



Health Services  
LOS ANGELES COUNTY

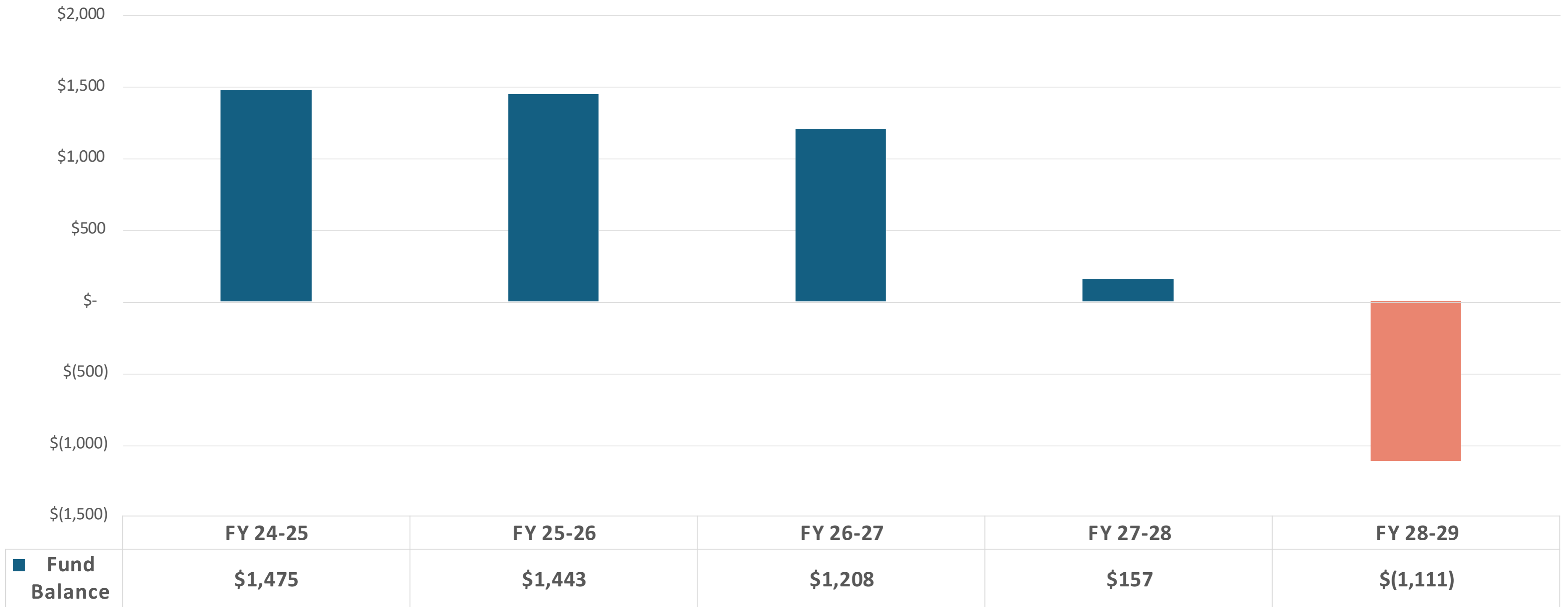
# HEALTH SERVICES FINANCIAL UPDATE JUNE 9, 2026



