

Massachusetts

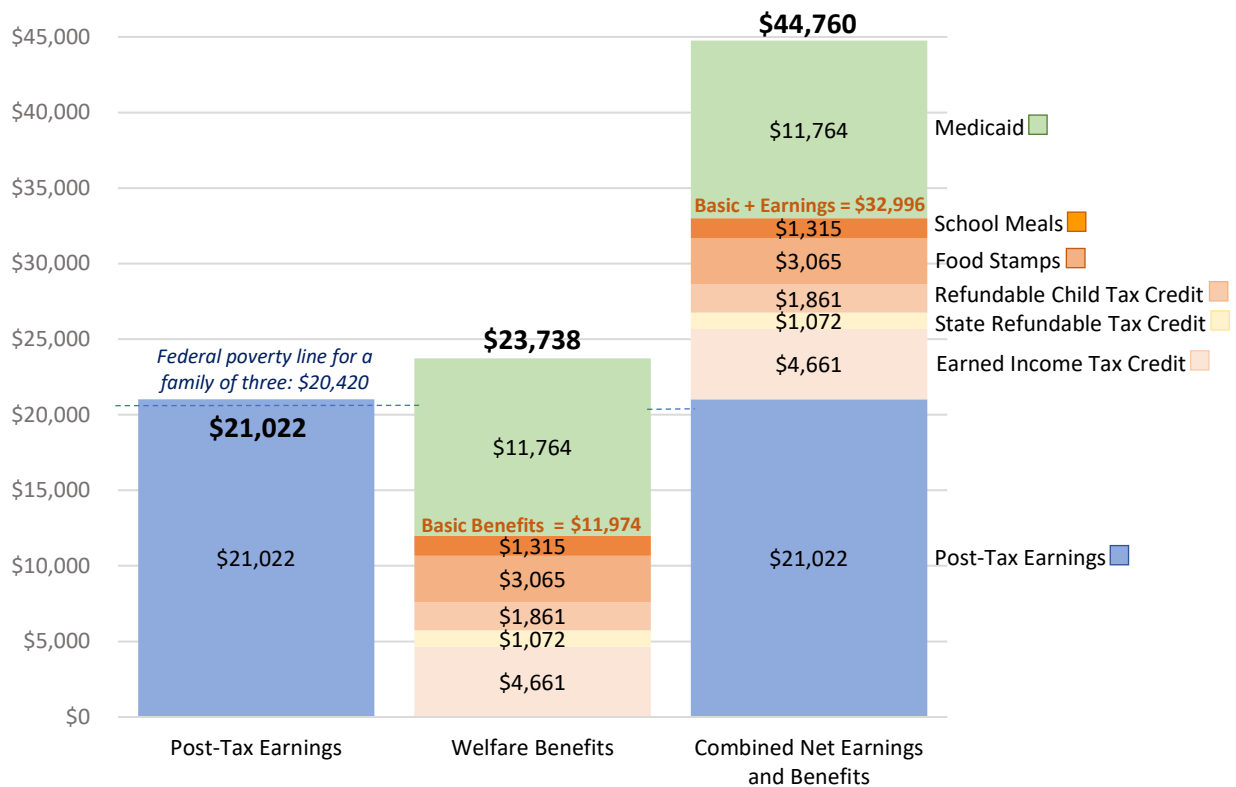
Minimum wage = \$11.00 per hour or \$22,880 annually.

The mom and the children qualify for Medicaid (estimated at \$4,986 and \$3,389 each, respectively).

Massachusetts matches the federal Earned Income Tax Credit with a refundable tax credit.

