

Colorado

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The impact for the state of Colorado is as follows:

Medicare Cuts Over 10 Years	
National	Colorado
\$44.0 billion	\$451.4 million

Economic Impact – Year 1		
Reduction In Business Activity	Reduction In Labor Income	Jobs At Risk
\$35,376,150	\$17,467,337	504

Economic impact developed using IMPLAN model, 2007 data. Additional detail available upon request.



Colorado Congressional District 1

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The impact for Colorado Congressional District 1 is as follows:

Medicare Cuts Over 10 Years	
National	Colorado Congressional District 1
\$44.0 billion	\$46.6 million

Economic Impact – Year 1		
Reduction In Business Activity	Reduction In Labor Income	Jobs At Risk
\$3,167,064	\$1,668,358	46

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Colorado Congressional District 2

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The impact for Colorado Congressional District 2 is as follows:

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National	Colorado Congressional District 2
\$44.0 billion	\$45.4 million

Economic Impact – Year 1		
Reduction In Business Activity	Reduction In Labor Income	Jobs At Risk
\$3,222,881	\$1,656,485	47

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Colorado Congressional District 3

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The impact for Colorado Congressional District 3 is as follows:

Medicare Cuts Over 10 Years	
National	Colorado Congressional District 3
\$44.0 billion	\$81.4 million

Economic Impact – Year 1		
Reduction In Business Activity	Reduction In Labor Income	Jobs At Risk
\$5,856,336	\$2,923,776	96

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Colorado Congressional District 4

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The impact for Colorado Congressional District 4 is as follows:

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National	Colorado Congressional District 4
\$44.0 billion	\$95.4 million

Economic Impact – Year 1		
Reduction In Business Activity	Reduction In Labor Income	Jobs At Risk
\$7,070,180	\$3,499,029	111

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Colorado Congressional District 5

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The impact for Colorado Congressional District 5 is as follows:

Medicare Cuts Over 10 Years	
National	Colorado Congressional District 5
\$44.0 billion	\$59.5 million

Economic Impact – Year 1		
Reduction In Business Activity	Reduction In Labor Income	Jobs At Risk
\$4,219,207	\$2,146,438	67

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Colorado Congressional District 6

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The impact for Colorado Congressional District 6 is as follows:

Medicare Cuts Over 10 Years	
National	Colorado Congressional District 6
\$44.0 billion	\$50.9 million

Economic Impact – Year 1		
Reduction In Business Activity	Reduction In Labor Income	Jobs At Risk
\$3,543,376	\$1,849,928	52

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Colorado Congressional District 7

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The impact for Colorado Congressional District 7 is as follows:

Medicare Cuts Over 10 Years	
National	Colorado Congressional District 7
\$44.0 billion	\$72.1 million

Economic Impact – Year 1		
Reduction In Business Activity	Reduction In Labor Income	Jobs At Risk
\$5,351,991	\$2,703,200	75

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United States

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The impact for the United States is as follows:

Medicare Cuts Over 10 Years
National
\$44.0 billion

Economic Impact – Year 1		
Reduction In Business Activity	Reduction In Labor Income	Jobs At Risk
\$4,968,353,812	\$2,157,032,938	59,345

Economic impact developed using IMPLAN model, 2007 data. Additional detail available upon request.