

Florida KidCare: An Overview

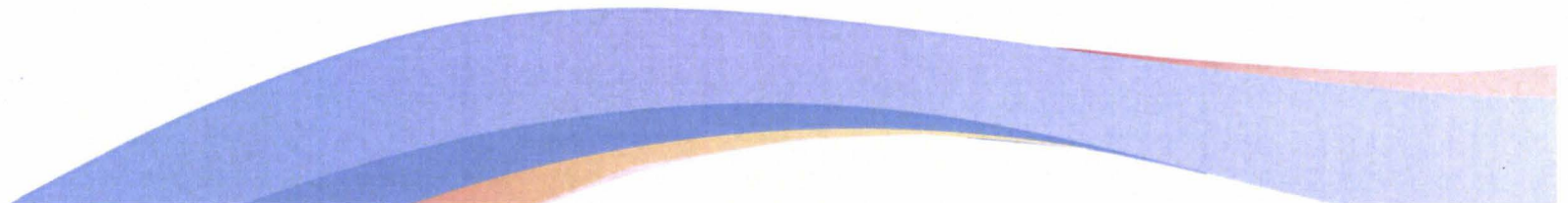
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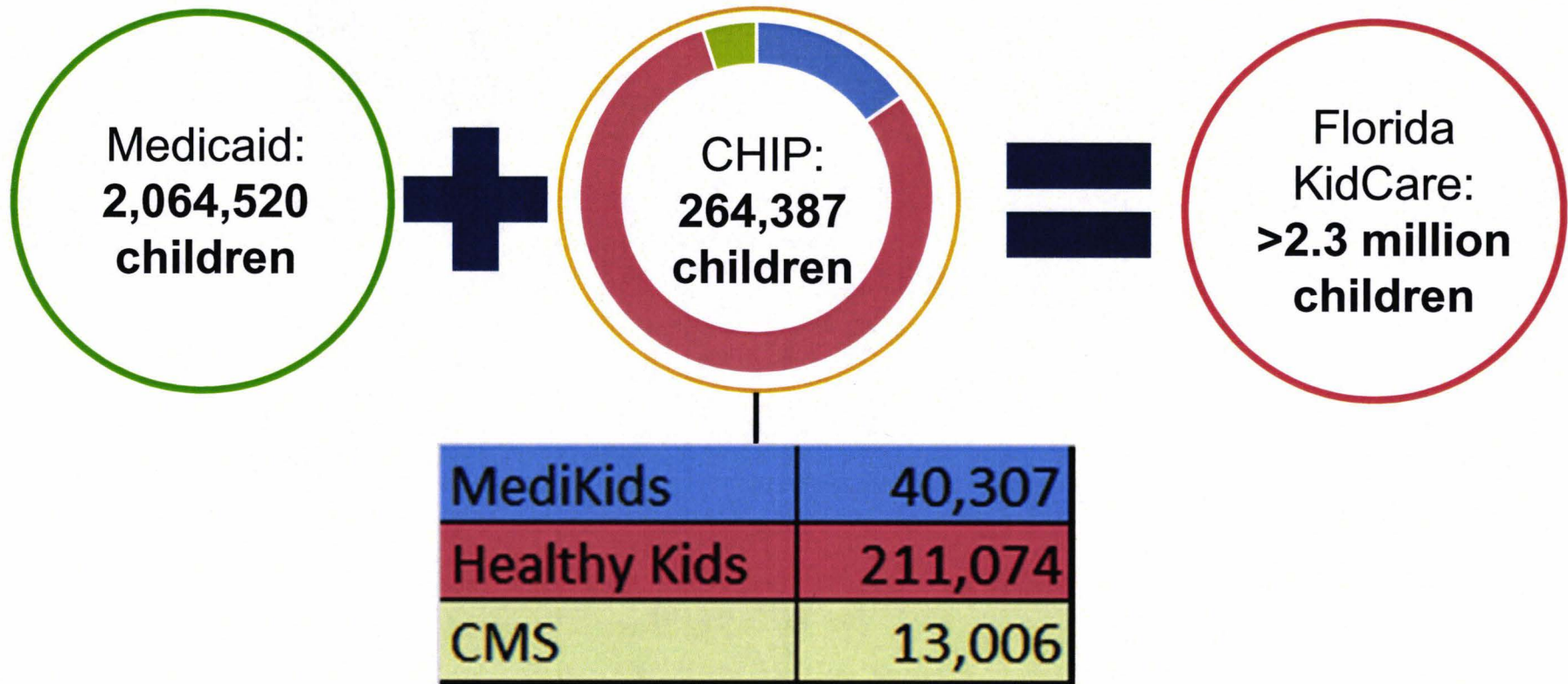


Florida KidCare Program

- Florida KidCare is the umbrella name for Florida’s government-sponsored children’s health coverage.
- It includes the Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) and Medicaid for children.
(Sections 409.810 – 409.821, F.S.)



