



CDPHE Title X and Medicaid / Insurance Reimbursement (2011-2014)

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Through the on-going implementation of the Affordable Care Act and Colorado Medicaid Expansion, fewer women will ultimately be in need of subsidized family planning services. However, it will take time for the eligible, but not enrolled, population to become covered. Therefore, the Family Planning Program (FPP) began the legislative funding request increase, commensurate with the current average budget of \$5 million for long-acting, reversible contraceptives (LARC). The program is scaling back the request in the subsequent years, anticipating that insurance and Medicaid reimbursements will backfill the difference.

Year	Increase Request Amount
FY 2015-16	\$5,000,000
FY 2016-17	\$4,000,000
FY 2017-18	\$3,000,000
FY 2018-19	\$2,500,000
FY 2019-20	\$2,000,000*

**The \$2 million increase is requested in perpetuity. During its peak years (2, 3, 4 and 5), the average CFPI allocation was \$4,995,854 which is the logic for the Year One, \$5 million increase request*

Family Planning Program Reimbursements

As shown below, the Federal, Title X statute requires all contractors to bill all third party payers, and all Colorado contractors bill Medicaid and private insurance, as applicable. The table below illustrates the increases in Medicaid and private insurance reimbursements among Family Planning contractors.

From 2011-2014, Medicaid reimbursement of family planning services increased by 402 percent, and private health insurance reimbursement increased by 936 percent. Since the implementation of the Affordable Care Act (January 2014), reimbursement from Medicaid and private health insurance payers has more than doubled.

	Medicaid Reimbursement	Private Health Insurance Reimbursement
2011	\$464,699	\$52,832
2012	\$1,031,994	\$138,394
2013	\$1,137,395	\$273,005
2014	\$2,333,932	\$547,387

As reported on the annual contractor Expenditure and Revenue Report (ERR)

Over the past three years, the FPP invested in enhanced business practices by contracting with RT Welter and Associates to provide technical assistance with billing, coding, electronic medical record maximization, submitting accurate claims, negotiating insurance contracts, and general fiscal and business practices for family planning clinics. All Colorado clinics refer clients for private insurance enrollment, and most are co-located with Connect For Colorado kiosks and staff. In addition, the FPP provided family planning, client-specific marketing materials to clinics for health insurance outreach and open enrollment.

