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# Medicaid Expansion Update

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# Medicaid Expansion **OVERVIEW**

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The Expansion State Plan Amendment was approved, and coverage began Jan. 1., 2020. Medicaid expansion provides coverage to non-disabled adults with an annual household income up to 138 percent of the Federal Poverty Level.

Implementation of SB1204 required four waivers to be filed with CMS and CCIIO:

- Coverage Choice
  - Work Requirements
  - Family Planning Services
  - Idaho Behavioral Health Transformation/IMD
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## Gross Income for Adult Coverage

<b>Household Size</b>	<b>138%</b>
1	\$1,437
2	\$1,944
3	\$2,454
4	\$2,961
5	\$3,469
6	\$3,979
7	\$4,486
8	\$4,994
Each additional member	+ \$508



## Enrollment methods

1. SNAP Re-evaluations beginning July 2019
2. Specialized Enrollment for target populations (Behavioral Health)
3. Applications submitted beginning Nov. 1, 2019
4. APTC renewal process beginning October 2019

## Eligibility Process

1. Signed application
  2. Verification of information (interface or manual)
  3. Mailed notices outlining eligibility
  4. Ability to opt out of Medicaid
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# Current Medicaid Expansion enrollment

# 57,794

## Enrolled

\*Updated Thursday, Jan. 16, 2020



## EXPANSION ENROLLMENT BY COUNTY

ADA	12,913	BUTTE	101	GEM	584	MINIDOKA	613
ADAMS	130	CAMAS	29	GOODING	482	NEZ PERCE	961
BANNOCK	3,621	CANYON	8,063	IDAHO	464	ONEIDA	123
BEAR LAKE	223	CARIBOU	192	JEFFERSON	980	OWYHEE	420
BENEWAH	272	CASSIA	741	JEROME	782	PAYETTE	872
BINGHAM	1,555	CLARK	17	KOOTENAI	4,859	POWER	266
BLAINE	437	CLEARWATER	223	LATAH	890	SHOSHONE	597
BOISE	228	CUSTER	153	LEMHI	388	TETON	296
BONNER	1,711	ELMORE	870	LEWIS	186	TWIN FALLS	3,230
BONNEVILLE	4,756	FRANKLIN	408	LINCOLN	188	VALLEY	264
BOUNDARY	450	FREMONT	549	MADISON	2,370	WASHINGTON	337

## EXPANSION ENROLLMENT BY DISTRICT

1	1,851	10	2,285	19	1,288	28	1,707
2	1,410	11	1,826	20	1,039	29	2,100
3	1,840	12	2,159	21	1,206	30	1,627
4	1,545	13	1,711	22	1,466	31	1,562
5	1,052	14	1,139	23	1,456	32	1,552
6	993	15	1,529	24	1,902	33	2,471
7	1,582	16	1,873	25	2,067	34	2,995
8	1,613	17	1,918	26	1,153	35	1,742
9	1,614	18	1,112	27	1,406		



## Federally required Medicaid benefits

**Ambulatory Medical Services:** primary care, specialist care, outpatient surgery, and other outpatient medical services

**Emergency Services:** emergency room services and ambulance

**Hospital Services:** inpatient services, including physician, surgery, and radiation therapy

**Maternity and Newborn Care:** prenatal, postnatal, and maternity care

**Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Services:** individual, family, and group counseling, and other outpatient and inpatient mental health and substance use disorder services

**Prescription Drugs:** all FDA approved drugs required under federal coverage provisions

**Rehabilitative and Habilitative Services and Devices:** physical, occupational, and speech therapy, durable medical equipment and supplies, rehabilitative nursing facility services, and other habilitative services

**Laboratory Services:** diagnostic lab tests and imaging such as X-rays and CT/PET/MRI

**Preventive and Wellness Services:** includes preventive screenings, immunizations, diabetes education, tobacco cessation

**Pediatric Services:** routine eye exams, medically necessary orthodontia, eyeglasses, dental services



## Additional Idaho Medicaid Services

- Optometrist Services
- Podiatrist Services
- Chiropractic Services
- Dental Services
- Preventive Health Assistance





