

The Criminal Justice Population &

ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE IN SALT LAKE COUNTY

- Current Connections & Programming as a Non-Expansion State
- Planning Efforts Towards Expansion

Details released late yesterday on the “Utah Access Plus” Framework

Special Session late October?

Our county previously expressed formal support for the Governor’s Healthy Utah Plan, largely due to the opportunities afforded to the criminal justice system.

The majority of incarcerated individuals will be released at some point in time.

An offender's ability to access physical health and behavioral health services reduces recidivism, increases public safety, and allows individuals to become tax payers rather than users of tax funds.

“When someone gets discharged from the jail and they don't have insurance and they don't have a plan, we can pretty much set our watch to when we're going see them again,” said Ben Breit, a spokesman for the Cook County Sheriff's Office. (“Jails Enroll Inmates in Obamacare to Pass Hospital Costs to U.S.”,

Mark Niquette)

Salt Lake County Intercepts

Best Clinical Practices (MH/SUD TX): The Ultimate Intercept

VOA Assertive Community Outreach Team (to fidelity)

ED Diversion rates of 90% for MCOT, Receiving Center & Wellness Recovery Center

I. Law Enforcement/Emergency Services

CIT, CITIU, Mobile Crisis Outreach Teams, Receiving Center, Wellness Resource Recovery Center, Crisis Line & a Warm Line, VOA Detox

II. Jail

Jail Risk/Need Screen (October Implementation?)
Jail MH Svcs, Mental Health Release, CATS, CRT, CJS Boundary Spanner, State Hospital Competency Restoration, Prosecutorial Pre-Diversion (undergoing implementation), Vivitrol Pilot

III. Courts

Mental Health Courts, Veteran's Courts, Drug Courts, Legal Defender MHL & Social Services Positions, Case Resolution Coordinator

IV. Re-Entry

Top Ten, JDOT, CORE I & II, ATI Transport, DORA, MH/SUD Programs, 4th St Clinic, Medicaid Elig Spc's, Gap Funding,

V. Community

RIO Housing, CJS MHC CM, AP&P MIO, VA Outreach, UDOWD, NAMI, USARA, Rep Payee, Intensive Supervision Pilot

↑ # of individuals Accessing Services

↓ Recidivism

JDOT & CORE
48% reduction in new charge bookings & 70% reduction in length of stay for those housed in SL Co housing.

972 Admissions in FY13 that otherwise would have been jailed

Based on the Munetz and Griffin Sequential Intercept Model

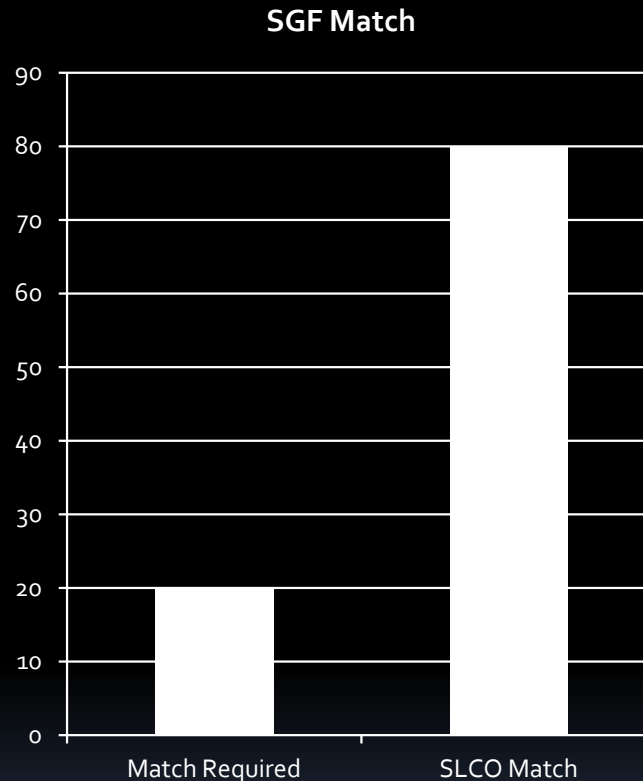
MCOT = Mobile Crisis Outreach Team
MHC = Mental Health Court
MH = Mental Health
MHL = Mental Health Liaison
MHR = Mental Health Release
NAMI = National Alliance on Mental Illness
RIO = Right Person In/Out
SUD = Substance Use Disorder
UDOWD = Utah Defendant Offender Workforce Development
USARA = Utah Support Advocates for Recovery Awareness
VOA = Volunteers of America

