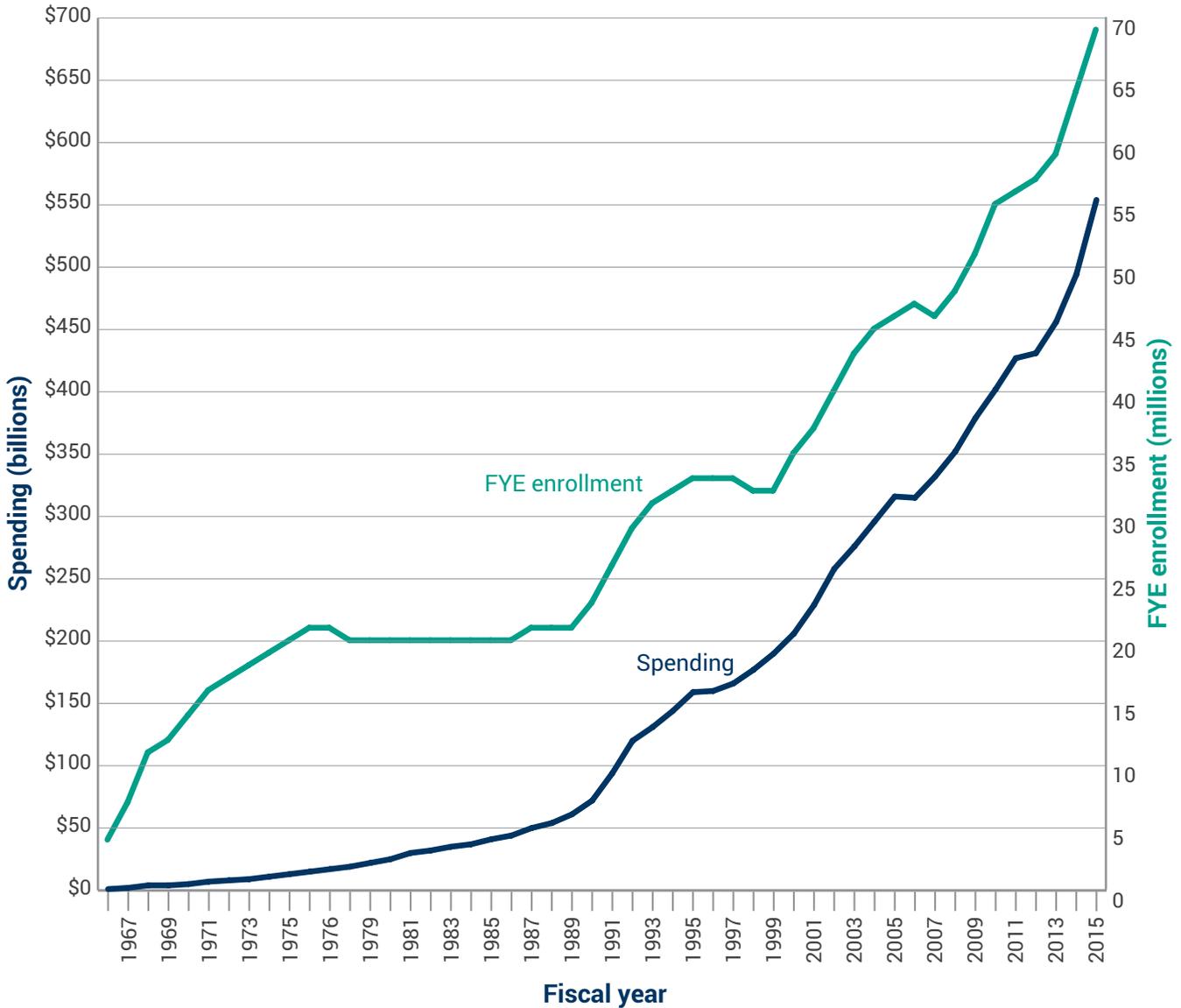


EXHIBIT 8. Medicaid Enrollment and Spending, FYs 1966–2015



Notes: FY is fiscal year. FYE is full-year equivalent, which also may be referred to as average monthly enrollment. All numbers exclude CHIP-financed coverage. Data prior to FY 1977 have been adjusted to the current federal fiscal year basis (October 1 to September 30). The amounts shown in this exhibit may differ from those published elsewhere due to slight differences in the timing of data and the treatment of certain adjustments. The amounts may also differ from prior versions of MACStats due to changes in methodology by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) Office of the Actuary (OACT). See <https://www.cms.gov/Research-Statistics-Data-and-Systems/Research/ActuarialStudies/Downloads/MedicaidReport2015.pdf> for more information. Spending consists of federal and state Medicaid expenditures for benefits and administration, excluding the Vaccines for Children program. Enrollment counts are full-year equivalents and, for fiscal years prior to FY 1990, have been estimated from counts of persons served. See <https://www.macpac.gov/macstats/data-sources-and-methods/> for a discussion of how enrollees are counted. Enrollment data for FYs 2012–2015 are projected; those for FYs 1999–2015 include estimates for Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

Source: OACT, CMS, 2016, data compilation provided to MACPAC staff August 15.