

FY 2012
Medicaid Annual Eligibles¹ by Category of Aid and County

COUNTY	MLIF	AGED	DISABLED	SOBRA	OMB	BLIND	SLMB	PLAN FIRST	TOTAL
Autauga	965	247	1,604	5,080	578	7	427	1,198	10,106
Baldwin	2,458	581	3,953	18,233	1,759	20	1,364	3,927	32,295
Barbour	1,302	294	1,489	3,521	507	9	333	754	8,209
Bibb	429	184	1,172	2,621	377	8	250	623	5,664
Blount	774	350	1,613	6,648	777	2	613	1,089	11,866
Bullock	492	182	819	1,759	238	3	135	396	4,024
Butler	1,042	253	1,256	2,935	419	5	283	762	6,955
Calhoun	4,966	763	5,569	13,461	1,858	46	1,203	3,509	31,375
Chambers	964	430	1,813	4,585	610	12	529	1,083	10,026
Cherokee	964	207	991	2,908	499	6	393	574	6,542
Chilton	1,160	268	1,602	6,048	695	6	518	1,048	11,345
Choctaw	408	194	872	1,732	326	5	179	471	4,187
Clarke	646	296	1,653	3,432	450	9	265	909	7,660
Clay	168	184	623	1,849	281	3	214	398	3,720
Cleburne	444	107	602	1,831	267	1	190	427	3,869
Coffee	1,209	381	1,619	4,831	615	5	385	957	10,002
Colbert	1,085	393	2,372	6,037	920	11	571	1,732	13,121
Conecuh	817	153	885	1,758	373	4	200	369	4,559
Coosa	105	84	586	1,130	247	5	204	243	2,604
Covington	1,132	489	1,702	5,076	791	9	490	1,005	10,694
Crenshaw	629	217	695	1,673	334	2	189	438	4,177
Cullman	1,099	784	2,936	9,403	1,262	10	1,026	1,764	18,284
Dale	1,736	342	2,139	5,130	668	6	421	1,259	11,701
Dallas	2,340	643	4,797	7,242	1,191	18	626	1,880	18,737
DeKalb	1,399	584	2,506	11,550	1,232	12	878	1,575	19,736
Elmore	1,310	371	2,542	7,009	768	14	520	1,527	14,061
Escambia	1,530	309	1,617	5,312	651	4	368	1,181	10,972
Etowah	2,544	765	5,177	12,745	1,784	14	1,338	2,680	27,047
Fayette	547	200	839	1,963	305	3	214	455	4,526
Franklin	923	270	1,345	5,190	603	4	421	762	9,518
Geneva	962	271	1,378	3,431	553	5	402	699	7,701
Greene	392	152	919	1,569	211	3	109	428	3,783
Hale	530	241	1,344	2,687	394	3	209	754	6,162
Henry	323	191	703	1,933	351	6	234	421	4,162
Houston	3,093	728	4,640	13,070	1,551	20	1,092	2,956	27,150
Jackson	1,103	458	2,044	6,104	967	14	617	1,249	12,556
Jefferson	12,650	3,573	29,036	68,975	8,358	124	5,682	16,679	145,077
Lamar	514	193	700	1,739	329	6	208	350	4,039
Lauderdale	1,160	579	3,302	9,172	1,313	7	912	2,565	19,010
Lawrence	892	261	1,180	3,660	498	6	355	874	7,726
Lee	2,447	480	3,530	12,444	1,012	21	779	2,702	23,415
Limestone	966	398	2,122	7,835	915	13	582	1,692	14,523
Lowndes	540	154	904	1,766	350	7	171	459	4,351
Macon	1,181	232	1,306	2,450	363	8	208	790	6,538
Madison	4,180	1,335	7,707	28,689	2,454	43	1,489	6,660	52,557
Marengo	702	260	1,537	2,652	485	5	209	748	6,598
Marion	889	340	1,208	3,676	619	4	426	794	7,956
Marshall	2,044	742	3,443	14,823	1,400	13	948	1,741	25,154
Mobile	9,867	2,363	16,666	54,344	5,437	77	3,606	13,648	106,008
Monroe	729	233	1,133	3,101	409	1	232	621	6,459
Montgomery	8,431	1,383	11,343	27,827	2,971	51	1,682	7,699	61,387
Morgan	1,963	808	4,193	14,155	1,231	29	848	2,859	26,086
Perry	486	188	1,155	1,790	342	2	150	489	4,602
Pickens	379	282	1,369	2,555	380	4	202	719	5,890
Pike	1,081	286	1,778	3,632	497	8	281	1,034	8,597
Randolph	432	230	961	3,042	405	5	273	593	5,941
Russell	2,401	443	2,677	7,693	714	17	595	1,814	16,354
St. Clair	1,859	274	2,207	8,402	920	14	702	1,768	16,146
Shelby	1,935	397	2,432	12,119	977	6	734	2,379	20,979
Sumter	673	226	1,268	1,829	295	5	143	618	5,057
Talladega	3,812	623	4,889	9,881	1,546	55	1,221	2,442	24,469
Tallapoosa	1,007	414	2,001	5,415	767	7	564	1,181	11,356
Tuscaloosa	2,951	998	7,784	19,827	1,889	37	1,227	5,421	40,134
Walker	1,471	582	3,930	8,390	1,227	13	912	1,857	18,382
Washington	325	155	814	1,867	276	3	165	441	4,046
Wilcox	618	198	1,648	2,032	303	2	127	564	5,492
Winston	685	266	1,174	2,810	563	4	400	514	6,416
Youth Services	0	0	0	196	0	0	0	0	196
Statewide	111,260	31,462	193,813	540,274	64,657	911	43,443	124,217	1,110,037

