

# The Impact of the ACA in Louisiana Open Enrollment 2018



Louisiana Health Care Commission March 23, 2018

# Changes to ACA for 2018

Change in Open Enrollment Dates:



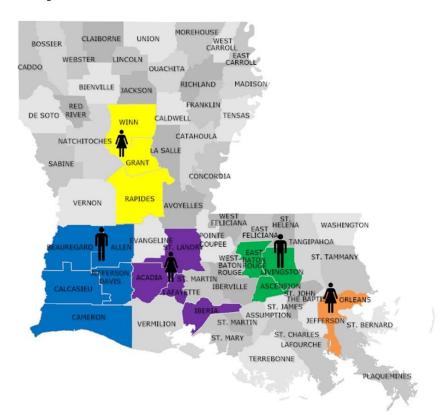
- Addition of 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Vendors
- Changes for In-person Assistance

# Changes for In-Person Assistance

## **Open Enrollment 2017**



## **Open Enrollment 2018**



# CMS Builds Capacity for Agents & Brokers

## **Insurance Agents & Brokers**



## CMS / CCIIO

- New resources for Agents & Brokers
- Web-brokers in the Federal Marketplace
- Newsletters specific for Agents & Brokers
- Agent & Broker Helpdesk
- Listing in Find Local Help
- Registration & Training

## Impact of Ending the Cost Sharing Subsidies

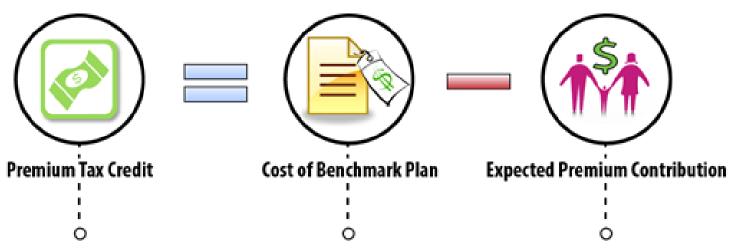
## October 12th EO ends CSR



#### What are CSRs?

- Cost-Sharing Subsidies (CSR) are payments that the executive branch hand out to health insurance companies across the nation to compensate for losses that insurance companies may have taken on by covering more people.
- Used as an incentive to keep the costs of their plans low and make healthcare available to as many people as possible
- CSRs are paid out by the executive branch on a month-to-month basis, and were estimated by the Congressional Budget Office (CBO) to cost \$7 billion throughout 2017

# Impact of Elimination of CSRs on Enrollment for Louisiana Consumers



Difference between the cost of the benchmark plan and the expected premium contribution an individual is expected to pay The premium cost of the second lowest cost silver plan available to each eligible household member What an individual is expected to contribute towards the cost of premiums (based on an individual's income and is set on a sliding scale)

## Insurance Providers in Louisiana for 2018





# Federal Marketplace for Louisiana

## 2017

Number of Louisiana
 Consumers who chose a
 Insurance plan

### 2018

Number of Louisiana
 Consumers who chose a
 Insurance plan

143,544 111,373

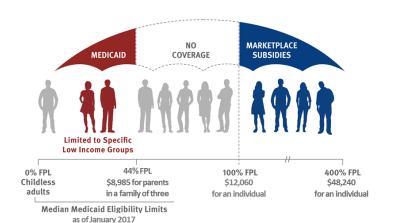
Loss of **32,171** consumers

## Impact of Medicaid Expansion for 2018

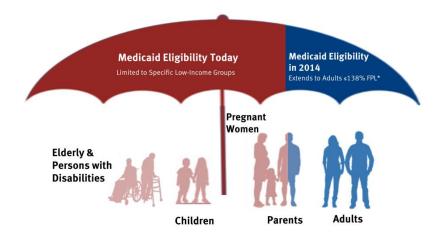
# Coverage Gap Prior to Medicaid Expansion

