

Medicaid, CHCs, and NYS **Congressional District 20 Representative Tonko**

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.

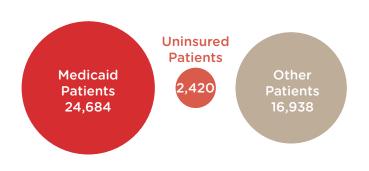
District 20 18 CHC sites

is home to

44,042 CHC patients

56% of them were covered by Medicaid. Another 5% were uninsured.

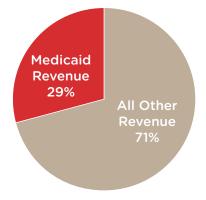
Cuts to Medicaid will increase this number.



CHCs get

District 20 \$19,100,000 in **revenues** from Medicaid

> Medicaid provides the single largest source of funds for District 20 CHCs.



benefits from

District 20 676 CHC-supported **jobs** \$110,000,000 generated by CHCs for the economy

> District 20 CHCs generate more than six times 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 20.