

The Life-Changing Impact of the Expanded and Improved Child Tax Credit

Maryland's 4th Congressional District

The expanded and improved Child Tax Credit is an historic change that is a lifeline to the middle class and cuts child poverty.

It provides children and their families with additional payments throughout the year that helps them with the costs of food, childcare, diapers, healthcare, clothing, and taxes. Poor, working, and middle class families are receiving the same monthly payments, \$250 per month per child, and \$300 per month for every young child. All the families in the 4th Congressional district will feel more secure and better able to deal with the burdensome expenses that face them weekly and monthly.

- A stunning **80.8% of children in this district** will gain from expanded and improved Child Tax Credit — **139,300 children**.
- The average benefit for **41,400 households** is **\$2,700**.
- The expanded and improved Child Tax Credit **lifts 8,200 children** in this district out of poverty.
- Because of the larger benefit for the youngest, **3,100 kids under the age of six** are raised out of poverty.
- Families with children in poverty will receive **\$4,200 on average**.
- **1,700 children** in this district are getting out of deep poverty.