

According to a new report commissioned by Missouri Foundation for Health, if Medicaid were expanded in Missouri, the average yearly economic impacts (2022-26) from the increase in federal funding would lead to:

### Job Growth

averaging  
**16,330**  
new jobs created  
each year

### Growth Benefitting the Whole State

**63.7%**  
of new jobs  
would be  
outside of  
Kansas City  
and St. Louis

### Employment Growth Beyond Health Care

**79%** of new jobs  
would be outside of the  
health care industry

### State Economic Benefits (yearly average)

↑ **\$2.5B**  
increase in  
economic output

↑ **\$1.6B**  
increase in  
gross domestic product

↑ **\$1.1B**  
increase in  
personal  
income

### Quality Jobs

Nearly **9** out of **10**  
of these new jobs  
would pay  
**\$15/hour or more**  
to full-time workers

— \$15/hr

**90%**

of the cost of expansion  
would be paid for by  
the **federal government**



The reduction of state government spending would effectively expand Missouri's operating budget to reallocate funding for other priorities