Over 2.3 Million Children are Enrolled in Florida KidCare



Florida KidCare: Core Federal Components

	Medicaid (Title XIX)	CHIP (Title XXI)
Authorized by Congress:	1965	1997
Implemented in Florida:	1970	1998
Federal Match Rate/ Subsidy:	61.47%	84.53%
Who is covered under subsidized program:	Low income families and pregnant women, low income elderly, disable	Children in families with incomes below 200% FPL but too high to qualify for Medicaid
Funding:	Available for all state expenditures that meet federal program requirements	Fixed annual federal allotment
Federal Authorization:	Permanent	Needs periodic reauthorization

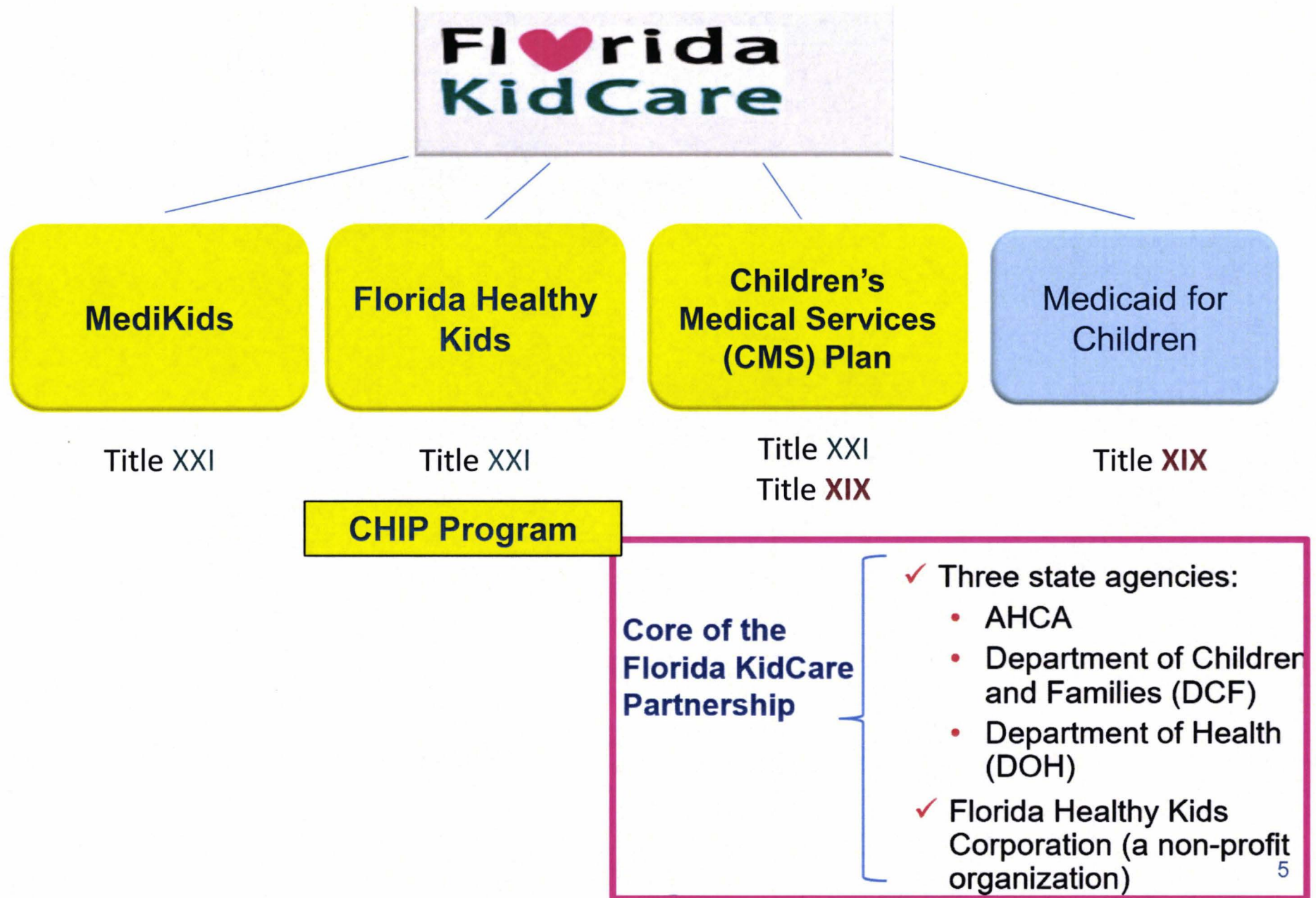
*NOTE: In the original CHIP program, Congress created an “enhanced” federal matching rate that is generally about 15 percentage points higher than the Medicaid rate, averaging 71% nationally. The ACA increased each state’s enhanced federal match rate by 23 percentage points, not to exceed a total match rate of 100 percent, between FY 2016 and FY 2019. A plan to reduce the FMAP over the next two (2) years was created as part of the most recent CHIP reauthorization.

