

Ohio's Obamacare "Success"

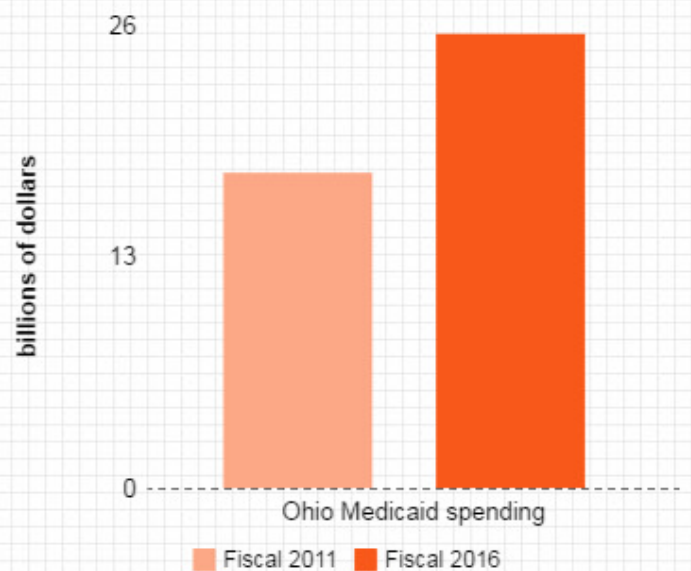
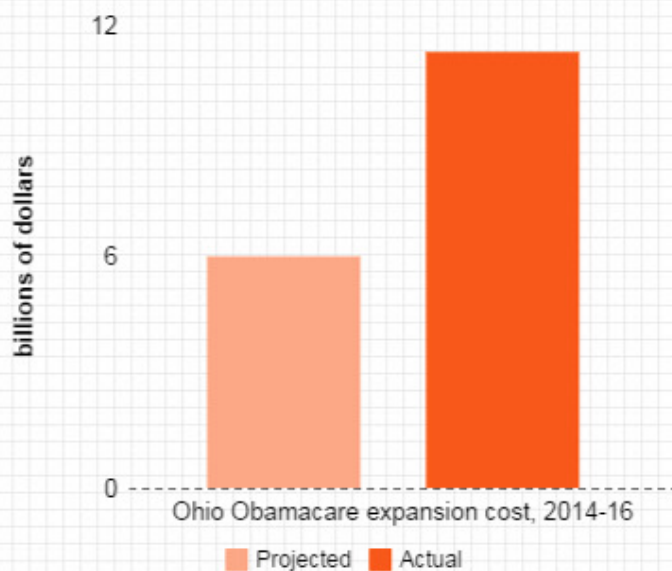
Ohio Gov. John Kasich says Obamacare's expansion of Medicaid to working-age adults with no kids and no disabilities has been successful. He wants more federal money for the welfare program, and wants other governors to follow his lead.

Because of Obamacare expansion, Ohio's Medicaid spending has skyrocketed since Kasich took office in 2011.



Kasich's Obamacare expansion has run \$5 billion over budget in just 3 years.

Ohio Medicaid spending increased by 44% during Kasich's first 5 years in office.



Source: Ohio Department of Medicaid

Kasich says Obamacare expansion is necessary to help drug addicts. But fewer than a third of enrollees abuse drugs, and fewer than a third of enrollees who abuse drugs are receiving substance abuse treatment.



Source: Ohio Department of Medicaid

Kasich says Obamacare expansion keeps Ohioans working, healthy, and out of hospital emergency rooms. But according to an Ohio Department of Medicaid survey...

57%
of enrollees
are unemployed

52%
see no
improvement in
their health

66%
haven't reduced
their ER usage

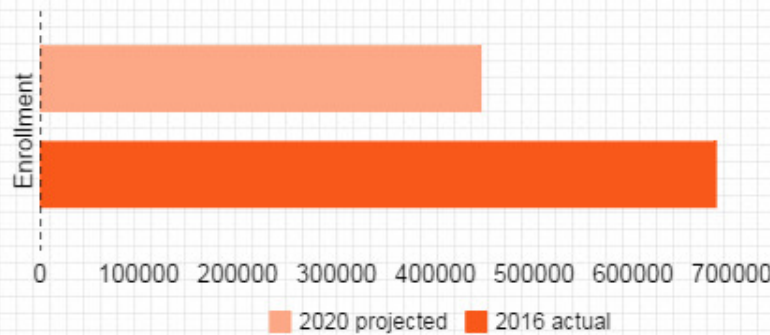


Charity care (2.40%) Bad debt (5.60%) Other (92%)

Kasich says Ohio hospitals need Obamacare expansion to help with uncompensated care, but charity care and bad debt costs were just a sliver of nonprofit hospitals' total expenses before Obamacare.

Source: Internal Revenue Service

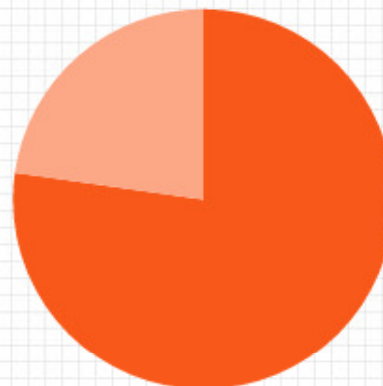
Kasich expected 447,000 able-bodied, working-age Ohioans to sign up for his Obamacare expansion by 2020. Actual sign-ups topped 500,000 in 2014, and now exceed 700,000.



Source: Ohio Department of Medicaid

Kasich says he wants to repeal and replace Obamacare, but 77% of Ohio's Obamacare enrollment is through the Medicaid expansion he's fighting to continue.

Medicaid expansion (77.25%) Exchange plans (22.75%)



Sources:
Ohio Department of Medicaid,
U.S. Department of Health and
Human Services