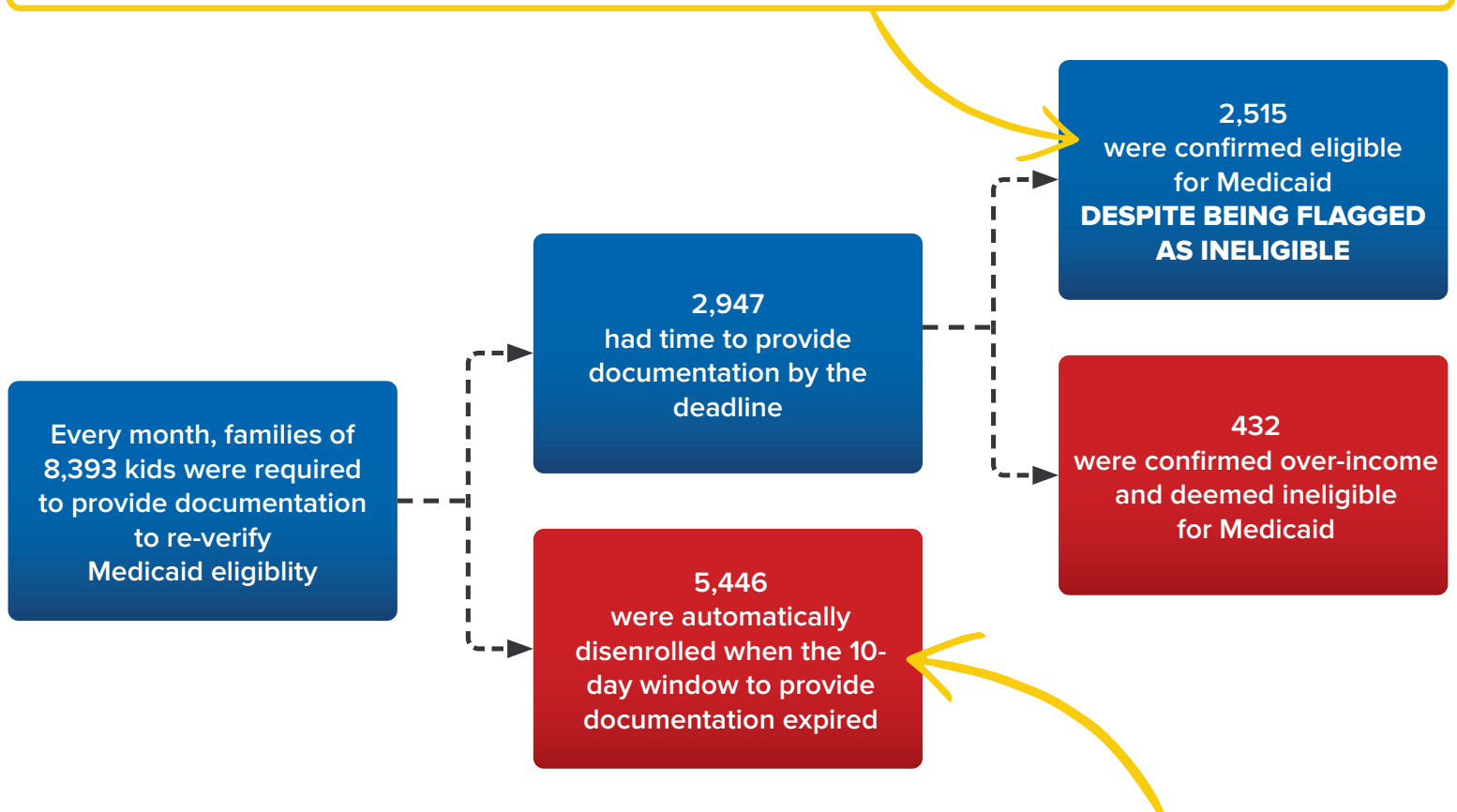


# Support HB 290 and SB 39 to Allow 12 Months of Uninterrupted Medicaid Coverage for Eligible Children

Texas should rely on its accurate annual eligibility review instead of inaccurate automated mid-year reviews that mistakenly remove eligible children from health coverage.

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The database flagging children for monthly income verification is **PROVEN WRONG AT LEAST 30 PERCENT OF THE TIME...**



...yet thousands of children lose Medicaid coverage every month **BASED ONLY ON THE FREQUENTLY INACCURATE INCOME CHECK PROCESS**

Average monthly data for January through December 2019. Provided by Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) to the Children's Health Coverage Coalition on February 1, 2021.

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