

A Look At The Numbers

Managed Care Organizations Provide Value For Pennsylvania

The commonwealth of Pennsylvania partners with managed care organizations (MCOs) to serve the healthcare needs of the clinically and most economically challenged Pennsylvanians. MCOs align with Pennsylvania requirements to deliver a higher standard of healthcare.



Public resources
Accountability
Oversight



Private sector capital
Expertise
Innovation



This partnership has produced higher quality care and improved health outcomes in a highly cost-effective manner for Pennsylvanians enrolled in Medicaid.

92%

of children and adolescents between the ages of 12 and 19 covered by HealthChoices had at least one visit with a primary care practitioner in the past two years¹

63%

of HealthChoices members between the ages of 2 and 20 had at least one dental visit in the last year¹

Medicaid enables Pennsylvania to deliver:

Improved Population Health



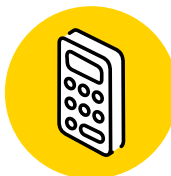
Thousands of preventive screenings:

- 104,000 breast cancer screenings²
- 68,000 colon cancer screenings²
- 153,000 cervical cancer screenings²



MCOs are addressing the opioid crisis by coordinating care and working with providers on prescribing practices³

Managed Health Costs



\$3.3 billion in state fund savings between 2000 and 2010 through Medicaid managed care⁴



\$4.4 billion in state fund savings between 2016 and 2020 through Medicaid managed care⁴

Higher Quality Care



HealthChoices covers:

- 1 in 6 adults⁵
- 1 in 3 children⁵
- 2 in 3 nursing home residents⁵
- Over 2.2 million enrollees⁶



PA is a top performer among states in:

- Helping people control their blood pressure⁷
- Ensuring pregnant women go to a prenatal care visit within 42 days of enrolling⁷
- Up-to-date immunizations of children by their second birthday⁷

¹ http://www.healthchoices.pa.gov/cs/groups/webcontent/documents/document/c_277776.pdf

² <https://data.pa.gov/stories/s/c523-smgb>

³ <https://www.governor.pa.gov/newsroom/pennsylvania-tightens-medication-rules-to-help-combat-opioid-crisis/>

⁴ http://www.lewin.com/content/dam/Lewin/Resources/Site_Sections/Publications/MedicaidSavingsPAHealthChoices.pdf

⁵ <http://files.kff.org/attachment/fact-sheet-medicaid-state-PA>

⁶ <https://www.dhs.pa.gov/providers/Providers/Documents/Managed%20Care%20Enrollment%20Information/2019%20Dec%20Enrollment%20Report.pdf>

⁷ <https://www.medicaid.gov/state-overviews/stateprofile.html?state=pennsylvania>