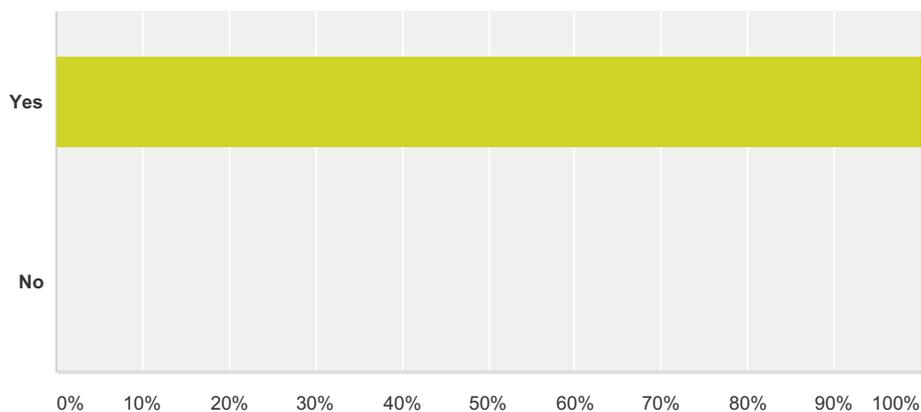


### Q1 Do you currently provide healthcare services to the uninsured population in Manatee County?

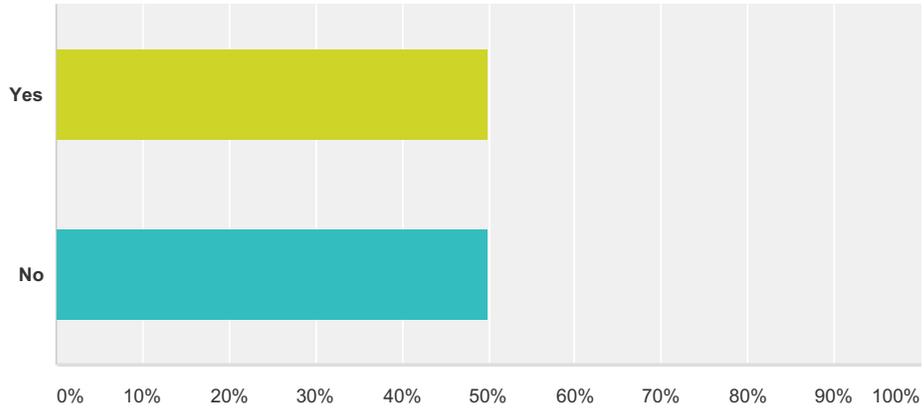
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Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	100.00% 6
No	0.00% 0
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>

### Q2 Are you a participating provider in the County's healthcare program to serve the uninsured with incomes below 200% of the FPL?

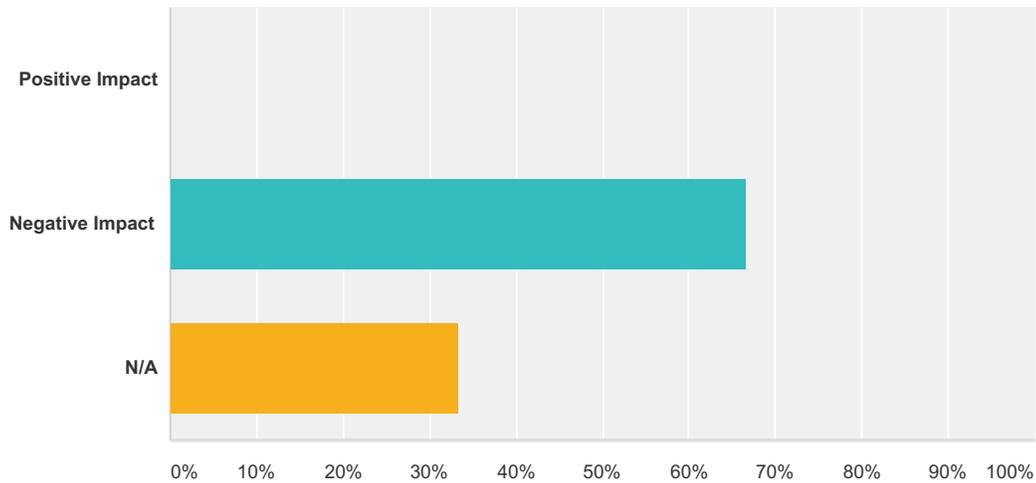
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Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	50.00% 3
No	50.00% 3
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>

