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Maryland Primary Care Program (MDPCP) Program Progress Update

Reporting Period January 2019 - February 2025

This Program Progress Update provides a data-driven snapshot on MDPCP progress and is based on the most recently available data¹

Summary

Since the beginning of the program, MDPCP practices have demonstrated strong improvement in several performance areas and related metrics, including: utilization (inpatient admissions (IP) per 1,000 beneficiaries, emergency department (ED) visits per 1,000 beneficiaries, avoidable hospital visits per 1,000 beneficiaries (PQI-like events), quality (CMS165 and CMS122), and care transformation (hospital and ED follow-up). Since 2019, MDH has bolstered support for participating practices through the provision of: practice transformation coaches, data tools, quality improvement support, learning events, and other technical assistance. The combination of these resources, along with the transition to value-based care payments, has allowed for these practices to improve their quality of care, while containing total healthcare spend. For more information on the program, please visit the [MDPCP website](#).

Methodology

The MDPCP overview page (page 1) of the MDPCP dashboard displays the characteristics and population composition of MDPCP practices. The utilization (page 2) and cost (page 3) of the MDPCP dashboard consist of measures that are tracked throughout the program as MDPCP is designed to reduce avoidable hospitalization and Emergency Department (ED) use. Practice performance for these metrics are assessed using claims data. The source data for the first three pages of the MDPCP dashboard is from the Medicare Claims and Claims Line Feed (CCLF). The quality page (page 4) of the dashboard displays the performance of selected electronic Clinical Quality Measures (eCQMs). The eCQM data is reported by MDPCP practices after each MDPCP performance year. Practices are given a percentile rank based on how their performance compares to a benchmark set by a national, all payer population. The data in the quality page comes from practice-reported eCQM measure data. The care management metrics page (page 5) represents the aggregate percentage