Medicaid’s Role for Latino Youth

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Uninsured Rate Among Nonelderly Individuals by Race/Ethnicity, 2013-2016

Data adapted from Kaiser Family Foundation
Figure 1. Uninsurance Rate Among Latino Children and All Children, 2009-2015

* Change is significant at the 90% confidence level. Statistical significance for uninsured Latino children is not available for 2009.

Source: Georgetown Center For Children & Families
HEALTH COVERAGE OF CHILDREN BY RACE/ETHNICITY, 2016

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How Block Grants or Per Capita Caps Destroy Medicaid
Attack on Kentucky Medicaid

- Charge premiums
  - Lock people out of coverage (3 ways)
  - Work requirements
  - Waiting periods
    - Transportation
    - Retroactive coverage

= 100,000 lose coverage
Thank You

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