### Ohio's Runaway Medicaid Program

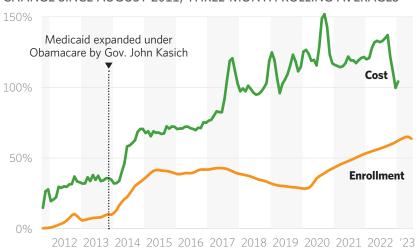
Since Gov. John Kasich expanded Ohio's Medicaid program under Obamacare, costs and enrollment have exploded. Average monthly costs have jumped more than 48 percent in just six years as more Ohioans joined the entitlement program. These costs pull resources from other vital government programs and increase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

Ohio private sector
4.84 million

Ohioans
enrolled in
Medicaid
3.51 million
(73%)

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

CHANGE SINCE AUGUST 2011, THREE-MONTH ROLLING AVERAGES

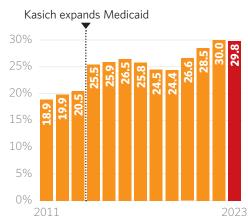


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## Nearly One-Third of Ohio on Medicaid

PERCENTAGE OF STATE POPULATION

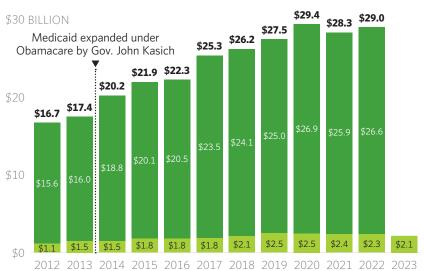


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#### **Ohio's Growing Medicaid Costs**

■ Through January



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# Medicaid Comprises Half of Ohio's Budget



\* Through Jan. 2023—7 months of FY 2023. Data are unavailable for February–June 2023. SOURCES: Ohio Department of Medicaid and Ohio Office of Budget and Management.

