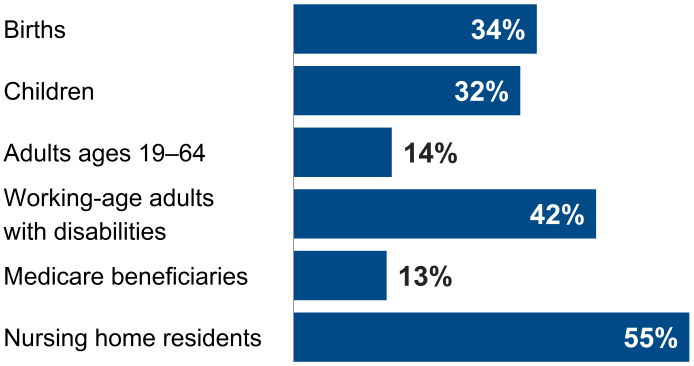
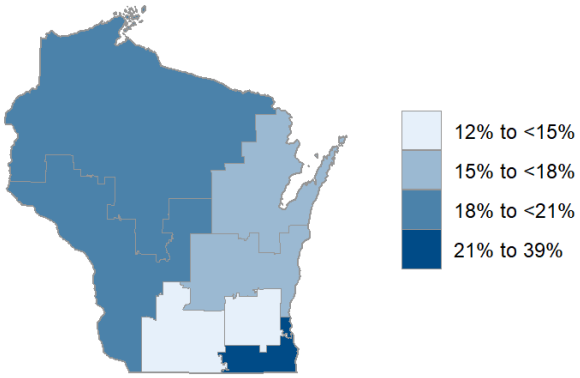
Medicaid in Wisconsin

1,107,000 children and adults enrolled in Wisconsin Medicaid and CHIP

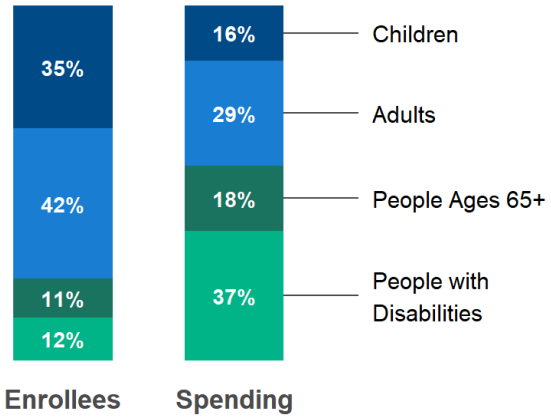
In Wisconsin, Medicaid covers…



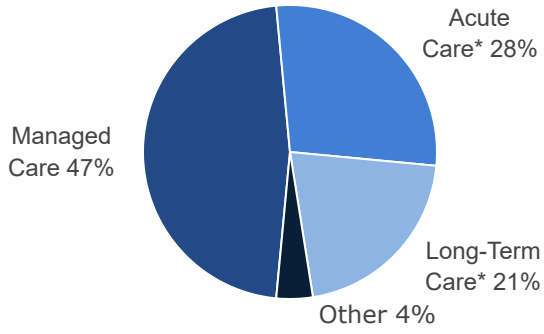
Medicaid covers from 12% to 39% of people in WI's congressional districts



In Wisconsin Medicaid, people ages 65+ and people with disabilities are 23% of enrollees but account for 55% of spending



Total Medicaid spending in Wisconsin is $12.5 billion; the federal government pays 61% of total spending



*Fee-for-Service

Wisconsin has **not adopted** Medicaid expansion

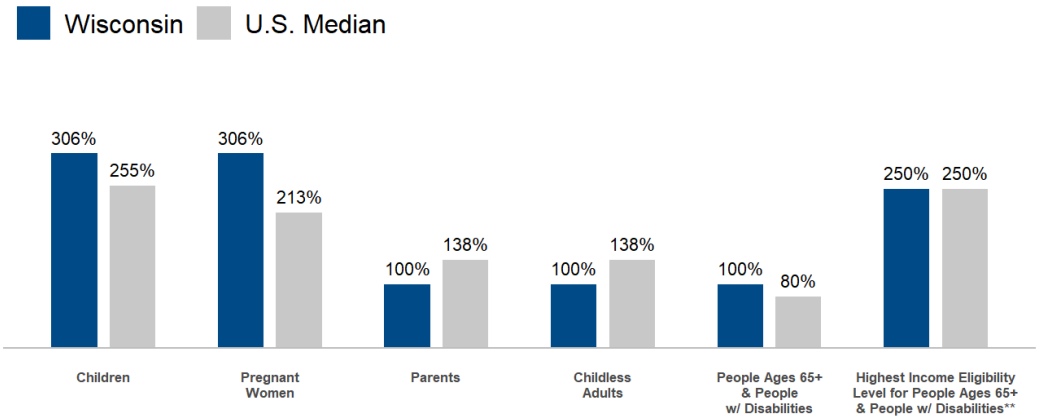
7% of people ages 0-64 in Wisconsin are uninsured

Among Medicaid enrollees in Wisconsin:

32% live in a rural area

12% of adults ages 19-64 have three or more chronic conditions

Medicaid eligibility limits as a percent of the federal poverty level (FPL)*



*The FPL in 2026 is $27,320 for a family of three and $15,960 for an individual.

**To qualify for Medicaid at the higher income eligibility levels, individuals must meet requirements for the buy-in program for working age people with disabilities.

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