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Repeal Exclusion from HI Payroll Tax of Employer Sponsored Health Insurance Premiums and Medical Flexible Spending Accounts

Baseline: Current Law

Impact on Tax Revenue (billions of current dollars), 2012-21 1

	Fiscal Years										
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2012-21
Individual Income Tax	0.0	-1.9	-2.7	-3.0	-3.3	-3.6	-3.9	-4.2	-4.6	-4.9	-32.3
Payroll Tax	0.0	15.5	21.9	23.5	25.2	27.0	29.0	30.9	33.1	35.0	241.2
Total	0.0	13.6	19.1	20.5	21.9	23.4	25.0	26.7	28.5	30.1	208.9

Source: Urban-Brookings Tax Policy Center Microsimulation Model (version 0411-2).

⁽¹⁾ Fiscal years. Baseline is current law. Proposal would include the following in the HI tax base: employer payments for (a) employee and retiree ESI premiums; (b) employee dental and vision premiums; and (c) HSA contributions; employee payments for (a) ESI premiums and dental and vision premiums through cafeteria plans; (b) HSA contributions, and (c) medical flexible spending account contributions. Estimates assume no change in health insurance coverage or total compensation. Effective date: 01/01/13.