# Forecast: FY 2025-2029

Driven by escalating costs and declining revenue

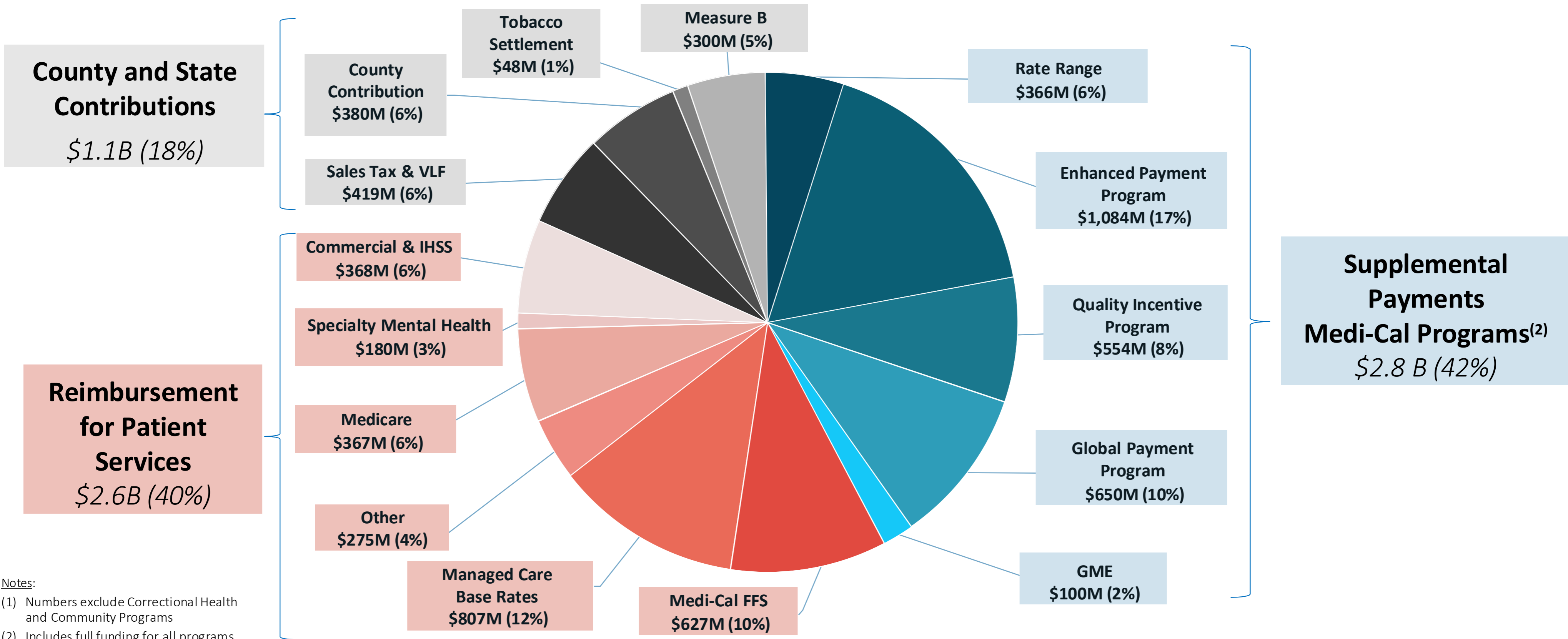
## Fund Balance



\$ in millions



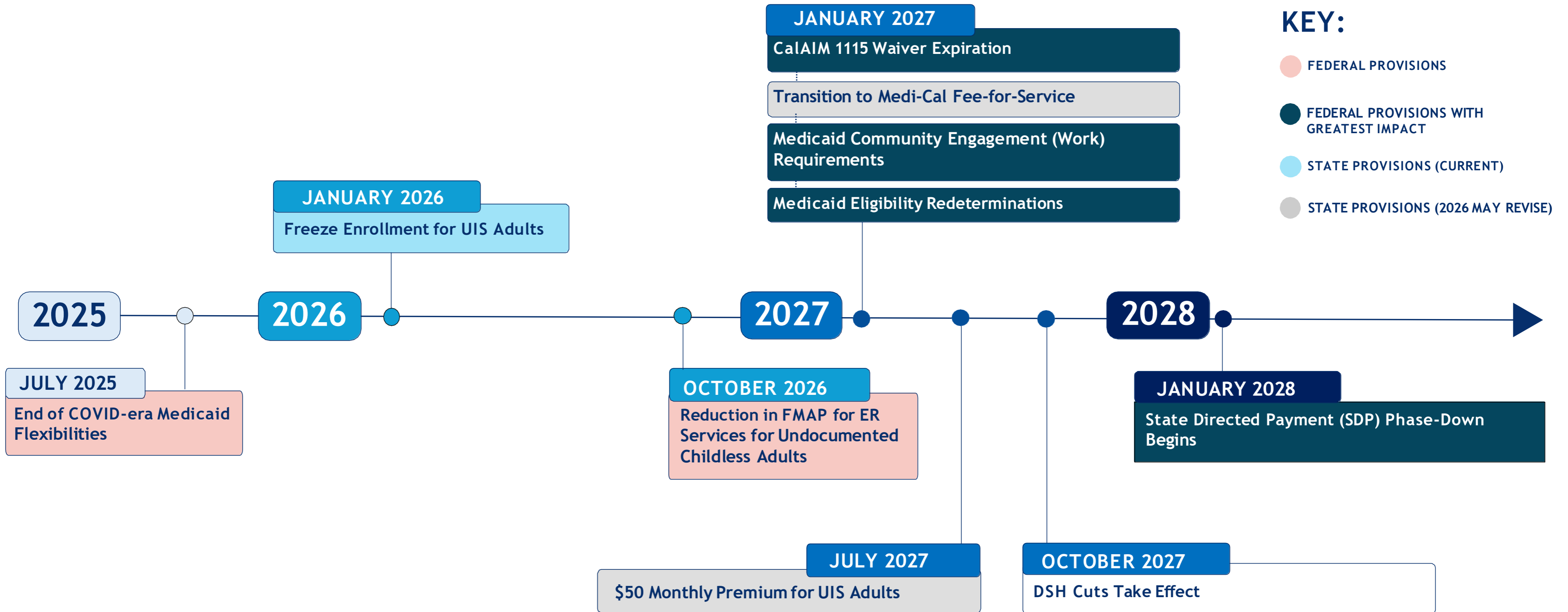
# FY 2025-26 Funding Sources – \$6.5 Billion<sup>(1)</sup>



