

Table 1. Medicare Advantage Enrollment and Penetration Rate, by State, 2015-2016

State	2015 Total Enrollment	2016 Total Enrollment	Change in Total Enrollment, 2015-2016	Percent Change in Enrollment, 2015-2016	2015 Penetration Rate	2016 Penetration Rate
Total U.S.	16,761,673	17,625,200	863,527	5%	31%	31%
Alabama	238,091	257,218	19,127	8%	25%	26%
Alaska	56	93	N/A	N/A	<1%	<1%
Arizona	425,454	442,282	16,828	4%	38%	38%
Arkansas	114,326	121,543	7,217	6%	19%	20%
California	2,127,666	2,244,709	117,043	6%	38%	39%
Colorado	281,467	293,275	11,808	4%	37%	36%
Connecticut	157,692	165,722	8,030	5%	25%	26%
Delaware	13,841	16,792	2,951	21%	8%	9%
District of Columbia	11,033	12,292	1,259	11%	13%	14%
Florida	1,570,845	1,670,266	99,421	6%	40%	41%
Georgia	460,670	508,161	47,491	10%	31%	33%
Hawaii	110,465	113,451	2,986	3%	46%	46%
Idaho	87,837	90,435	2,598	3%	32%	31%
Illinois	371,007	405,756	34,749	9%	18%	19%
Indiana	264,104	279,338	15,234	6%	23%	24%
Iowa	81,541	98,790	17,249	21%	14%	17%
Kansas	61,600	67,733	6,133	10%	13%	14%
Kentucky	212,948	229,916	16,968	8%	25%	26%
Louisiana	232,445	249,920	17,475	8%	30%	31%
Maine	66,307	75,116	8,809	13%	22%	24%
Maryland	76,375	88,998	12,623	17%	8%	9%
Massachusetts	233,084	246,018	12,934	6%	19%	20%
Michigan	595,239	621,118	25,879	4%	32%	32%
Minnesota	480,474	510,713	30,239	6%	53%	55%
Mississippi	76,776	85,208	8,432	11%	14%	15%
Missouri	311,364	337,119	25,755	8%	28%	29%
Montana	34,758	39,200	4,442	13%	18%	19%

Nebraska	34,982	37,169	2,187	6%	11%	12%
Nevada	146,094	157,379	11,285	8%	33%	34%
New Hampshire	17,295	20,756	3,461	20%	7%	8%
New Jersey	222,846	245,651	22,805	10%	15%	16%
New Mexico	113,807	120,099	6,292	6%	31%	32%
New York	1,212,239	1,243,714	31,475	3%	37%	37%
North Carolina	512,924	547,079	34,155	7%	29%	30%
North Dakota	17,878	21,627	3,749	21%	15%	18%
Ohio	811,503	748,125	-63,378	-8%	38%	34%
Oklahoma	111,013	116,489	5,476	5%	17%	17%
Oregon	323,765	339,461	15,696	5%	44%	44%
Pennsylvania	1,001,864	1,022,462	20,598	2%	40%	40%
Rhode Island	71,009	72,954	1,945	3%	35%	35%
South Carolina	209,812	224,130	14,318	7%	23%	23%
South Dakota	26,400	31,158	4,758	18%	17%	20%
Tennessee	412,042	440,394	28,352	7%	34%	35%
Texas	1,098,678	1,174,621	75,943	7%	31%	32%
Utah	113,034	120,237	7,203	6%	33%	34%
Vermont	8,984	9,671	687	8%	7%	7%
Virginia	206,427	219,382	12,955	6%	16%	16%
Washington	348,467	360,712	12,245	4%	30%	30%
West Virginia	99,454	103,805	4,351	4%	24%	25%
Wisconsin	388,732	410,771	22,039	6%	38%	38%
Wyoming	2,071	2,079	N/A	N/A	2%	2%

NOTE: Includes employer-sponsored plans, special needs plans, and other private plans. N/A indicates based on too few (less than 50) enrollees to report. Total U.S. includes Puerto Rico. Between March 2015 and March 2016, the CMS Division of Consumer Assessment and Plan Performance improved the determinations used to assign Medicare beneficiaries to geographic areas in their monthly Medicare Advantage Penetration files. This edit fixed an undercount of approximately 1% of actual Medicare enrollment, potentially making prior-year penetration rates look comparatively higher.

SOURCE: Authors' analysis of CMS Medicare Advantage enrollment and Landscape files, 2015-2016.