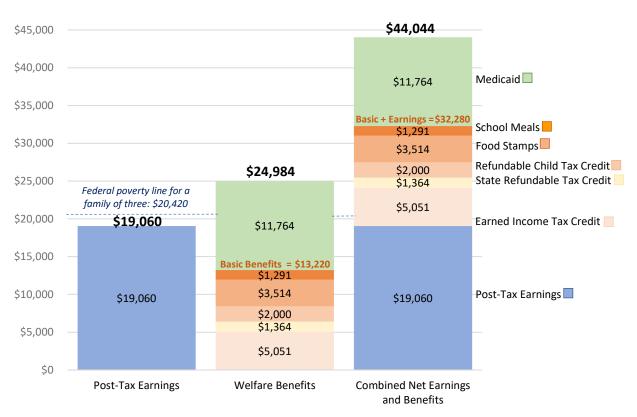
Maryland

Minimum wage = \$10.10 per hour (effective rate for July 1, 2018) or \$21,008 annually. The mom and the children qualify for Medicaid (estimated at \$4,986 and \$3,389 each, respectively). Maryland matches the federal Earned Income Tax Credit with a refundable tax credit.

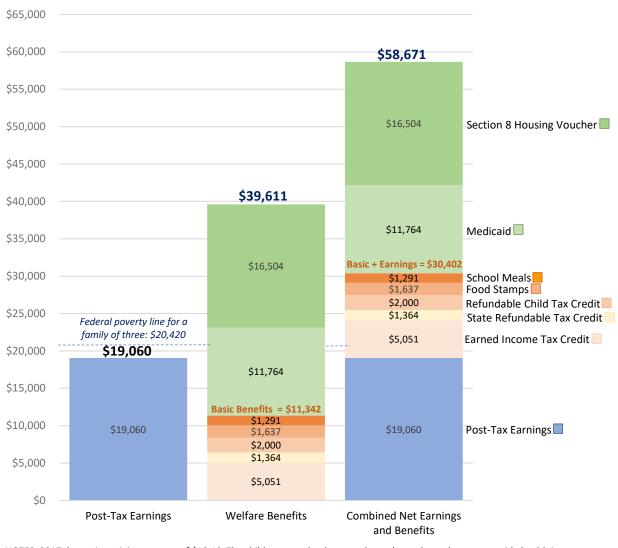
CHART 1: MARYLAND



Single Mother with Two Children Earning Minimum Wage for Full Year, Receiving Basic Cash, Food, and Medical Benefits in Maryland

NOTES: 2017 data using minimum wage of \$10.10. The children are school-age, and mom's employer does not provide health insurance. SOURCES: Author's calculations using data from the Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, IRS, Comptroller of Maryland, FNS, and CMS. CHART 2: MARYLAND

Single Mother with Two Children Earning Minimum Wage for Full Year, Receiving Basic Cash, Food, Medical, and Housing Benefits in Maryland



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