CHART 1: MASSACHUSETTS

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

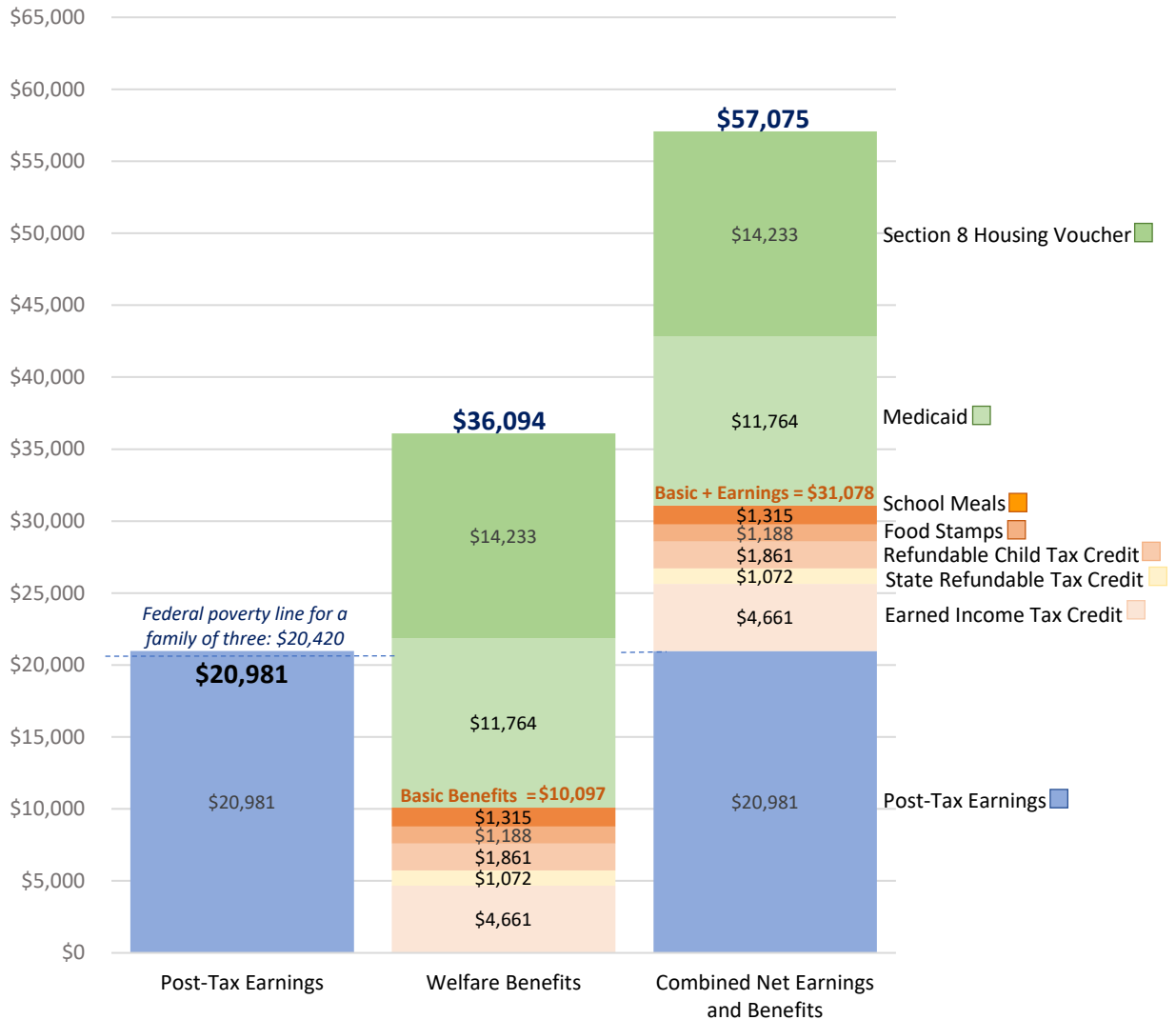


NOTES: 2017 data using minimum wage of \$11.00. The children are school-age, and mom's employer does not provide health insurance.

SOURCES: Author's calculations using data from the Massachusetts Executive Office of Labor & Workforce Development, IRS, Massachusetts Department of Revenue, FNS, and CMS.

CHART 2: MASSACHUSETTS

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



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