of MDPCP beneficiaries reported to be under longitudinal care management and receiving timely follow-up services based on the Care Transformation Reports (CTR). Bi-annually, MDPCP Practices are asked to report about their progress on specific MDPCP requirements that span the five essential primary care functions, in semi-annual questionnaires referred to as Care Transformation Requirement (CTR) Reporting. For more information please refer to the [Data Definitions for Public Maryland Primary Care Program \(MDPCP\) Dashboard](#).

¹ Dates of data capture vary by data source and are denoted through this report.

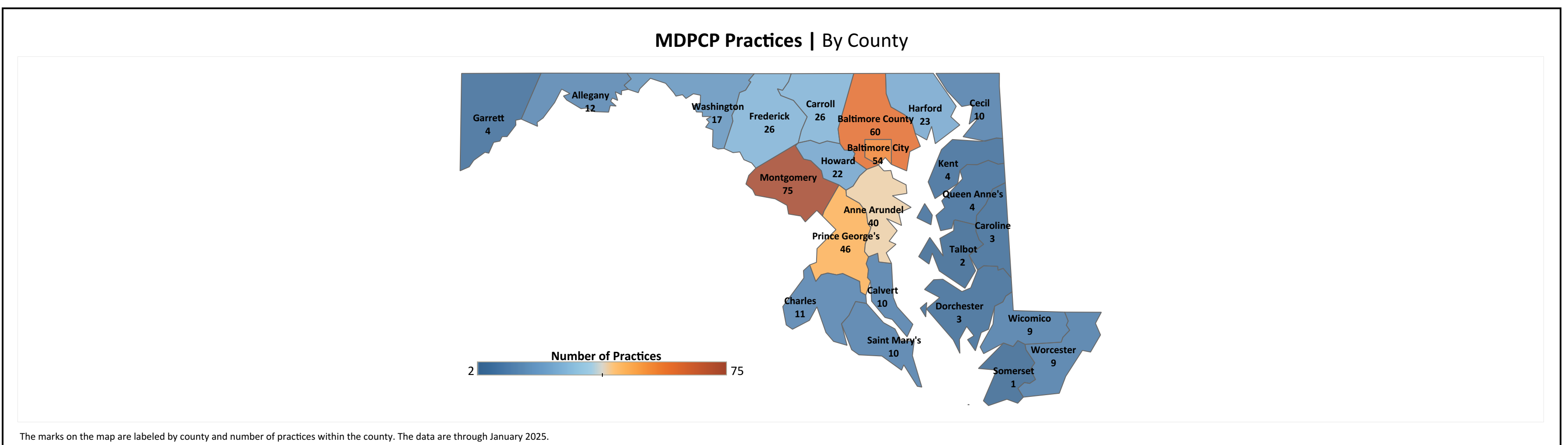
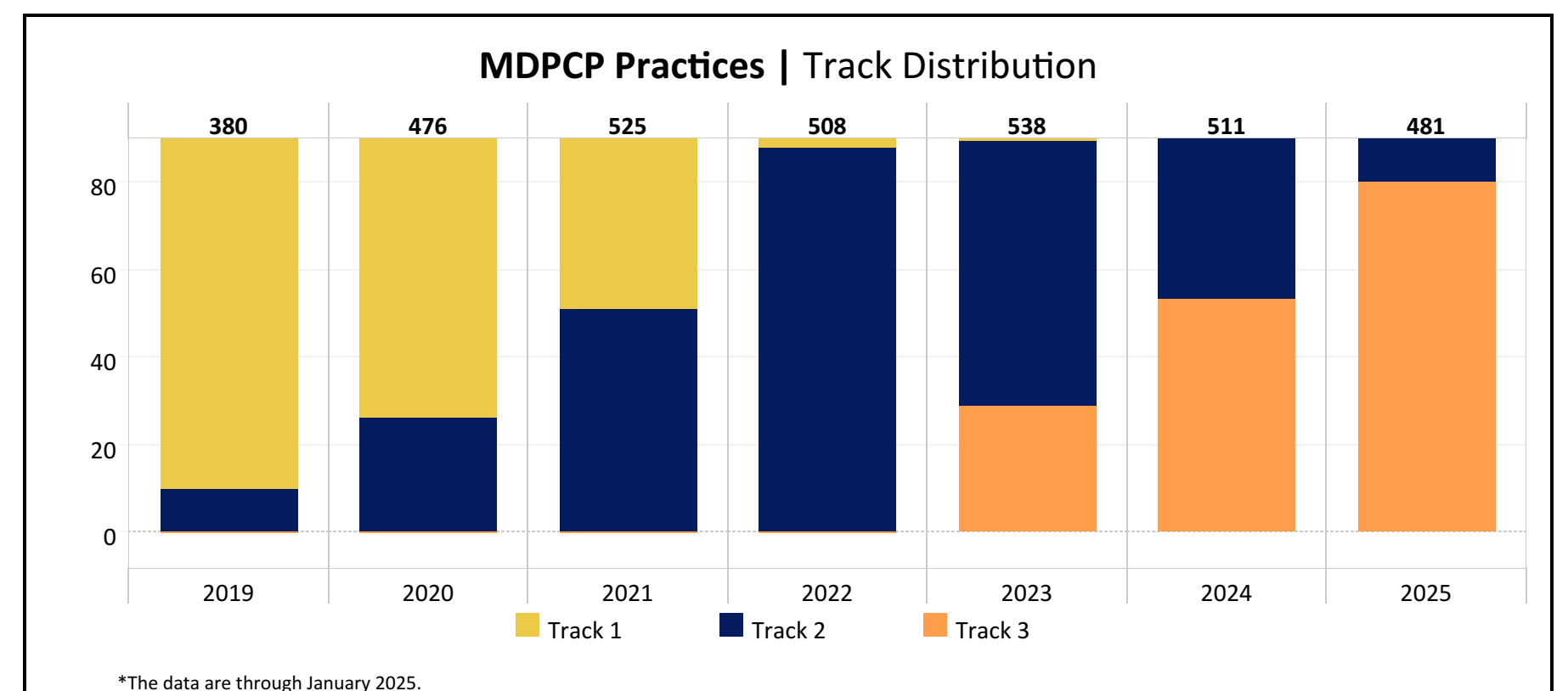
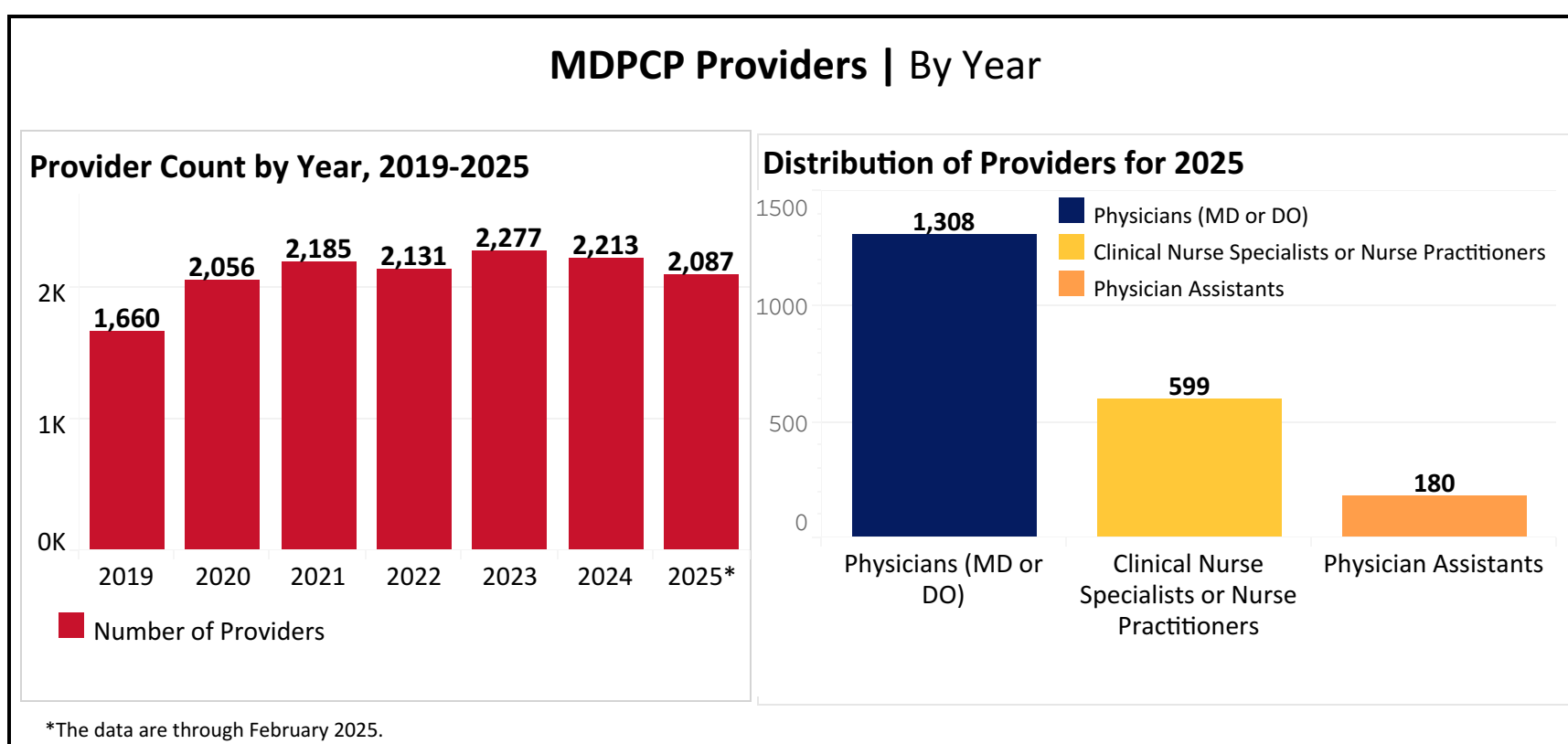
