## Ohio's Runaway Medicaid Program

Since Gov. John Kasich expanded Ohio's Medicaid program under Obamacare, costs and enrollment have exploded. As shown below, average monthly costs have jumped more than 48 percent in just six years as more Ohioans joined the entitlement program. These costs pull resources from other vital government programs and increase Ohioans' dependence on a bankrupt federal government.

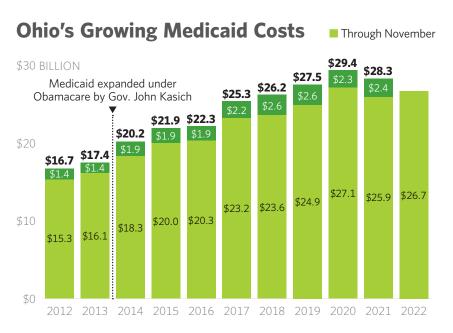
## **Change in Medicaid Costs and Enrollment**

CHANGE SINCE AUGUST 2011, THREE-MONTH ROLLING AVERAGES

150% Medicaid expanded under Obamacare by Gov. John Kasich 100% 50% 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022

SOURCES: Ohio Department of Medicaid and Ohio Office of Budget and Management.

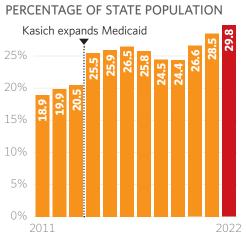
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## Nearly One-Third of Ohio on Medicaid



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## Medicaid Nearly Half of Ohio's Budget



\* Through Nov. 2022—5 months of FY 2023. SOURCES: Ohio Department of Medicaid and Ohio Office of Budget and Management.