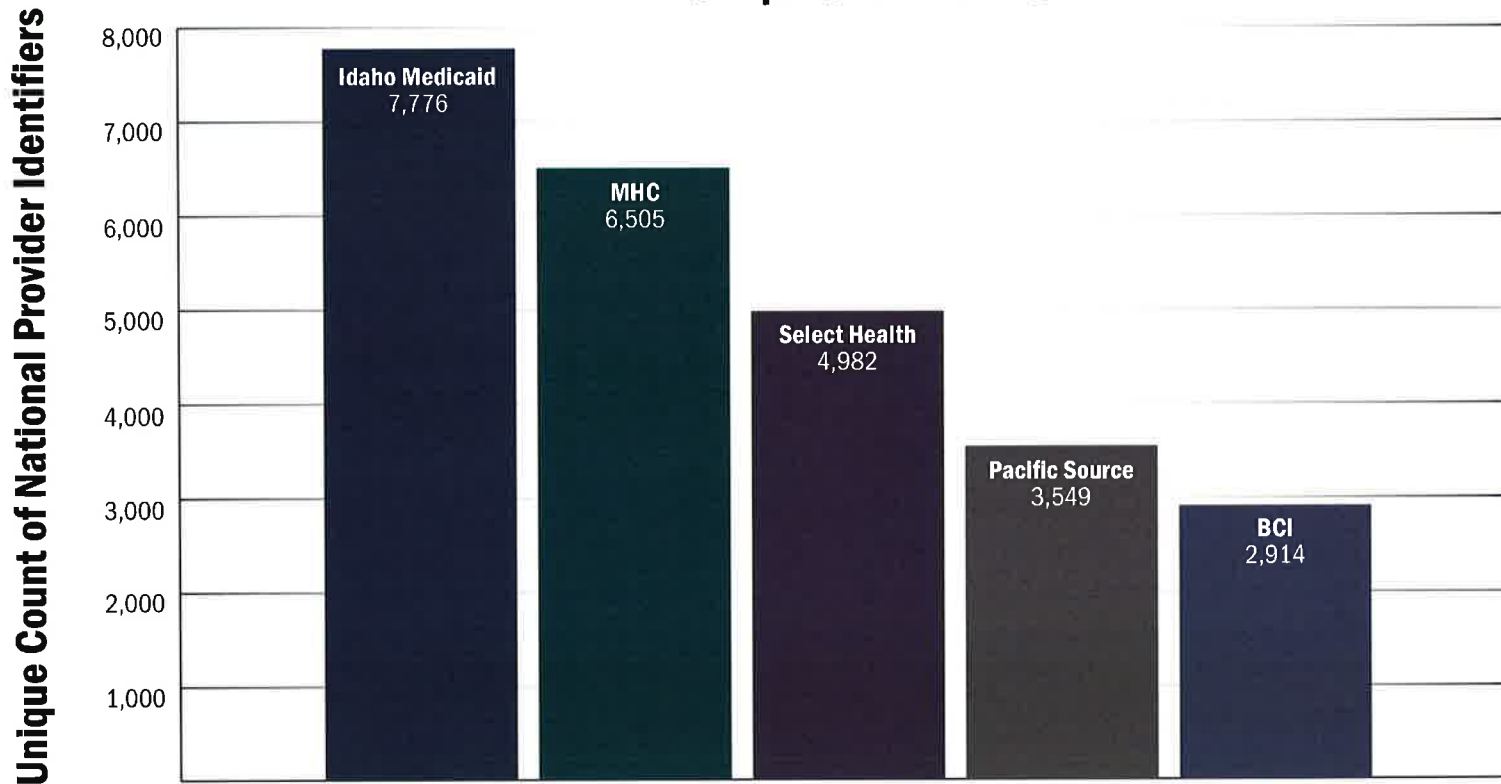
## Primary Care Enrollment

- About 13% (~7,400) of new participants have already chosen their primary care provider
- During their first 90 days of enrollment, participants can go to any provider without referral
- If they don't select a primary care provider within 90 days, Medicaid will assign one
- Provider survey indicates strong availability of primary care throughout Idaho
- 90+% of Primary Care Providers are enrolled with Idaho Medicaid