ACT = Assertive Community Treatment
AP&P = Adult Probation and Parole
ATI = Alternatives to Incarceration
CATS = Correction Addiction Treatment Svcs
CIT = Crisis Intervention Team
CITIU = CIT Investigative Unit
CJS = Criminal Justice Services
CORE = Co-occurring Reentry & Empowerment (residential program)
CRT = Community Response Team
DORA = Drug Offender Reform Act (supervision program)
ED = Emergency Department
JDOT = Jail Diversion Outreach Team (ACT "Like" Team)

Programming is not to Scale

SLCO:

- 4-6 month wait lists currently exist for certain services
- 1,650 individuals have attended interim groups so far this fiscal year, a service to support individuals while awaiting SUD treatment
- Homeless providers are requesting more behavioral health options for their population

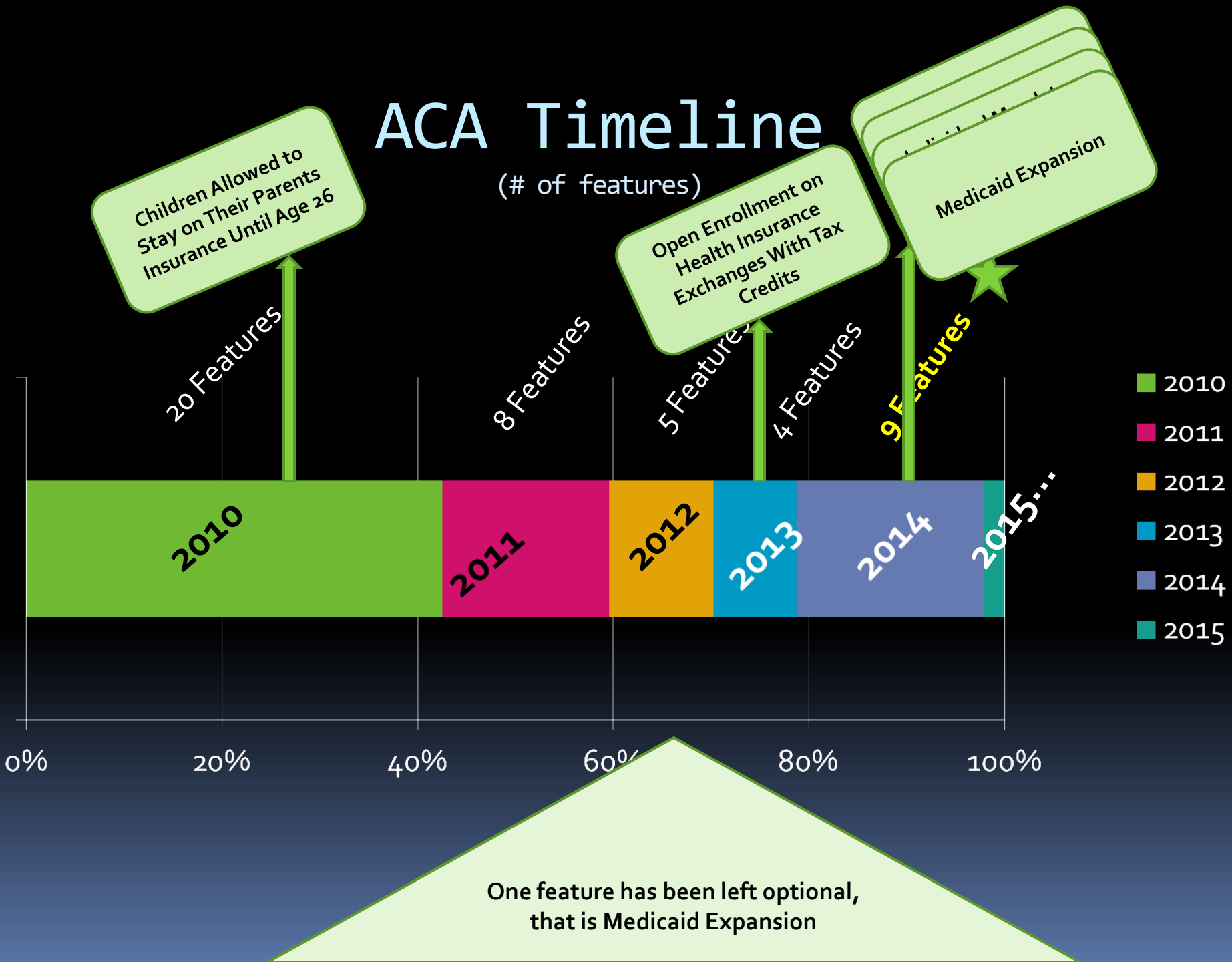


\$41 million Medicaid system vs.
\$64 million dollar Medicaid system

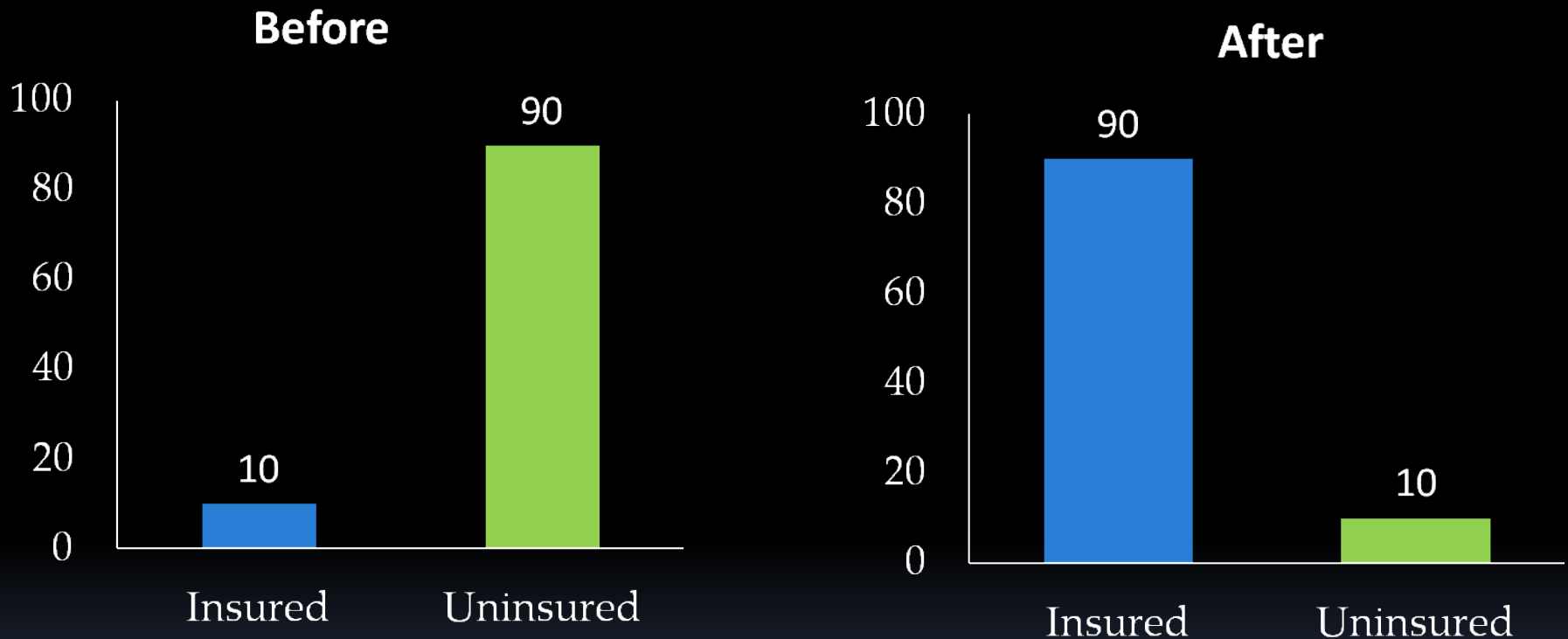
Prior to one-time Medicaid Match dollars allocated in 2014 & 2015 SLCO matched dollar for dollar.

