

Medicare Enrollment

Table A.1.c. Medicare beneficiary counts of the Medicare Advantage (MA) population, 2015–2022

Enrollment	2015 counts (n)	2015 percent (%)	2016 counts (n)	2016 percent (%)	2017 counts (n)	2017 percent (%)
TOTAL*	58,294,195	100%	59,818,481	100%	61,405,844	100%
Full or nearly full fee-for-service (FFS)**	32,179,757	55.2%	32,607,998	54.5%	32,483,529	52.9%
Full or nearly MA**	16,947,764	29.1%	17,883,905	29.9%	19,300,734	31.4%
Other (partial or combination)	9,166,674	15.7%	9,326,578	15.6%	9,621,581	15.7%

NOTE: The table that follows relates to full/nearly full MA enrollees only.

Category	Type	2015 (n)	2015 (%)	2016 (n)	2016 (%)	2017 (n)	2017 (%)
Medicare status	Aged	14,812,825	87.4%	15,618,909	87.3%	16,898,846	87.6%
	Disabled	2,134,939	12.6%	2,264,996	12.7%	2,401,888	12.4%
End-stage renal disease (ESRD)	Yes	92,580	0.5%	100,408	0.6%	110,073	0.6%
	No	16,855,184	99.5%	17,783,497	99.4%	19,190,661	99.4%
Sex	Male	7,375,318	43.5%	7,795,058	43.6%	8,406,640	43.6%
	Female	9,572,445	56.5%	10,088,847	56.4%	10,894,093	56.4%
Race†	White	11,922,176	70.3%	12,410,895	69.4%	13,324,496	69.0%
	Black	1,892,186	11.2%	2,054,002	11.5%	2,269,344	11.8%
	Hispanic	2,245,740	13.3%	2,425,002	13.6%	2,598,560	13.5%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	573,573	3.4%	634,747	3.5%	694,891	3.6%
	American Indian/Alaska	33,380	0.2%	35,725	0.2%	39,325	0.2%
	Other/Unknown	280,709	1.7%	323,534	1.8%	374,118	1.9%
Age (in years)‡	<65	2,134,939	12.6%	2,264,996	12.7%	2,401,888	12.4%
	65–74	7,961,360	47.0%	8,391,198	46.9%	8,987,387	46.6%
	75–84	4,851,303	28.6%	5,129,677	28.7%	5,628,035	29.2%
	85+	2,000,162	11.8%	2,098,034	11.7%	2,283,424	11.8%

* Includes all Medicare beneficiaries who were eligible for or enrolled in Medicare on or after January 1, YYYY.

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‡ The CCW team calculates age based on the age of the Medicare beneficiary as of December 31, YYYY. If the beneficiary expired, the CCW team calculates the age based on the age at the time of death.

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Table A.1c. Medicare beneficiary counts of the MA population, 2015–2022

Enrollment	2018 counts (n)	2018 percent (%)	2019 counts (n)	2019 percent (%)	2020 counts (n)	2020 percent (%)
TOTAL*	62,930,784	100%	64,430,729	100%	65,901,907	100%
Full or nearly full FFS**	32,184,841	51.1%	31,860,990	49.4%	31,187,299	47.3%
Full or nearly MA**	20,746,463	33.0%	22,292,208	34.6%	24,498,199	37.2%
Other (partial or combination)	9,999,480	15.9%	10,277,531	16.0%	10,216,409	15.5%

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Category	Type	2018 (n)	2018 (%)	2019 (n)	2019 (%)	2020 (n)	2020 (%)
Medicare status	Aged	18,190,029	87.7%	19,528,520	87.6%	21,409,549	87.4%
	Disabled	2,556,434	12.3%	2,763,688	12.4%	3,088,650	12.6%
End-stage renal disease (ESRD)	Yes	121,786	0.6%	121,820	0.5%	148,010	0.6%
	No	20,624,677	99.4%	22,170,388	99.5%	24,350,189	99.4%
Sex	Male	9,040,849	43.6%	9,703,098	43.5%	10,685,086	43.6%
	Female	11,705,613	56.4%	12,589,109	56.5%	13,813,112	56.4%
Race†	White	14,221,155	68.5%	15,155,513	68.0%	16,540,116	67.5%
	Black	2,498,949	12.0%	2,746,545	12.3%	3,097,886	12.6%
	Hispanic	2,789,572	13.4%	3,012,930	13.5%	3,302,218	13.5%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	765,692	3.7%	844,446	3.8%	947,306	3.9%
	American Indian/Alaska	43,243	0.2%	47,438	0.2%	54,229	0.2%
	Other/Unknown	427,852	2.1%	485,336	2.2%	556,444	2.3%
Age (in years)‡	<65	2,556,434	12.3%	2,763,688	12.4%	3,088,650	12.6%
	65–74	9,613,781	46.3%	10,361,161	46.5%	11,487,010	46.9%
	75–84	6,155,267	29.7%	6,613,485	29.7%	7,181,498	29.3%
	85+	2,420,981	11.7%	2,553,874	11.5%	2,741,041	11.2%

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Table A.1c. Medicare beneficiary counts of the MA population, 2015–2022

Enrollment	2021 counts (n)	2021 percent (%)	2022 counts (n)	2022 percent (%)
TOTAL*	67,041,110	100.0%	68,266,781	100.0%
Full or nearly full FFS**	29,757,982	44.4%	28,550,545	41.8%
Full or nearly MA**	26,889,808	40.1%	29,166,952	42.7%
Other (partial or combination)	10,393,320	15.5%	10,549,284	15.5%

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Category	Type	2021 (n)	2021 (%)	2022 (n)	2022 (%)
Medicare status	Aged	23,522,826	87.5%	25,583,098	87.7%
	Disabled	3,366,982	12.5%	3,583,854	12.3%
End-stage renal disease (ESRD)	Yes	198,583	0.7%	235,640	0.8%
	No	26,691,225	99.3%	28,931,312	99.2%
Sex	Male	11,762,761	43.7%	12,788,802	43.8%
	Female	15,127,046	56.3%	16,378,149	56.2%
Race†	White	18,095,412	67.3%	19,545,869	67.0%
	Black	3,471,466	12.9%	3,830,876	13.1%
	Hispanic	3,566,646	13.3%	3,835,592	13.2%
	Asian/Pacific Islander	1,057,720	3.9%	1,169,587	4.0%
	American Indian/Alaska	63,950	0.2%	74,337	0.3%
	Other/Unknown	634,614	2.4%	710,691	2.4%
Age (in years)‡	<65	3,366,982	12.5%	3,583,854	12.3%
	65–74	12,672,821	47.1%	13,695,873	47.0%
	75–84	7,947,522	29.6%	8,811,237	30.2%
	85+	2,902,483	10.8%	3,075,988	10.5%

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