### Q3 Will a decrease in the allowable income level to below 100% of the FPL impact your agency in any way?

Answered: 6 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
Positive Impact	0.00% 0
Negative Impact	66.67% 4
N/A	33.33% 2
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>

#	Please explain how your agency will be impacted by decreasing the income level to 100% of the FPL. Please be as specific as possible.	Date
1	We would not be able to assist people seeking primary care services but who are eligible for a plan that basically is for catastrophic health care but has high deductibles for anything else - yet these are exactly the people who need coverage. Not being able to assist them would decrease the pool of people we are here to assist, and would affect staff negatively.	9/17/2016 8:37 AM
2	Fewer Manatee County citizens will meet the new requirements and may be unable to access needed services.	9/12/2016 2:30 PM
3	We track and analyze the income level of the patients we serve. This is available on request to the County at anytime. Without an expansion of Medicaid in FL and the annual increase in minimum income to participate in Obamacare each year the gap for the uninsured will only increase NOT decrease by lowering the eligibility to 100%FPL. Where will these working poor get services from? This is will exacerbate not resolve the issue.	9/11/2016 3:34 PM
4	More clients seeking services at no cost.	9/9/2016 12:17 PM

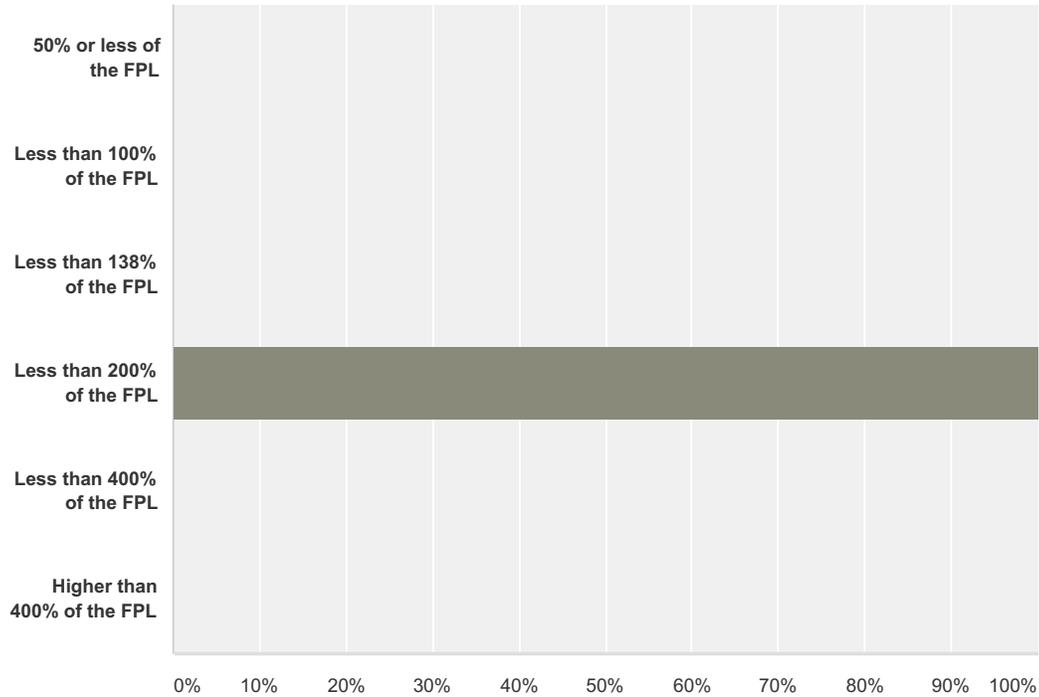
### Q4 What agency/provider do you work for?

