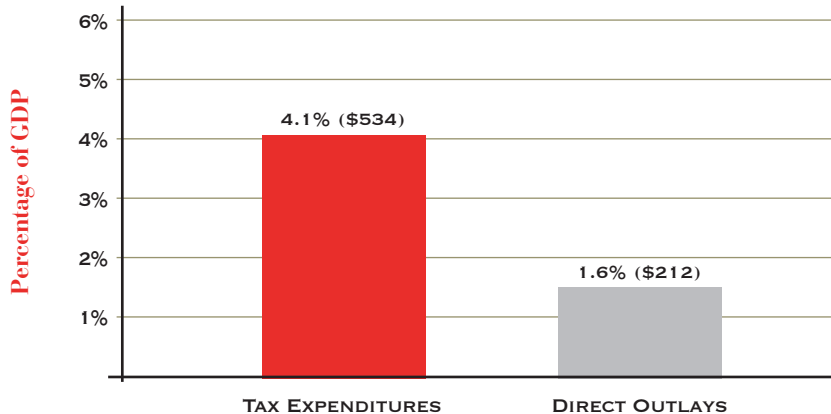


## How Much Does the Federal Government Spend to Promote Economic Mobility and for Whom?

FIGURE 1

### Federal Spending on Mobility, 2006 (%GDP and billions of 2006 \$)



Source: The Urban Institute, 2007. Estimates developed using the *Budget of the United States Government FY2008*, CBO's *The Budget and Economic Outlook: Fiscal Years 2008-17*, and *Health Care Financing Review 2005*.

Notes: Spending on mobility includes programs aimed at least partially at increasing the acquisition of private income and assets, including human capital and education. Mobility spending and income maintenance spending include tax expenditures (tax provisions that increase net income by reducing tax liability). As tax expenditures are not strictly additive, all totals should be regarded as approximate only.