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NEJM Healthcare Jobs Fallacy.pdf
Healthcare FullReport 090712.pdf

Hi Christian:

I am sending several items related to the health care jobs issues, and SCHA's recent report from the USC Moore School.

First, here again is the ink to SCHA's website – which has their summary of the USC report, and the full report itself:
<http://www.scha.org/news/medicaid-expansion-creates-jobs>

In a little while, I will forward you Tony's letter to the Moore School researcher, and that researcher's response (I've got to get my hands on them.)

In addition, attached are three items:

- 1- Tony's summary of the SCHA report, and its shortcomings (the summary you've requested)
- 2- A New England Journal of Medicine article we've been circulating – which refutes the notion that something like a healthcare stimulus is the most effective jobs creation strategy
- 3- A Georgetown U. study examining the issues related to healthcare jobs – their productivity among the issues examined: "Given the enormous growth in healthcare spending in recent years, it might seem reasonable to expect higher productivity, but across time healthcare has experienced the smallest level of productivity growth of all industrial sectors"

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