

Impact of Legislative Cut of \$50 million from Medicaid Budget

Option A

1. *Reduce Aged and Disabled Waiver services to thousands of individuals*
2. *Reduce Intellectual and Developmental Disability Waiver services to thousands of individuals*

Option B

1. *Eliminate Personal Care Services for Adults*
2. *Eliminate Emergency Transportation for the Elderly and Disabled*
3. *Eliminate Hospice Care for the terminally ill*
4. *Nursing Home Rate Reductions*

Option C

1. *Eliminate Services to:*
 1. *Low Income Aged, Blind, and Disabled that are ineligible for SSI (predominantly nursing home patients)*
 2. *Breast and Cervical Cancer Patients*
2. *Eliminate the following services:*
 1. *Adult Dental*
 2. *Optometrists/Opticians*
 3. *Occupational Therapy*
 4. *Podiatry*
 5. *Physical Therapy*
 6. *Hospice*

Option D

1. *Reduce payments to facilities that serve as a location for individuals with disabilities. These locations serve as the residence for individuals with disabilities. Many of these individuals are non-ambulatory, have seizure disorders, behavior problems, mental illness, visual or hearing impairments, or a combination of the above. There are 70 Intermediate Care Facilities in WV with over 500 beds.*
2. *Nursing Home Rate Reductions- There are over 110 nursing homes in West Virginia with over 10,000 beds. Approximately 75% of all nursing home bed occupants are on Medicaid.*

3. *Elimination of Hospital Payments which allow for the flow federal dollars to WV. PEIA provides Medicaid with funding to match Federal dollars. This money is then distributed to hospitals across the state and allows PEIA to pay a lower rate to hospitals for PEIA members.*
4. *Eliminate Graduate Medical Education to Hospitals- This funding is currently provided to WVU and Marshall University*
5. *Eliminate Key Services*
 1. *Adult Dental*
 2. *Optometrists/Opticians*
 3. *Occupational Therapy*
 4. *Podiatry*
 5. *Physical Therapy*
 6. *Hospice*

Option E

1. *Eliminate coverage for 175,000 West Virginians and remove over \$900 million from the West Virginia economy annually. In State Fiscal year 2018, West Virginia will spend approximately \$52 million State dollars to match \$889 million Federal dollars. This cut would result in an increase in hundreds of millions in charity care for state hospitals and require the state to replace state funding cuts to charity care programs that have been eliminated over the past few years in the amount of approximately \$20 million.*