Federal Fiscal Year 2019-FMAP remains at 23 percentage point increase

Federal Fiscal Year 2020-FMAP transitions to 11.5 percentage point increase

Federal Fiscal Year 2021-the increase will be eliminated entirely, returning to the original enhanced federal medical assistance percentage, which has a current national average of 71%.

Florida KidCare Consists of Four Programs & Four Partners



Florida KidCare Partnership

Agency for Health Care Administration:

Lead Agency for Medicaid and CHIP

- Federal funding
- Compliance with federal regulations
- Maintain federal program authorities (e.g., state plan, waivers)
- Administer Medicaid
- Administer MediKids - CHIP component
- Maintain contract/ interagency agreements with partners
- Contracts with health plans for Medicaid and MediKids

Florida Healthy Kids

Corporation

- Processes CHIP applications
- Collects premiums
- Administers Healthy Kids - CHIP component
- Contracts with FHK program health plans
- Manages Florida KidCare call center

Department of Health

- Determines clinical eligibility for Children's Medical Services Program
- Administers Children's Medical Services CHIP component
- Contracts with health plan for Title XIX and Title XXI CMS service provisions

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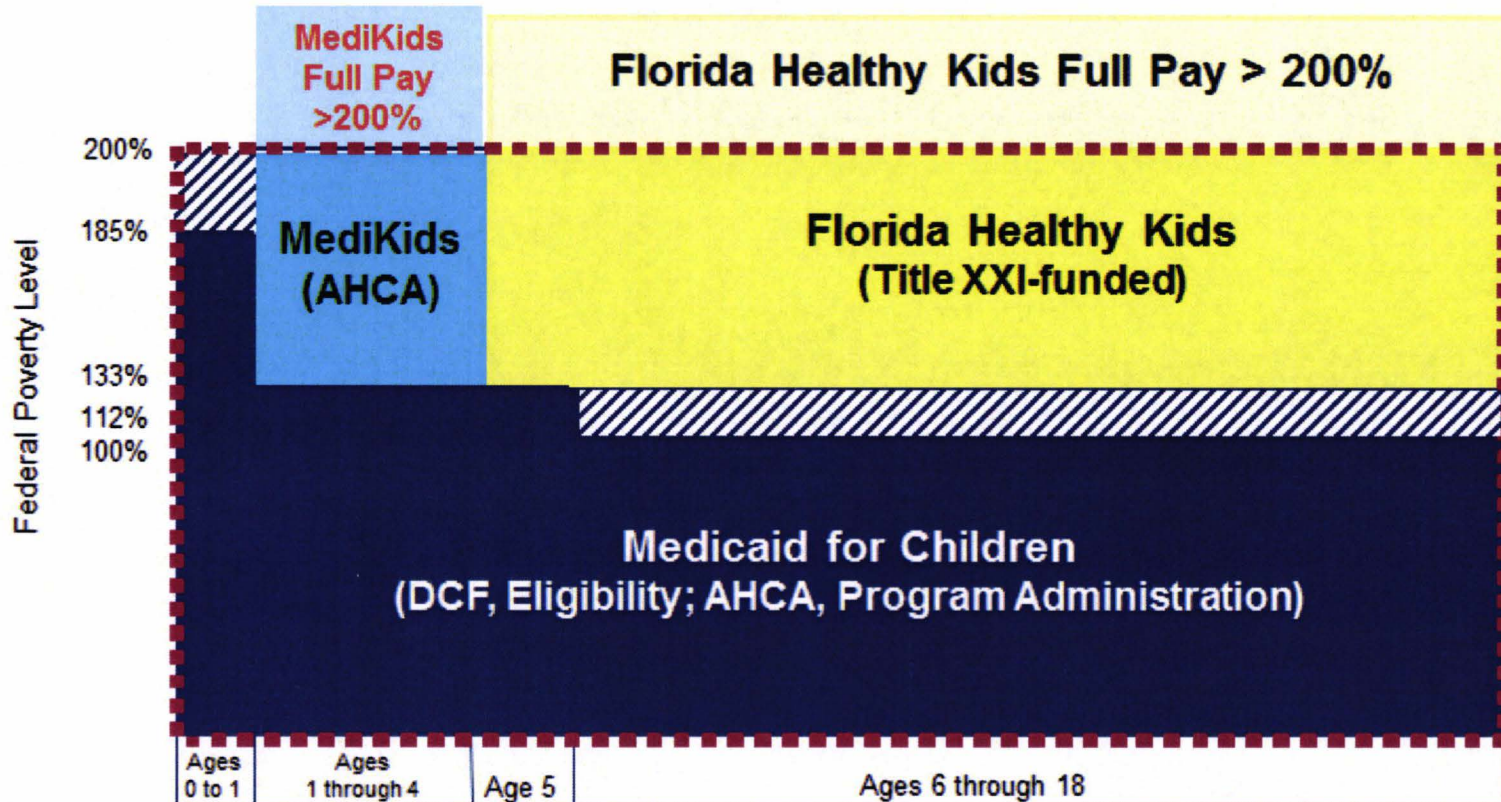
Children and Families

