

## Medicaid, CHCs, and NYS Congressional District 16 Representative Latimer

Community Health Centers — CHCs — are independent and patient-governed local non-profits that provide high-quality, comprehensive primary, dental, vision, and behavioral health care to anyone who walks in the door.

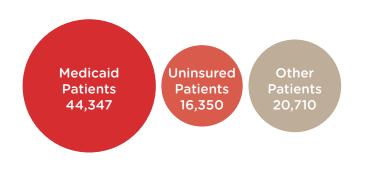
In 2023, New York State's CHCs cared for 2.4 million patients, 1 in 8 New Yorkers, of whom 29% were children and 12% were seniors. Nearly 1.5 million, 62%, were Medicaid patients. Medicaid reimbursement is essential for CHCs to sustain comprehensive primary and preventive care in the communities they serve.

## **District 16** is home to

24 CHC sites 81,407 CHC patients

54% of them were covered by Medicaid.

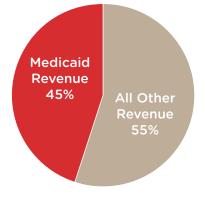
Another 20% were uninsured. Cuts to Medicaid will increase this number.



## District 16 CHCs get

\$55,100,000 in **revenues** from Medicaid

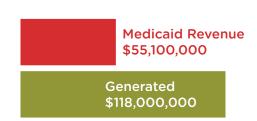
Medicaid provides the single largest source of funds for District 16 CHCs.



## **District 16**benefits from

805 CHC-supported **jobs** \$118,000,000 generated by CHCs for the **economy** 

District 16 CHCs generate more than twice as much money for the local economy as they receive in Medicaid.



Cuts to Medicaid will cause irreparable damage to CHCs, their patients, their employees, and the local economy in District 16.