Answered: 6 Skipped: 0

#	Responses	Date
1	Turning Points	9/17/2016 8:37 AM
2	Blake Medical Center	9/14/2016 2:07 PM
3	Centerstone	9/12/2016 2:30 PM
4	We Care Manatee, Inc.	9/11/2016 3:34 PM
5	Health Department	9/9/2016 12:17 PM
6	UHS	9/8/2016 5:31 PM

### Q5 What do you think the income standard should be for providing services to the uninsured in Manatee County?

Answered: 4 Skipped: 2



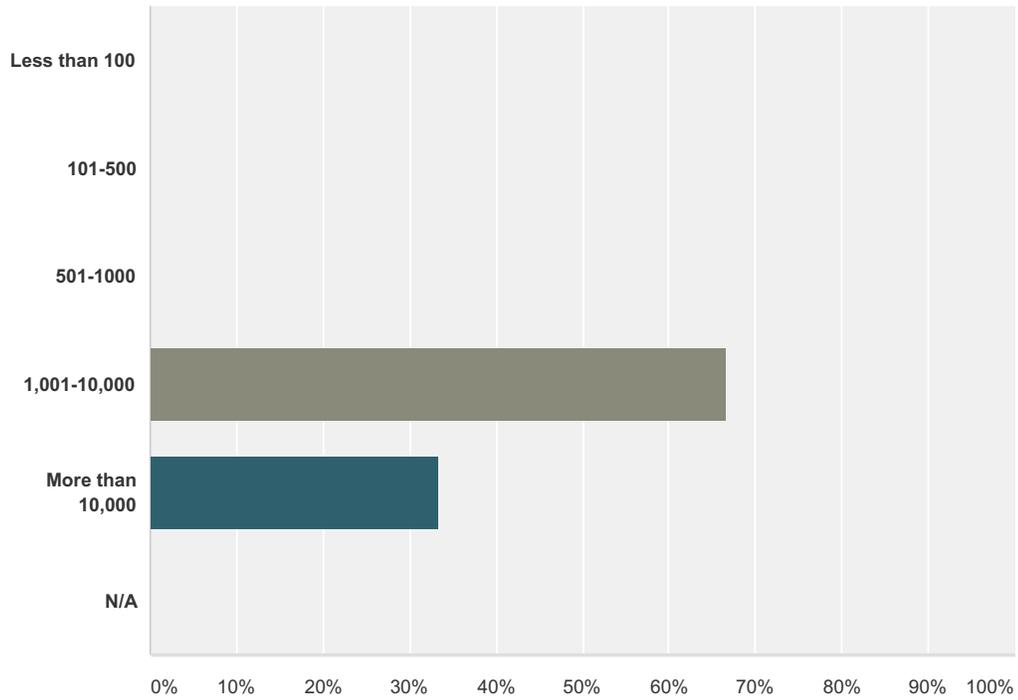
Answer Choices	Responses
50% or less of the FPL	0.00% 0
Less than 100% of the FPL	0.00% 0
Less than 138% of the FPL	0.00% 0
Less than 200% of the FPL	100.00% 4
Less than 400% of the FPL	0.00% 0
Higher than 400% of the FPL	0.00% 0
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>

#	Please explain why you feel this should be the standard.	Date
1	This is the group that is most likely to need health care assistance due to environmental and psycho-social factors, while being the least likely to seek assistance until they are in crisis. This is the level currently used by the State of Florida for limits for providers using sovereign immunity coverage - two standards will be confusing to staff and clients.	9/17/2016 8:47 AM
2	Recommend matching the State of Florida's requirement of less than 150% (versus 100%) due to no Medicaid expansion.	9/12/2016 2:40 PM
3	The gap is not covered in FL at 100% FPL and its not covered at 150% FPL either. Study the income where Medicaid stops and Obamacare starts, then look at the criteria in FL for Medicaid. Share of cost is a vastly misunderstood and complicated program to execute/track. You need a few insurance agents and Medicaid experts to help decisionmakers better understand along with direct input from actual providers and the agencies involved in care to really understand the issue and solutions.	9/11/2016 3:52 PM