- Determines Medicaid eligibility
- Responsible for BNET program

Florida KidCare Program Components

	Medicaid for Children	MediKids	Healthy Kids	Children's Medical Services
Operated by	Agency for Health Care Administration	Agency for Health Care Administration	Florida Healthy Kids Corporation	Department of Health
Eligibility Determination	Department of Children and Families	Florida Healthy Kids Corporation	Florida Healthy Kids Corporation	Florida Healthy Kids Corporation
Age	0-18 years	1-4 years	5-18 years	1-18 years; meet clinical eligibility
Service Delivery	Enrolled in Medicaid contracted SMMC health plans	Enrolled in Medicaid contracted SMMC health plans	Enrolled in FHK contracted health plans	Enrolled in DOH contracted health plan
Premium	None	Monthly premium per family: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$15 for family income from 133% to 158% FPL • \$20 for family income from 159% to 200% FPL. 	Monthly premium per family: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$15 for family income from 133% to 158% FPL • \$20 for family income from 159% to 200% FPL. 	Monthly premium per family: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$15 for family income from 133% to 158% FPL • \$20 for family income from 159% to 200% FPL.
Full-Pay	None	\$157 per child	\$230 per child	None
Cap on services	No	No	\$1 million lifetime cap	No

Florida KidCare Eligibility



Medicaid:

Title XIX-Funded
 Title XXI-Funded

CMS Network
 Title XIX and Title XXI
 (Dept. of Health)

In response to ACA, eligibility income limit was changed from 200% to 210%, FL achieves this conversion by applying specific income standard deductions that result in an effective upper limit of 210%.

Florida KidCare Title XXI Funding SFY 2019-2020

- For Federal Fiscal Year 2020 (Oct - Sept) the match rate for Florida CHIP is 84.53% federal and 15.47% state.
- Annual allotment for FFY 2020 is \$842,519,926.

Children's Special Health Care	Total Cost	Family Contributions	Title XXI Federal Share	State Share
Title XXI				
Florida Healthy Kids	\$425,492,208	\$87,931,039	\$294,299,950	\$43,261,219
Children's Medical Services	\$165,734,724	\$1,778,411	\$143,187,395	\$20,768,918
MediKids	\$82,666,178	\$24,630,842	\$50,617,863	\$7,417,473
Contracted Services	\$5,179,280	\$816,707	\$3,808,526	\$554,047
Sub-total	\$679,072,390	\$115,156,999	\$491,913,734	\$72,001,657
Title XXI Funded Medicaid (infants 185-200% FPL and children 112-133% FPL)	\$386,770,065	\$0	\$337,650,267	\$49,119,798
Total	\$1,065,842,455	\$115,156,999	\$829,564,001	\$121,121,455

Source: July 31, 2019 Kidcare Expenditures Social Services Estimating Conference
 August 6, 2019 Medicaid Expenditures Social Services Estimating Conference



Florida Healthy Kids Corporation: Community Outreach & Education

Year-round marketing efforts support consumer education and enrollment

- Florida law designates the Corporation as the lead marketing entity for Florida KidCare.
- A broad network of community partners (local health agencies, faith-based and youth-centric organizations) provide 'boots on the ground' and a trusted one-on-one application avenue
- Digital and social media advertising expand brand awareness, generate applications and support enrollment growth
- Partnerships with area non-profits, school-based groups and children's hospitals expand opportunities for greater market penetration
- Focus group testing ensures messaging and materials are easy-to-understand, culturally-relevant and effective
- Benefit-specific messaging differentiate Florida KidCare plans from private market offerings, encourage utilization and retention