ACA Timeline

(# of features)



Impacts to Inmates Under a Full Expansion Scenario

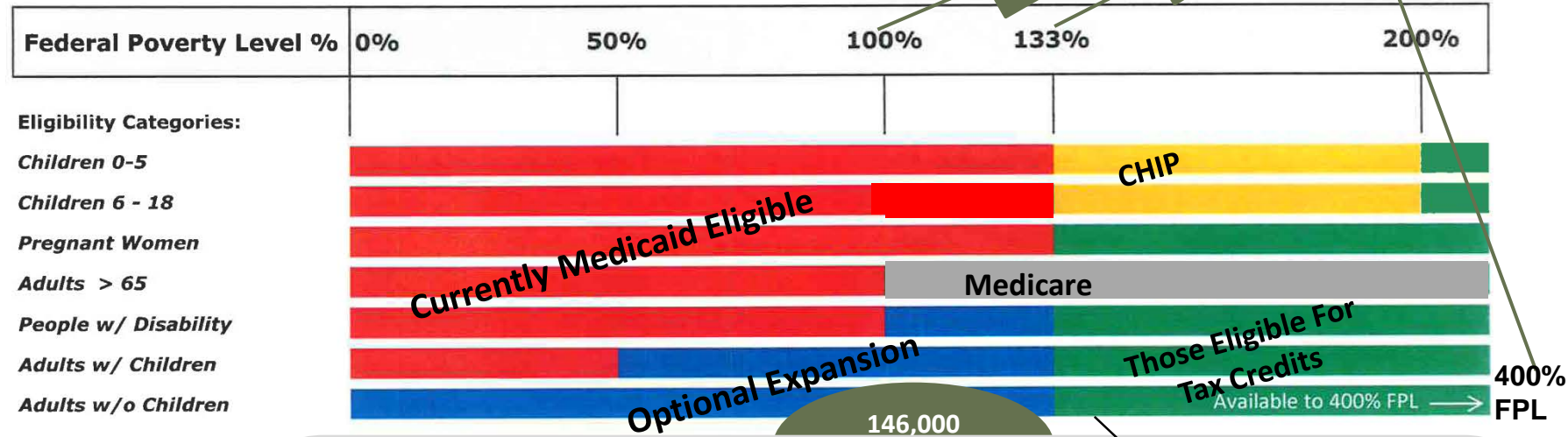


Under a full Medicaid Expansion scenario:

- Salt Lake County estimates a transition from 20% to 87% Medicaid Eligible in our jail.
- Prisons are expected to have a higher number of Medicaid Eligible individuals under an expansion scenario, due to the longer length of stays.

Income Limits for Medicaid, CHIP and Tax Credit Eligibility

Medicaid Eligibility Optional Expansion via the ACA



**Pre-ACA Approximately 90% of individuals
Most are non-parenting, low-income and**

**Approximately 35% of the Optional Expansion
51,100 state**

**3,800 uninsured veterans (and 1000 spouses)
Expansion should cover**

1 E.A. Wang, M.C. White, R. Jamison, J. Goldenson, M. Estes and
Care: Findings from the San Francisco County Jail." *American Journal of*

2 National Institute of Corrections, "Solicitation for a Cooperative Agreement
Reentry Strategy (76 FR 39438)," (Washington: Federal Register, July 6, 2011).