Elimination of Gap with Medicaid Expansion

Gap in Coverage for Adults in States that Do Not Expand Medicaid under the ACA



#### The ACA Medicaid Expansion Fills Current Gaps in Coverage

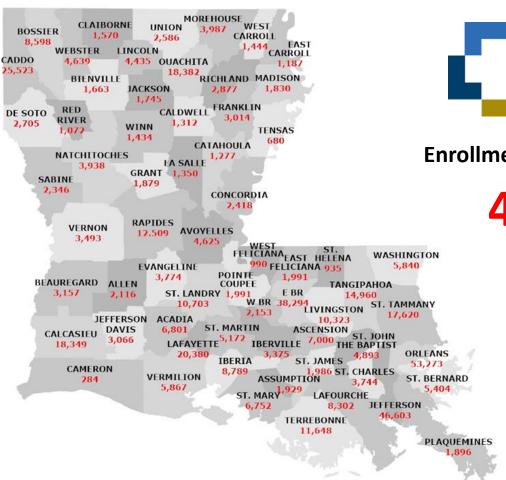




NOTE: The June 2012 Supreme Court decision in National Federation of Independent Business v. Sebelius maintained the Medicaid expansion, but limited the Secretary's authority to enforce it, effectively making the expansion optional for states. 138% FPL = \$15,856 for an individual and \$26,951 for a family of three in 2013.



## Louisiana Medicaid Enrollment





**Enrollment as of March 5, 2018** 

464,878

# Medicaid Expansion in Louisiana

## 2017

 Number of Consumers who Enrolled in an Expanded Medicaid Plan at the end of Open Enrollment 2017

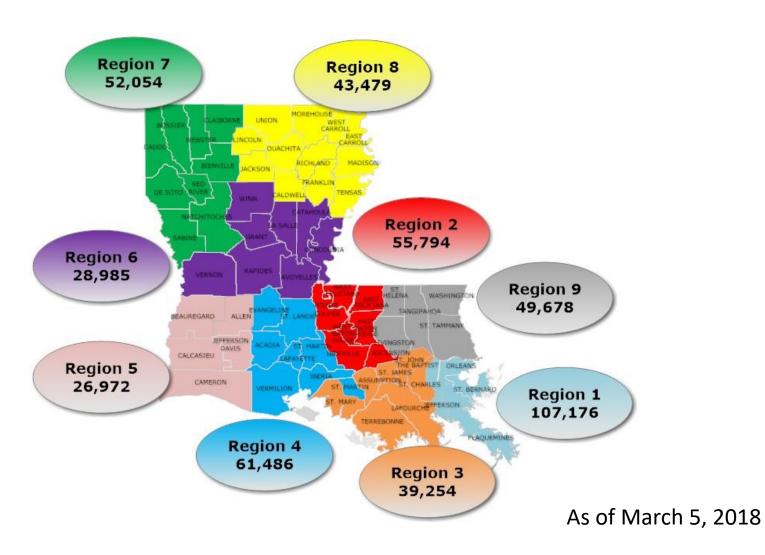
#### 2018

 Number of Consumers who Enrolled in an Expanded Medicaid Plan at the end of Open Enrollment 2018