Notes:  
 (1) Numbers exclude Correctional Health and Community Programs  
 (2) Includes full funding for all programs



# Timeline of Changes





# Anticipated Revenue Impact of Federal/State Actions

Driver	Changes	Effective Date	Degree of \$ Impact to DHS when fully implemented
Federal	End of Medicaid Flexibilities	July 2025	\$30M
State	Enrollment Freeze for UIS Adults 19+	Jan 2026	\$65M Annually
Federal	FMAP Reduction for UIS ER Services	Oct 2026	\$40-60M Annually
Federal	6-month Eligibility Redetermination	Jan 2027	\$130M Annually
Federal	Work Requirements for Adults 19-64	Jan 2027	
State	UIS Transition to Medi-Cal FFS	Jan 2027	\$150-200M Annually
State	\$50 Monthly Premium for UIS 19-59	July 2027	
Federal	Changes to State Directed Payments	Jan 2028	\$200-275M Annually



# New Major Revenue Initiatives

## Structure & Recipients



## Total Value



## Expected Allocation to LA Health Services



## Decision Point



	Structure & Recipients	Total Value	Expected Allocation to LA Health Services	Decision Point
Sales Tax	Los Angeles County; Recipients Per Spending Plan	\$1B Annually for Five Years	\$220M a Year for Five Years	June 2026 Primary Election
Medi-Cal FFS Inpatient	Public Hospitals Statewide	\$500M One-time	\$75-100M One-time	June 2026
Incentive Band	Public Hospitals Statewide	\$500M Annually Ongoing	\$100M a Year	January 2028
Revenue Cycle System / Billing	Health Services from Third Party Payers	n/a	\$10-12M Annually Pre and \$50-75M Post Implementation of Patient Accounting System (PAS)	Pre-PAS Efforts Ongoing; Post-PAS Efforts 2028+
Billionaire Tax	Statewide Allocation for Health Care (90%), Education, Food Assistance	\$100B One-time	Unknown	November 2026 General Election
FQHC Conversion	Ambulatory Care Network	n/a	\$20-50M Annually	In progress



# General Approach to Cost Containment

## Cost reduction without workforce or service reductions (i.e., “efficiencies”)

**Well underway (see next slide)**

- Hiring freeze
- Registry & Overtime reduction
- Reduction in IT, medical supply, pharmaceutical, & capital project spend
- Service hour/site changes and elimination of unused capacity

## Workforce reductions without service reductions

**Focus on staff not directly responsible for completing a patient encounter, e.g.,**

- Management
- Administrative / non-clinical staff
- Clinical support staff

## Workforce and service reductions that do not result in revenue cuts

**In initiating service reductions, where feasible, focus would first be on services that bring in little or no additional revenue and / or help to avoid new costs**

## Workforce and service reductions that result in revenue cuts

**As a last resort, DHS will need to reduce revenue-generating services. Depending on the how highly leveraged the revenue is, service reductions may generate little savings**



# Major Cost Reduction Initiatives

	Activities	FY Impact to Date
<b>S&amp;EB</b>	Hiring freeze 36% overtime reduction <sup>(1)</sup>	\$77M \$48M
<b>Registry Staffing</b>	30% registry reduction <sup>(1)</sup>	\$69M
<b>Supply Chain</b>	Standardization of high-cost implants	\$3.5M+
<b>Pharmaceutical Expenditures</b>	Referral of infusion drugs to specialty pharmacies	\$20M
<b>Information Technology</b>	Elimination and optimization of existing contracts, services, and equipment	\$10M+
<b>IHSS Line of Business</b>	Reduce out-of-network use through coordinated repatriation procedures, enforcement of UM requests, and stricter management of pharmacy benefit	\$7-10M
<b>Utilization Management</b>	Network repatriation	\$3.5M+

<sup>(1)</sup> Based on FY 25-26 full year estimate



# Key Considerations for Future Service Reductions



## Regulatory mandate

- Is the service legally or administratively required?

## Fiscal impact

- Is the service revenue-generating?
- Does reduction help avoid future expenditures?
- What net savings are achievable with ending the service?



## Workforce impact

- What magnitude of layoffs would be involved?

## Patient/community impact

- What is the magnitude of impact on patients & communities and overall access to services?
- What are equity-related considerations of the reductions?
- How do the reductions differentially impact vulnerable communities?





QUESTIONS?