See Aid Categories Explained on page 21.

¹ Annual Eligibles: An unduplicated count of individuals who qualified for full or partial Medicaid coverage and were enrolled in Medicaid for at least one month of the fiscal year.

Aid Categories Explained

Note: Amounts are after any deductions taken for work expense or disabled adult/child care expenses. SOBRA adults (pregnant women), QMB, SLMB, Plan First, and QI-1 eligibles receive limited or partial benefits.

MLIF - Medicaid for Low Income Families – Parents and/or qualifying caretakers of related children under age 19 who live in the home and whose family income is approximately 11 percent of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) or less. In 2012, this was \$194 per month for a family of four. Count also includes foster children, refugees and infants of SSI mothers.

For the purpose of simplifying this report only, the following four categories are included in the MLIF category.

- Refugee Medical Assistance (RMA) - Time limited medical assistance benefits are provided to refugees determined eligible through the refugee resettlement program, who are not otherwise eligible for any Medicaid program.
- Foster / Adoptive Child – Federal - Foster children and children receiving adoption subsidies who meet federal requirements for title IV-E eligibility are automatically eligible for Medicaid.
- Foster /Adoptive Child – State - Children in foster care or state adoptive placements who do not meet title IV-E requirements for federal foster care payments but meet income levels for MLIF and have special circumstances
- Newborns of SSI mothers - Children under 1 year of age who are born to mothers certified for Medicaid through SSI who are eligible for Medicaid up to the child's first birthday.

Aged - Individuals who are age 65 or older and meet income and asset (resource) requirements. Aged recipients fall into one of three general categories: 1) Institutional care recipients in nursing homes, hospitals and ICF-MR facilities; 2) Elderly or disabled people who live in the community and receive services through one of seven Medicaid Home and Community-Based Waiver programs; or 3) people who no longer receive Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payments but have their Medicaid benefits protected under certain laws.

Disabled (by Social Security standards) – Individuals who have been certified as disabled by Social Security Administration or the Alabama Medicaid Agency. Recipients must also meet income and asset (resource) requirements. Disabled recipients fall into one of three general categories: 1) Institutional care recipients in nursing homes, hospitals and ICF-MR facilities; 2) Disabled people who live in the community and receive services through one of seven Medicaid Home and Community-Based Waiver programs; or 3) People who no longer receive Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payments but have their Medicaid benefits protected under certain laws.

SOBRA (Sixth Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act) – Medicaid's largest eligibility group includes pregnant women and children under age 6 whose family income is 133 percent of the FPL or less, plus children ages 6 up to 19 whose family income is 100 percent of the FPL or less. SOBRA adults (pregnant women) receive pregnancy-related services only. Children receive full coverage.

Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB) only - Medicare beneficiaries whose income is at or below 100 percent of the FPL. In 2012, this was \$951 per month for an individual. No asset test is required. Coverage is limited to payment of Medicare monthly Part B premiums, plus Medicare deductibles, coinsurance and co-payments.

Blind – Blind individuals who receive Supplemental Security Income (SSI) assistance.

Specified Low Income Medicare Beneficiary (SLMB) only and QI-1 – Limited coverage programs that pay for the Medicare Part B premium only. To participate in either program, applicants must have Medicare Part A coverage. No asset test is required. SLMB recipients have incomes of more than 100 percent and less than 120 percent of the FPL. QI-1 recipients must have income between 120 -135 percent of the FPL.

Plan First – Women age 19 through 55 years and whose income is below 133 percent of the FPL qualify for family planning services only from Medicaid. They must not have creditable insurance coverage or otherwise qualify for full Medicaid coverage.