

Obesity's Impact on Oregon's Economy and Workforce in 2023



REDUCED ECONOMIC ACTIVITY BY \$6.2B

67% of adults have obesity or overweight



\$2.6B in higher healthcare, absenteeism, and disability costs to employers



\$925M detrimental state budget impact



COST OF OBESITY ON OREGONIANS



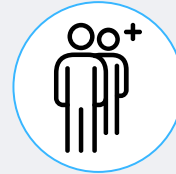
Reduced Labor Force Participation

33,700 fewer adults with obesity working



Reduced Earnings for Employed Women

Women with obesity earn 9% less than women with healthy weight



Obesity-Attributed Early Mortality

5,800 premature deaths occur annually



Higher Medical Costs

\$480M spending by households

COST OF OBESITY ON EMPLOYERS

\$722M in higher healthcare costs to employers



\$1.9B in health-related lost workdays and disability



2.0% reduction in Oregon's Gross Domestic Product (GDP)

5%-25% weight loss among adults age <65 over **10 years** has potential to **save \$4.6B-\$12.8B** in medical costs

HIGHER MEDICAL COSTS



COST OF OBESITY ON STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT

\$557M reduced tax revenues from lost economic activity

Medicaid	\$184M higher Medicaid spending
Healthcare Coverage	\$169M for employee healthcare coverage
Public Assistance Program	\$15M in public assistance program costs
TOTAL	\$368M increased spending

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