4	It will depend if the providers can assure clients get signed up for other types of coverage.	9/9/2016 12:21 PM
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### Q6 How many uninsured patients do you serve per year?

Answered: 6 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses	
Less than 100	0.00%	0
101-500	0.00%	0
501-1000	0.00%	0
1,001-10,000	66.67%	4
More than 10,000	33.33%	2
N/A	0.00%	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>6</b>

**Q7 How would decreasing the income level to below 100% of the FPL impact how you work with other providers in the community? Please be as specific as possible.**

Answered: 6 Skipped: 0

#	Responses	Date
1	Unsure how that would impact our relationship with other providers.	9/17/2016 8:47 AM
2	We would continue to take care of these patients	9/14/2016 2:08 PM
3	We may be unable to accommodate the same volume of referrals due to more individuals being unable to pay their portion of treatment expense.	9/12/2016 2:40 PM
4	They would no longer be the working poor and also would increase the possibility that the patients are homeless, but homeless often cant prove residency so we are going in circles here. It would also likely impact compliance, communication, number of those with mental illness. Better to just open up a free clinic without eligibility criteria then this option. Best to ask the providers directly. How many have testified directly with the advisory committee or with the consultants?	9/11/2016 3:52 PM
5	I believe the FQHC will need to be ready to receive more clients since they provide most of the needed services.	9/9/2016 12:21 PM
6	It just shuts more patients out.	9/8/2016 5:33 PM

**Q8 Are there other changes you would like that the Healthcare Advisory Board take into account while discussing client eligibility?**

Answered: 5 Skipped: 1

#	Responses	Date
1	While theoretically clients may be eligible for health care coverage in the marketplace, a close examination of the plans available to them make it clear that for most, the premiums no matter how small, are an extra burden that provide minimal coverage for basic health care and are difficult to work into a budget along with the basics - food, clothing, child care, transportation, shelter.	9/17/2016 8:47 AM
2	Consider reviewing health care funding systems in other communities for benchmarks.	9/12/2016 2:40 PM
3	Why not specifically ask and inquire with each of the major agencies involved. No one from the advisory board or any consultant has contacted our agency to discuss eligibility and a survey monkey is helpful but probably not the ideal tool for making such an important decision that impacts lives of those in need and those who serve them. The group needs a clear understanding of Medicaid, criteria for Medicaid eligibility, Medicaid share of cost. Obamacare and criteria for eligibility, the gap this leaves based on income before setting an arbitrary income threshold and making things worse not better. They should also review a few specific patient case studies to see how certain patients have and/or would fall thru the crack with current and proposed eligibility- real cases/real people.	9/11/2016 3:52 PM
4	Look at additional prevention measures, such as improved case management models.	9/9/2016 12:21 PM
5	No, they just need to come up with how to fund it all, as we have been saying from day 1.	9/8/2016 5:33 PM

**Q9 Please add your contact information (optional) in case we would like to get additional information or clarification.  
Thank you.**

Answered: 4 Skipped: 2

#	Responses	Date
1	Adell Erozer - 747-1509	9/17/2016 8:47 AM
2	Centersone - 782-4299; Sean Gingras and/or Melissa Larkin-Skinner	9/12/2016 2:40 PM
3	Victoria Kasdan, RN, MPH We Care Manatee Victoria@wecaremanatee.org W 941-755-3952 ext 2 C 612-220-4438	9/11/2016 3:52 PM
4	Dr. Jennifer Bencie 748-0747	9/9/2016 12:21 PM