

State Perspective: South Carolina

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Medicaid in South Carolina

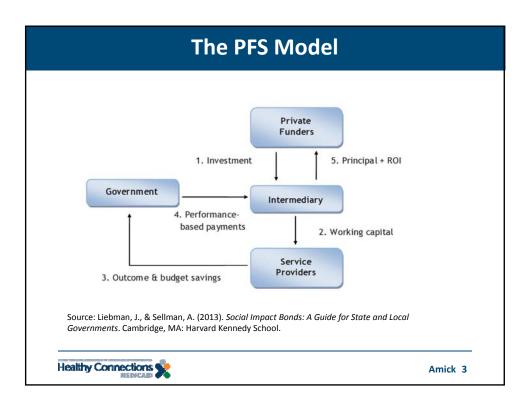
FY 2017 Appropriation: \$7.2 billion
Full-Benefit Membership: 1.04 million

Children	663,000
Disabled Adults	127,000
Other Adults	180,000
Elderly	68,000
Limited Benefits	213,000

- 64% of Medicaid members are age 0 to 18
- Roughly 65% of all children in SC are on Medicaid
- Medicaid pays for 60% of all births in SC
- Medicaid pays for 85% of all teen births in SC



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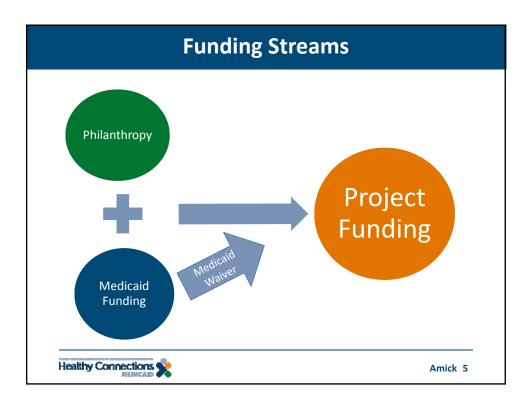


The Intervention



Healthy Connections

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The role of evaluation

- Success Metrics:
 - Decreasing Preterm Birth Rates
 - Promoting Healthy Birth Intervals
 - Decreasing Child Injuries
 - Increasing Coverage in Low-Income Communities
- Project Operations
 - · Establishing the success payouts
- Knowledge Dissemination
 - · Rigorous, randomized evaluation







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