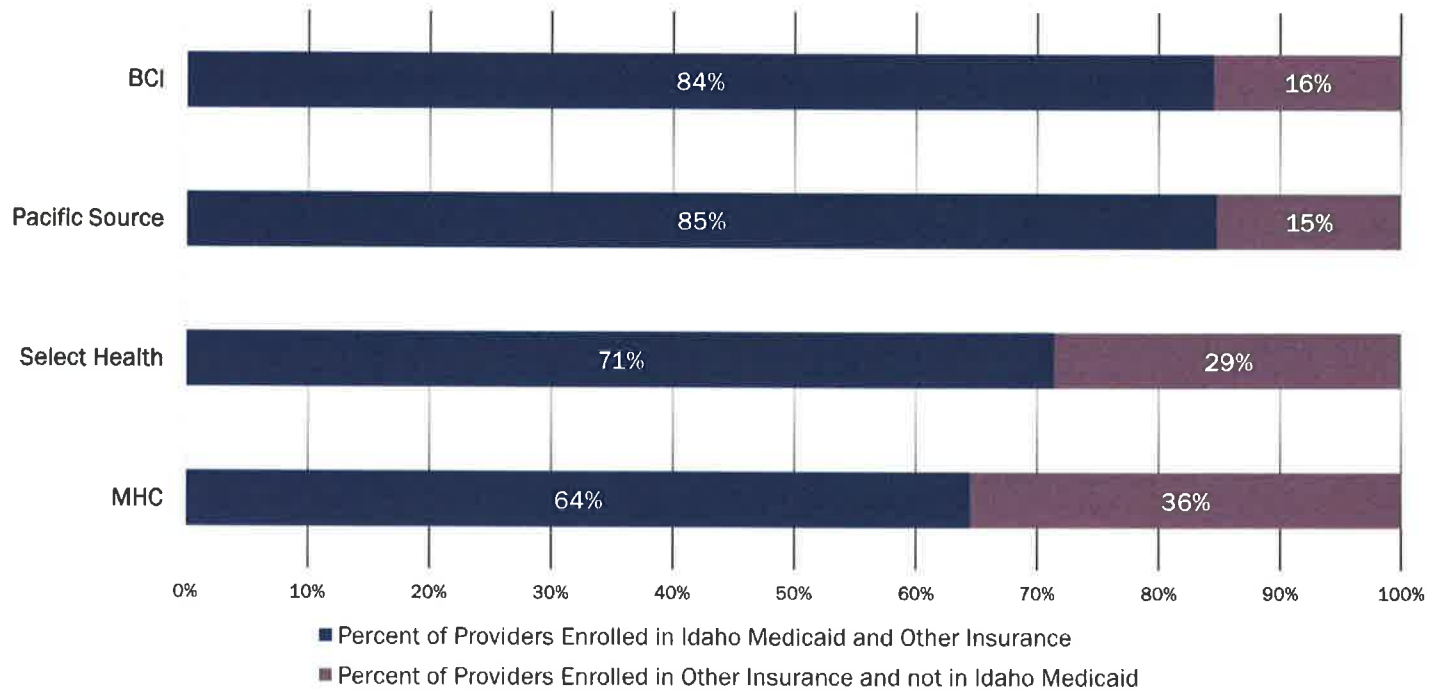


### Idaho Physicians, Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants Enrolled per Insurance Plan





**Percent of Idaho Physicians, Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants Enrolled per Insurance Plan and Idaho Medicaid**



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# Medicaid Expansion **WAIVERS**

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# Waiver implementation process

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	<b>Draft application 8 weeks</b>	<b>Tribal/Public Notice and comment 30 days</b>	<b>Review comments and submit application 1 - 2 weeks</b>	<b>Review letter of completion from CMS 1 - 2 weeks</b>	<b>Negotiate terms and conditions 6 - 12 weeks</b>	<b>Wait for Federal approval 8 - 16 weeks</b>	<b>Implement waivers 6 months</b>
<b>Coverage Choice</b>							
<b>Work Requirements</b>							
<b>Family Planning</b>							
<b>IMD</b>							



Requires that individuals are working at least 20 hours a week as a condition of being eligible.

