

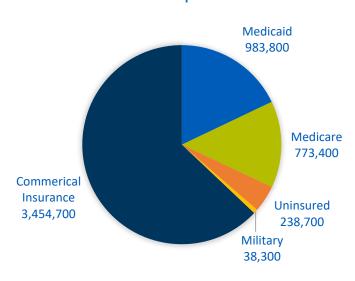




Medicaid Coverage for Clinical Trials in Minnesota HF3026/SF3125

983,800 Minnesotans are covered by state-funded

Medicaid¹. Current statute does not require Medicaid coverage of routine care costs associated with a patient's illness if a patient enrolls in a clinical trial.



This leaves nearly 1
million Minnesotans with
Medical Assistance plans
without guaranteed access
to a clinical trial and the
possibility to cure their
disease.

13 states and the District of Columbia require coverage for clinical trial enrollment through their Medicaid programs² with minimal or no fiscal impact.





HF3026/SF3125 will enable Medicaid patients to enroll in one of the approximately 2,000

¹ Kaiser Family Foundation (2018). KFF State Health Facts Health Insurance Coverage of the Total Population, Minnesota.

² American Society of Clinical Oncology (2019). Guarantee Coverage of Clinical Trials Participation for Medicaid Patients [Policy Brief].

clinical trials currently open in Minnesota³.

³ <u>U.S. National Library of Medicine (2020). Clinical Trials.gov, recruiting studies, Minnesota, United States.</u>