

On July 4th, the federal reconciliation package, also known as The One Big Beautiful Bill Act, was passed into law.

The bill will have long-term effects on children and families. This bill is expected to:

Increase child poverty and hunger



children in Colorado impacted by Child Tax Credit exclusions is over 93,000.



+33,000

Over 33,000 children could lose SNAP benefits.

Deport young children and separate families

+93,000

The number of children in Colorado who could be impacted by ICE is over 93,000.



Any interaction with the immigration system is considered an adverse childhood experience.

How Will Federal Cuts Impact Colorado's Youngest Children and Their Families?

Decimate health care coverage



Medicaid will be cut by nearly \$1 trillion over ten years. Children are the largest group covered by Medicaid in Colorado.



+500.000

Medicaid covers children in Colorado and 44%



1 in 4 child care workers are covered by Medicaid.

Unequal Impact

Not all families will be impacted by the bill equally. The bill would raise costs for low-income and working-class families by thousands of dollars a year through increased costs for healthcare, food, and energy. Wealthy families on the other hand would benefit from significant tax cuts.

The bill includes several tax benefits for some families. For instance, the bill includes plans for 'Trump accounts' where families receive preferential tax treatment for qualifying expenses.

Federal Spending on Children

Did you know that less than 9% of all federal spending goes towards children? This bill disproportionately cuts programs that benefit children.

The bill would also add \$3 trillion to the national debt due to the tax cuts, placing the responsibility on Colorado's children to one day pay this debt.