**Status: Submitted Sept. 27, 2019 and awaiting federal approval.**

National Status:

10 States approved

6 states have lawsuits

10 states have submitted applications/pending

No state currently has work requirements implemented for Medicaid

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Allows individuals with Medicaid coverage to receive inpatient treatment for mental health and substance use disorders in a freestanding psychiatric hospital.

**Status:** Submitted on Jan. 3, 2020 and awaiting federal approval.

26 states have received similar waivers for substance use disorder. Washington D.C. and Indiana have received a waiver for both substance use disorder and serious mental illness treatment. Idaho expects to be the first state approved for substance use disorder coverage through a State Plan Amendment.

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# Family Planning Services Waiver

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Requires individuals seeking family planning services to have a referral from their assigned medical home if the family planning service providers is outside the patient's established medical home.

**Status: Submitted Oct. 21, 2019 and awaiting federal approval.**

South Carolina, Tennessee, and Texas have applied for family planning waivers and all are pending a federal decision.

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Allows Idahoans the choice to maintain their private insurance with the tax credit rather than enrolling in Medicaid.

**Status:** Determined incomplete. DHW and the Department of Insurance are working to resubmit the application.

A challenging approval path: Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight (CCIIO at CMS) and Treasury (IRS) must approve.

Idaho's waiver request is the first of its kind.

Idaho's waiver must prove budget neutrality.

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The screenshot shows the Idaho Medicaid Expansion website with several annotations:

- Apply**: An arrow points to the "Apply NOW" button.
- Coverage**: An arrow points to the "What's covered?" link.
- Resources**: An arrow points to the "Resources" section.
- Review eligibility**: An arrow points to the "Am I eligible?" section.
- Provider Information**: An arrow points to the "Are you a community partner or healthcare provider?" section.
- Current enrollment**: An arrow points to the "55,917 Enrolled" graphic.
- Updates**: An arrow points to the "Updates" section.

The website content includes:

- Header:** IDAHO Medicaid Expansion Apply NOW. You are Here: Medicaid Expansion > Home.
- How do I apply?** Apply online, over the phone, in person or by mail, email or fax. Coverage starts Jan. 1, 2020. [Apply NOW](#)
- What's covered?**
- Resources:**
  - [Customer FAQs](#)
  - [Enrollment Plan \(PDF - English & Spanish\)](#)
  - [How to Enroll \(PDF\)](#)
  - [Medicaid Expansion Information \(PDF\)](#)
- Am I eligible?** Update individuals and:
  - Citizens and legal residents. Must be an Idaho citizen.
  - [Those who were applied before](#)
  - [Between Ages 19 and 64](#)
  - [Not on Medicare](#) (You may still qualify for regular Medicaid and government tax credits.)
- Are you a community partner or healthcare provider?** Add special information and pricing resources are available to you:
  - [Waver Information](#)
  - [Provider FAQ](#)
- Updates:**
  - [Idaho Medicaid Expansion Enrollment Health Care Enrollment & Services for Access](#)
  - [Idaho updates on status of our application for federal \(FSE\)](#)
  - [Local Orders for Idaho Sign-up Assistance and Outreach \(PDF\)](#)
  - [Idaho expands public comments on public data and health](#)
  - [Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services \(CMS\) asks for Advice: The Road Ahead](#)
  - [Outreach notices from CMS for Idaho Medicaid Expansion state plan applications](#)
  - [Idaho expands CMS data collection capabilities to serve states \(PDF\)](#)
- 55,917 Enrolled** (Enrollment by County (PDF))
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