

# Household Savings in Healthcare Costs as Share of Income: Summary Figures

**Table 14** Pollin, Heintz, Arno and Wicks-Lim, "Economic Analysis of Healthy California," May 2017

|                                     | Healthcare Spending as Share of Income |                      | CHANGE IN HEALTHCARE SPENDING AS SHARE OF INCOME<br>COLUMN 1 - COLUMN 2 = |
|-------------------------------------|--|----------------------|---|
|                                     | 1 EXISTING SYSTEM                      | 2 HEALTHY CALIFORNIA |   |
| <b>LOW-INCOME FAMILIES</b>          |  |                      |   |
| \$13,000 in income with MediCal     | 5.1%                                   | -0.4%                | -5.5%   |
| \$35,800 in income, uninsured       | 2.2%                                   | 0.9%                 | -1.2%   |
| <b>MIDDLE-INCOME FAMILIES</b>       |  |                      |   |
| <b>\$62,300 in income</b>           |  |                      |   |
| Underinsured                        | 9.5%                                   | 0.8%                 | -8.7%   |
| Individually insured                | 9.9%                                   | 0.8%                 | -9.1%   |
| Insured by employer                 | 3.4%                                   | 0.8%                 | -2.6%   |
| <b>HIGH-INCOME FAMILIES</b>         |  |                      |   |
| Top 20 percent: \$227,600 in income | -1.0%                                  | +0.6%                | +1.7%   |
| Top 10 percent: \$340,400 in income | -1.0%                                  | +0.6%                | +1.5%   |

**Source** Pollin, Heintz, Arno and Wicks-Lim, "Economic Analysis of Healthy California," Tables 13A-C, May 2017

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