3Uninsured Veterans and Family Members: State and National Estimates of Expanded Medicaid Eligibility Under the ACA,
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and Urban Institute, March 2013

An Individual in Salt Lake, 27 years old, earning \$15,700/yr

Monthly premium - \$24/mo (after tax credit)

Deductible - \$500/yr

Maximum - \$750/yr

Copayments/Coinsurance:

Primary Doctor: \$25

Specialist Doctor: \$35

Generic Prescription: \$17

ER Visit: 20% Coinsurance after deductible

Slides Modified by SL Co

Enrollment Opportunities

Jail

Pre-Disposition
(Approx 30% or 630
Inmates)

Post-Disposition
(Approx 1470 Inmates)

Enroll
(Medicaid/Marketplace)

Enroll
(Medicaid)

Limited, problems include:

- Terminating rather than suspending Medicaid Eligibility
- Small numbers eligible due to 30 day requirement & due to being a non-expansion state

Released

Hospital for 24 hours or more
(Med Eligibility Specialist)

Hospital for 24 hours or more
(Med Eligibility Specialist)

Not
Guilty

Providers

Guilty/Supervision
Guilty

Providers
UDOWD

Post Adjudicated

Reentry Program, CJS, LDA/PD,
AP&P, Priv Sup, Providers, UDOWD

ACA – Affordable Care Act
AP&P – Adult Probation and Parole
CAC – Certified Application Counselor
CJS – Criminal Justice Services
LDA – Legal Defender’s Association
PCP – Primary Care Physician
PD - Public Defenders
Priv Sup – Private Supervision Agency
UDOWD – Utah Defendant Offender
Workforce Development

**A Real “Shot in the Arm”
For The Criminal Justice
System**

ACA reentry brochures at all jail release
points – release from jail is a qualifying life
event that allows enrollment outside of
open enrollment periods

Providers, Priv Sup, AP&P, CJS, LDA/PD, Court
UDOWD

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Levels of Enrollment Assistance

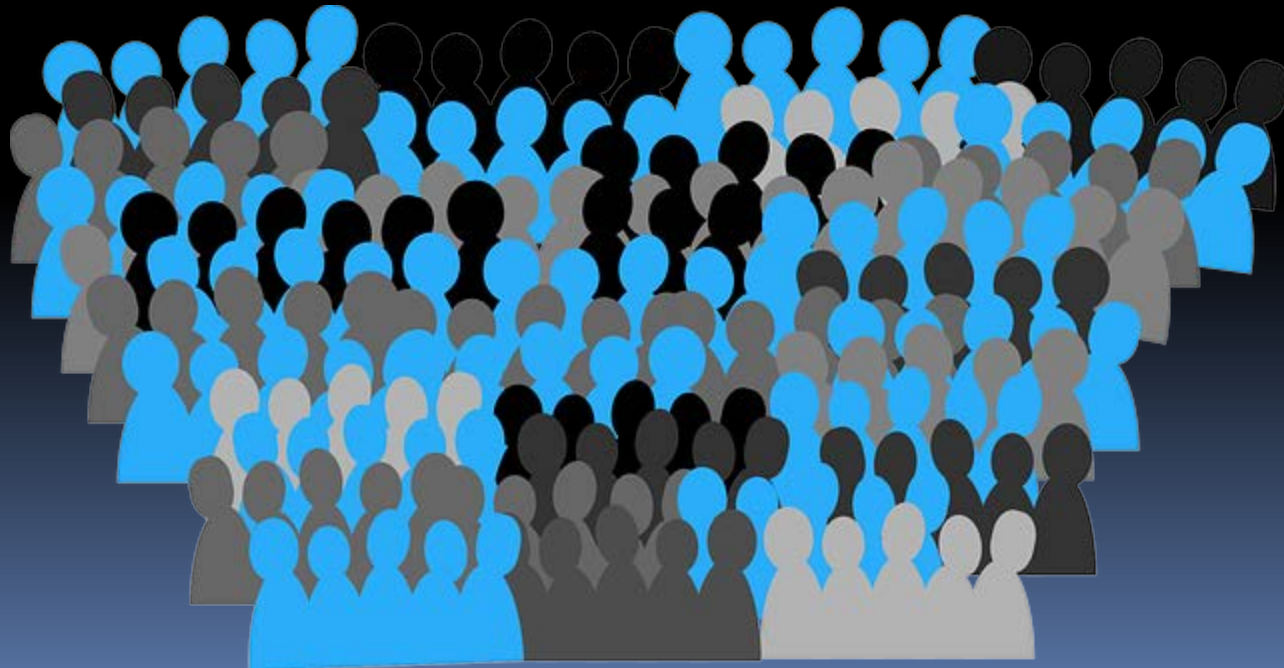
A Program may wish to:

