

# Penobscot County

## At a Glance

### Thousands of people uninsured



**13.2%**

Of county residents between ages of 21 -64 are currently uninsured.

### Drug-related deaths have spiked



**↑50%**

Penobscot has seen a spike in drug-related deaths from 2005-2015.

### Who will be eligible?



**9,000**

People between ages 21-64 would be eligible for coverage.

### Will it decrease rate of uninsured?



**↓5.4%**

Post-expansion, number of uninsured among 21-64 year olds will drop from 13.2% to 7.8%.

## Economic Impact

### New federal funding:



**\$68,000,000**

Will be funded by the Federal government.

### What's the economic impact?



**\$89,000,000**

Total economic impact for the county.

### Will it create jobs?

**748**

New Jobs

**491**

New Health Care Jobs

### Reduced costs for hospitals:



**\$29.6 million**

Due to fewer people needing uncompensated care.