

Community Health Center Investment

 The Affordable Health Care for America Act signed by President Obama in March contains funded provisions to increase the services of our nation's community health centers by a substantial amount starting this coming October with the beginning of the federal 2011 fiscal year.

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\$ 9.5 Billion Over 5 Years to expand health center capacity





13 \$ 1.5 Billion

14) \$ 2.2 Billion



This funding will allow health centers to expand their operational capacity to serve nearly 20 million new patients and to enhance their medical, oral, and behavioral health services.



Community Health Center Trust Fund

	Trust Fund +	Discretionary Funding (estimate)	Total Annual Funding (estimate)	Total Annual Increase	
2011	\$ 1B	\$ 2.19B	\$ 3.19B	\$ 1B	
2012	\$ 1.2B	\$ 2.19B	\$ 3.39B	\$ 200M	
2013	\$ 1.5B	\$ 2.19B	\$ 3.69B	\$ 300M	50
2014	\$ 2.2B	\$ 2.19B	\$ 4.39B	\$ 700M	- F
2015	\$ 3.6B	\$ 2.19B	\$ 5.79B	\$ 1.4B	

\$ 1.5 Billion Over 5 Years for health center capital needs



\$ 1.5 Billion



This funding will allow health centers to begin to meet their extraordinary capital needs, by expanding and improving existing facilities and constructing new sites.



\$1.5 Billion Over 5 Years for the National Health Service Corps

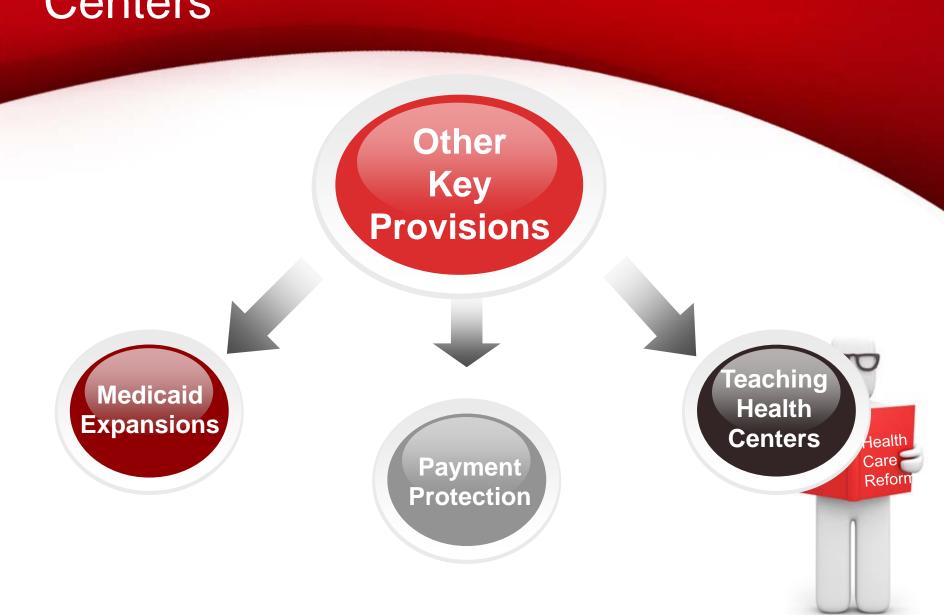
 This funding will place an estimated 15,000 primary care providers in provider-short communities. The bill also makes programmatic improvements to the Corps.



National Health Service Corps Trust Fund

	Trust Fund +	Discretionary Funding (estimate)	Total Annual Funding (estimate)	Total Annual Increase			
2011	\$ 290M	\$ 142M	\$ 432M	\$ 290M			
2012	\$ 295M	\$ 142M	\$ 437M	\$ 5M			
2013	\$ 305M	\$ 142M	\$ 442M	\$ 5M	00		
2014	\$ 310M	\$ 142M	\$ 447M	\$ 5M	Health Care Reform		
2015	\$ 315M	\$ 142M	\$ 452M	\$ 5M			

Key Provisions for Community Health Centers

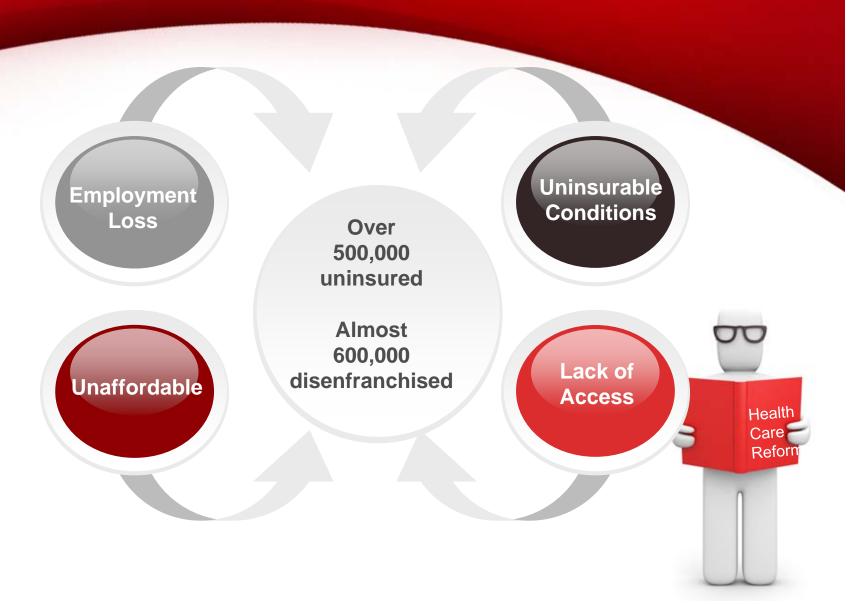


Community Health Centers Permanent Authorization

 The law also reauthorizes the Health Centers program at significantly increased levels permanently. For FY2010-2015, the law authorizes specific funding levels (more than \$8 billion in FY2015) and then in the succeeding years it authorizes increased spending based on a formula of cost and patient growth.

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Since our study in 2008, there have been over 100,000 added to Nevada's Uninsured



Access All Nevada Plan for more Community Health Centers & Providers

- In 2008 our plan called for
 - At least 12 additional community health center sites
 - Over 250 additional primary care providers

The amount of new resources we need now to meet ncreased need is daunting, at best.



Threats & Challenges of 2010

In 2008 many of us gathered at the *GBPCA Access* to *Care Symposium* where a declaration was made regarding Nevada's healthcare safety-net:



A wise old farmer once said: "Don't eat the seeds no matter how hungry you get because you are going to need them when the rains come again."



Between now and then . . .

Nevada needs to compete well.

However, it is only logical that the federal government may be reluctant to give Nevada a fair share of these resources unless we can demonstrate our state's commitment to preserve the resources they have already awarded us. We have big challenges ahead.

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Turning the Vision into Reality

exploring practical ways to making healthcare reform a reality in Nevada



- 1. Making Health Care Reform a Reality in Nevada
- 2. Increasing Nevada's Health Care Workforce: The Challenges of Success
- 3. Growing Nevada's Health Care Resources: Preparing for the Future