- Disseminate information
- Provide enrollment links on websites
- Provide meeting spaces for enrollment assistors or outreach and education presentations
- Provide “warm” handoffs
- Fund for the first time or increase the number of Medicaid Eligibility Specialists in a program
- Become or collaborate with a “Enrollment Assistor” Organization



Statewide Criminal Justice Conference on Access to Health Care

...Sharing the same clients



**Criminal Justice Primer on Accessing Healthcare
State Office Building
Auditorium**

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| 8:30-8:45 | Welcome & Justice Reinvestment Update | Ron Gordon, CCJJ |
| 8:45-9:45 | New Avenues in Accessing Healthcare (Tax Credits, Marketplace Plans & Medicaid) & Opportunities in Reducing Recidivism Medicaid Expansion Plan & Update | SL Co BH Services State Medicaid Office |
| 9:45-10:15 | View from the Ground – LA County, Cook County & Denver County Jail Enrollment Video | |
| 10:15-10:25 | Break (10 minutes) | |
| 10:25-10:45 | Enrollment Touch Points In Utah’s Criminal Justice Systems | SL Co BH Services Ut Dept of Corrections |
| 10:45-11:20 | Enrollment Assistance Programs in Utah & Current Collaborations With Criminal Justice Programs | Take Care Utah Dept of Workforce Services |
| 11:20-12:00 | Policy Considerations | Moderator: Administrative Office of the Courts |
| | Medicaid Expansion Private Health Plan Exclusions for Court Ordered Treatment Suspension vs Termination of Medicaid Eligibility For Inmates | Selecthealth Dept of Workforce Services State Medicaid Office Odyssey House USARA |
| 12:00 | Closing Remarks | Ron Gordon, CCJJ |



Affordable Care Act



Online Enrollment Link
Marketplace telephone #
Navigator/CAC's Link

Specialty Population
Information

Brochures in 9 Languages
Widgets

www.affordablecareact.slco.org

- ▶ What is the ACA?
- ▶ What is the Marketplace?
- ▶ How Can I Save?
- ▶ How do I Enroll?
- ▶ Individuals and Families
- ▶ Small Business
- ▶ How Can the ACA Help?
- ▶ Additional Resources
- ▶ Medicaid Expansion
- ▶ Healthcare.gov
- ▶ CuidadoDeSalud.gov

Links to the Federal Health Insurance Marketplace



Message from Mayor Ben McAdams



The Affordable Care Act – also known as healthcare reform—sets out new requirements and resources for consumers so that they can help navigate the changing health insurance coverage system. Surveys show that many Utahns are unsure about the new law and how they can find reliable, accurate information. Healthcare reform seeks to expand coverage. But achieving that goal depends on consumers' ability to effectively

participate in health coverage in ways that have been unavailable until now.

With this website, I hope we can help you with answers to questions such as:

- ▶ How can I find coverage?
- ▶ What will it cost?
- ▶ When will I see the benefits?

Health care is a very personal issue that touches all our lives. My hope is that the information available here assists you and your family in making the best possible choice for you.



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