group, FFY2003**



# West Virginia Beneficiaries by Expenditures

**WEST VIRGINIA MEDICAID BENEFICIARIES AND  
EXPENDITURES BY ENROLLMENT GROUP, FFY 2003**



Source: CMS 2082  
Data from MMIS  
System

Note: Beneficiaries are enrollees who received a Medicaid service. Blind & Disabled includes adults, children, and elderly who qualify based on a disability.

# Recent History of West Virginia Medicaid

Year	Total Expenditures
FY 2001	\$1.48B
FY 2002	\$1.59B
FY 2003	\$1.76B
FY 2004	\$1.94B

Annual growth of 7-9% each year.

# Recent History of West Virginia Medicaid (continued)

- 🗺️ West Virginia has not expanded eligibility
- 🗺️ Rolls have grown by 37,365 or 12% since 2001
- 🗺️ Cost-containment achieved by cutting reimbursement

# Goals of West Virginia Medicaid Redesign

- **Streamline administration**
- **Tailor benefits to population needs**
- **Establish medical home**
- **Promote personal responsibility**
- **Coordinate care, especially for members with chronic conditions**
- **Provide members with the opportunity and incentives to maintain and improve their health**

# Streamlining Administration

- **Reduce 29 eligibility categories to 4**
- **All mandatory coverage groups and previously eligible individuals continue to be covered**

# Eligibility

- 🗝️ Simplification of coverage group categories
  - Children
  - Adults 65 and over
  - Adults with Children
  - Special Needs Groups
- 🗝️ No expansion groups are proposed



# Children

- 👉 **12 month Continuous Eligibility**
- 👉 **Less than 1 year - 150 % FPL**
- 👉 **Age 1-6 - 133% FPL**
- 👉 **Ages 6 - 19 - 100% FPL**

# Adults 65 and Over








- 🏠 Qualified Medicare Beneficiaries (QMB)  
≤ 100% FPL
- 🏠 Specified Low Income Beneficiaries (SLIMB) 100 – 120% FPL
- 🏠 Qualified Individuals (QI)
  - 🏠 120- 135% FPL
- 🏠 Straight Medicaid

# Adults With Children

## *AFDC Payment Levels*

- **Transitional Medicaid (up to 12 months)**
- **Extended Medicaid Child Support (4 months)**
- **Pregnant Women up to 150% FPL**

# Special Needs Group

-  **Nursing Home Services**
-  **ICF/MR**
-  **Children with Disabilities**
-  **Deemed SSI**
-  **Breast and Cervical**
-  **Ryan White**
-  **Illegal Aliens**



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