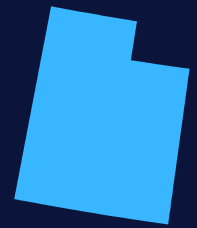


Obesity's Impact on Utah's Economy and Workforce in 2023



REDUCED ECONOMIC ACTIVITY BY \$4.4B

65% of adults have obesity or overweight



\$1.9B in higher healthcare, absenteeism, and disability costs to employers



\$421M detrimental state budget impact



COST OF OBESITY ON UTAHNS



Reduced Labor Force Participation

24,600 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

2,900 premature deaths occur annually



Higher Medical Costs

\$364M spending by households

COST OF OBESITY ON EMPLOYERS

HIGHER MEDICAL COSTS



\$548M in higher healthcare costs to employers



\$1.3B in health-related lost workdays and disability



1.6% reduction in Utah's Gross Domestic Product (GDP)

5%-25% weight loss among adults age **<65 over 10 years** has potential to **save \$2.7B-\$7.5B** in medical costs

COST OF OBESITY ON STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT

\$246M reduced tax revenues from lost economic activity

Medicaid

\$49M higher Medicaid spending

Healthcare Coverage

\$121M for employee healthcare coverage

Public Assistance Program

\$5M in public assistance program costs

TOTAL

\$175M increased spending

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