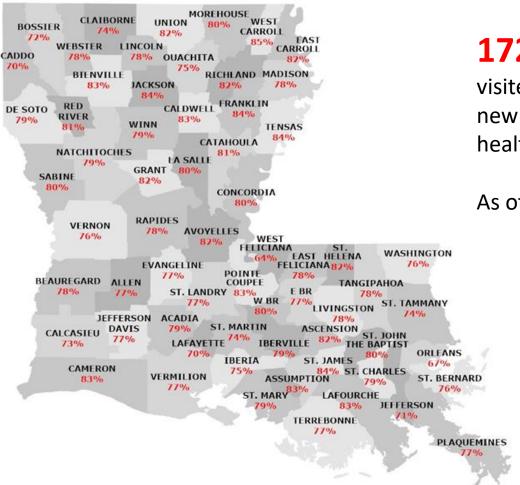
414,254 464,878

Gain of 50,624 consumers

# Medicaid Enrollment by Region



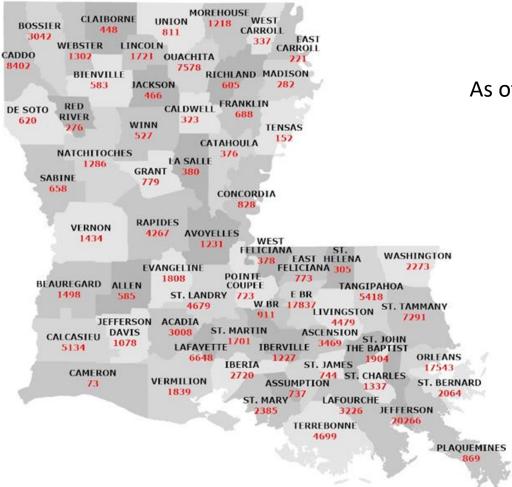
# **Doctor Visits by Parish**



**172,756** – adults who visited a doctor and received new patient or preventive healthcare services

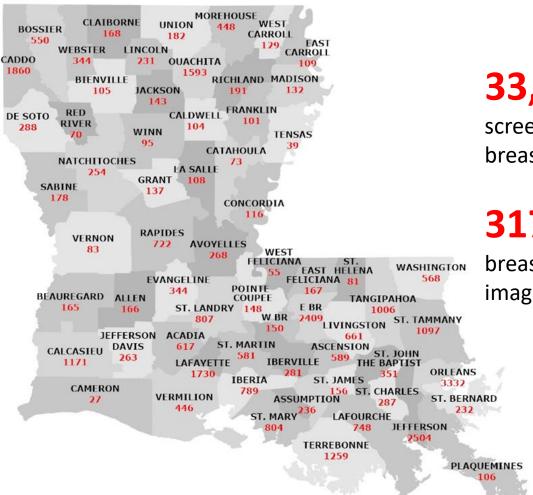
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# Preventative Services by Parish



As of March 5, 2018

# Breast Screenings by Parish

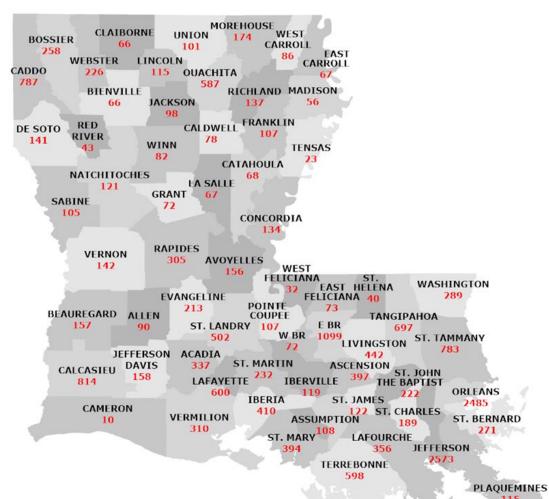


**33,175** – women screened or received diagnostic breast imaging

**317** women diagnosed with breast cancer as a result of this imaging

As of March 5, 2018

# Colon Cancer Screening by Parish



**19,903** Adults have received colon cancer screening

**6,310** adults with colon polyps removed, colon cancer averted.

**274** adults diagnosed with colon cancer as a result of this screening

## Additional Screenings for Medicaid Recipients

#### **Newly Diagnosed with Diabetes**

• 6,267 Adults newly diagnosed and now treated with Diabetes

#### **Newly Diagnosed Hypertension**

• 16,049 Adults newly diagnosed and now treated with Hypertension

#### **Mental Health**

- 45,608 Adults receiving specialized outpatient mental health services
- 9,382 Adults receiving inpatient mental health services at a psychiatric facility

#### **Substance Use**

- 7,999 Adults receiving specialized substance use outpatient services
- 8,915 Adults receiving specialized substance use residential services

# Impact of ACA in Louisiana

- Louisiana Uninsured Rate in 2013
  - **21.7%**

Number of LA Consumers Insured through the Federal Marketplace

- 111,373 Federal Marketplace
- 464,878 Expanded Medicaid
- **576,251** TOTAL IMPACT OF ACA IN LA FOR 2018

**New Anticipated Uninsured Rate for LA in 2018** 



## QUESTIONS ???

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