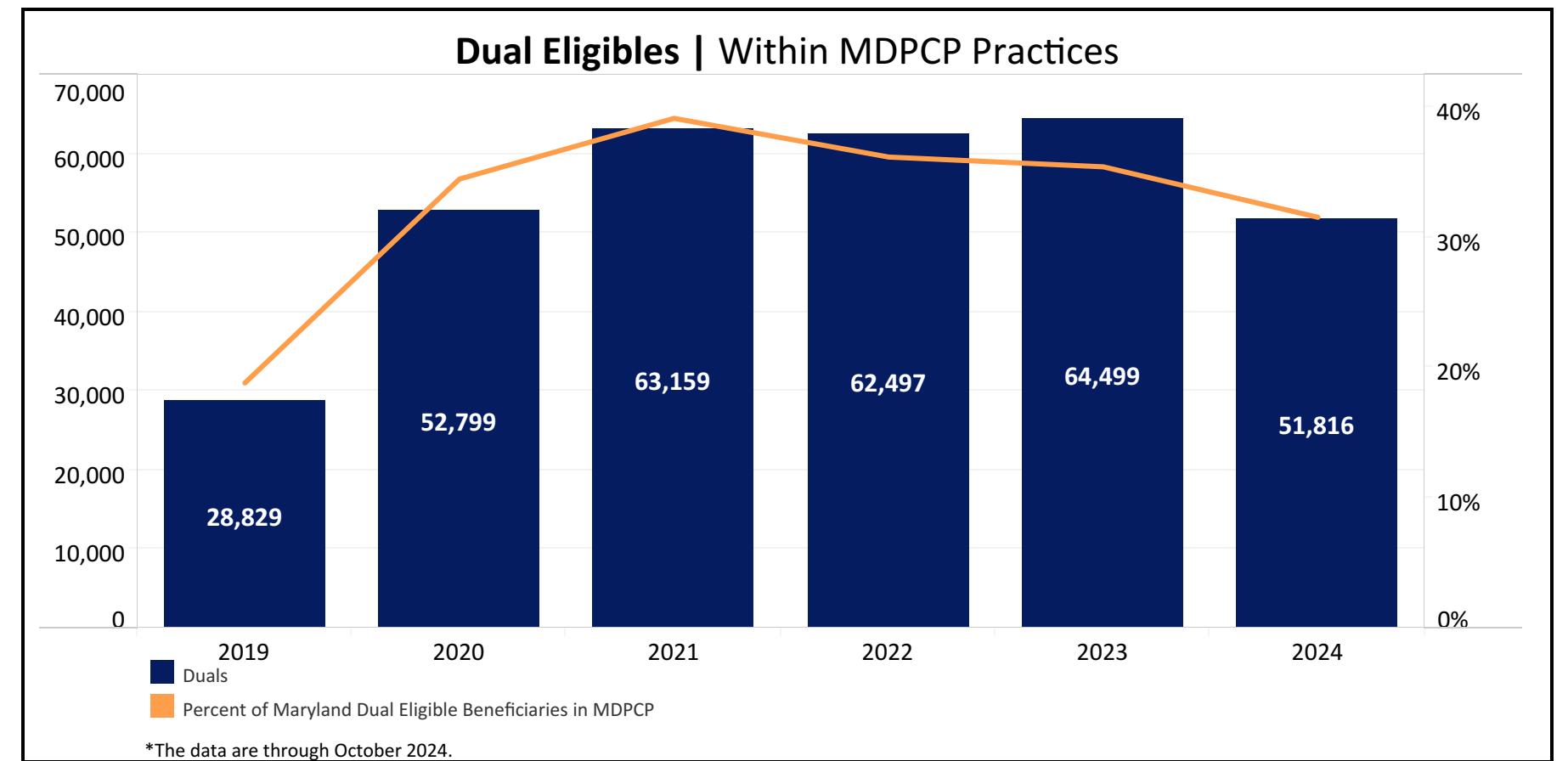
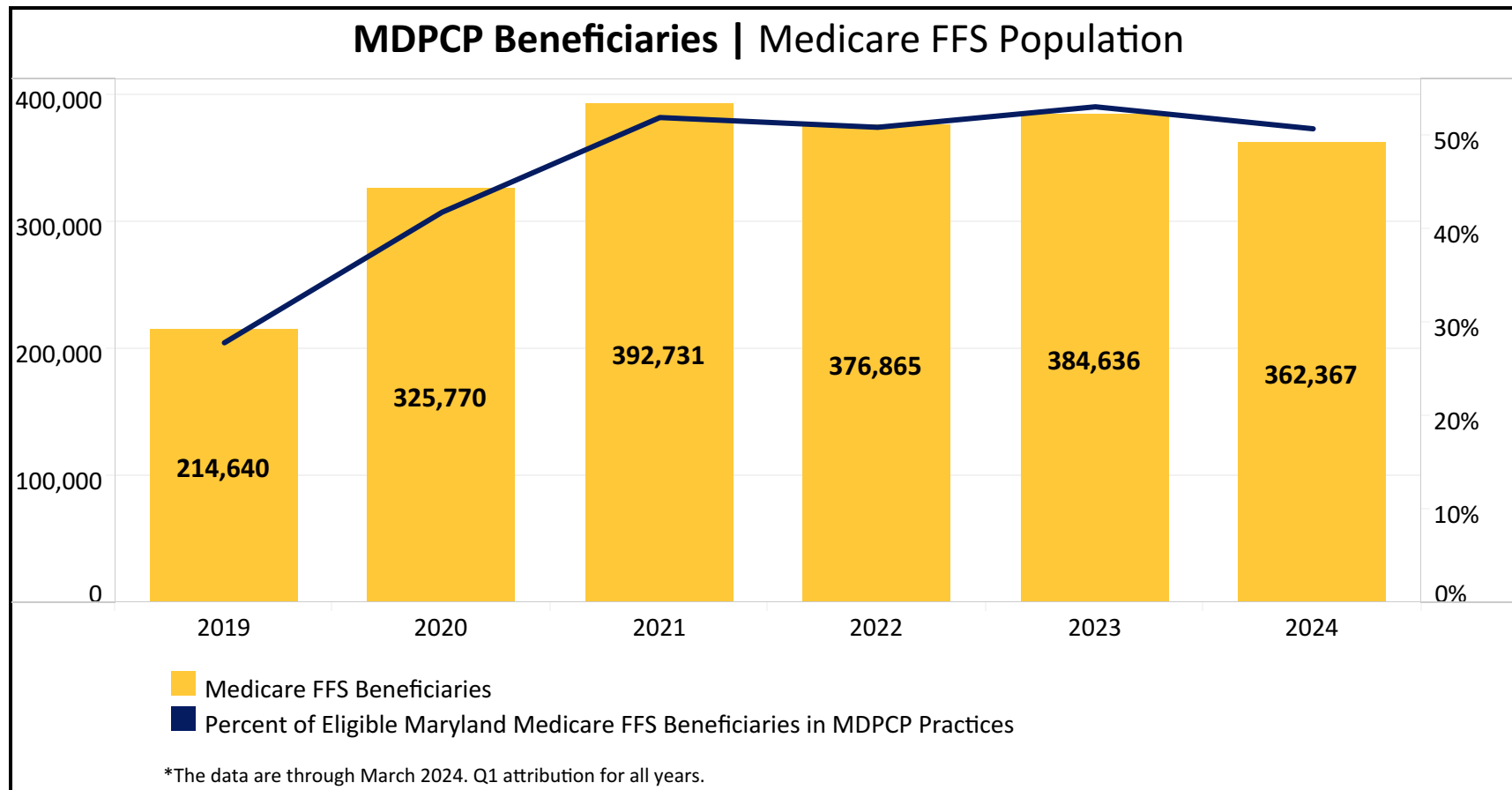
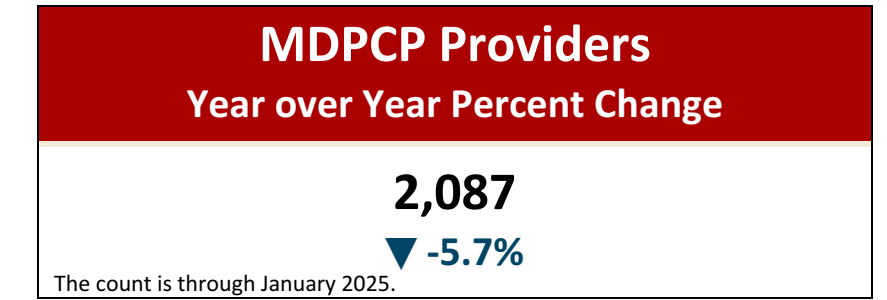
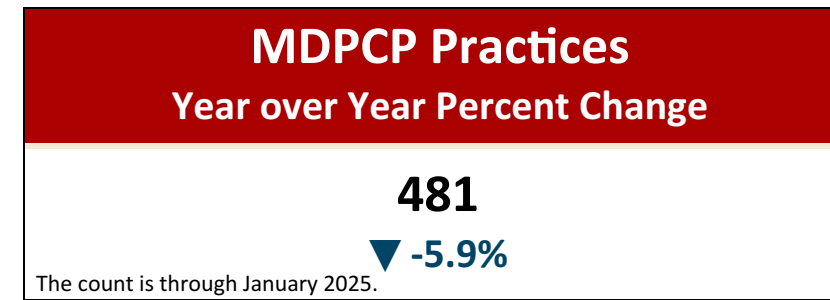
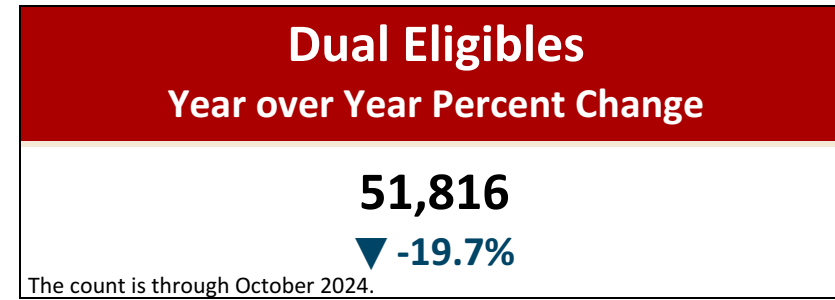
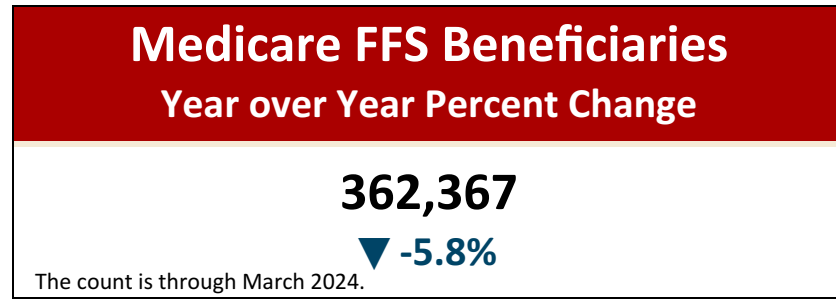
Key highlights from the MDPCP Dashboard	
<p>MDPCP Overview (page 1)</p> <p><i>As of February 2025</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 481 participating practices (20% are in Track 2 and 80% are in Track 3) and 25 Care Transformation Organizations (CTOs) ● 2,087 participating providers with a majority being physicians (MDs and DOs) ● Practice sites in every county (majority are in Montgomery County, Baltimore County, Baltimore City, and Prince George’s County) <p>*Data sourced from the CMS Portal</p>
<p>Utilization & Cost (pages 2 & 3)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <u>Comparing Calendar Year 2024 to Calendar Year 2023:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 1.1% decrease in IP per 1,000 beneficiaries ○ 1.6% decrease in ED per 1,000 beneficiaries ○ 1.5% decrease in PQI-Like Events per 1,000 beneficiaries ○ 2% increase in per beneficiary per month (PBPM) cost <p>*Data sourced from Medicare Claims and Claims Line Feed (CCLF)</p>
<p>Quality (page 4)</p> <p><i>As of December 2023</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● CMS165 (Controlling High Blood Pressure) - 80.4% of practices scored in the 50th percentile and higher ● CMS122 (Diabetes: Hemoglobin A1c (HbA1c) Poor Control (> 9%)) - 89.7% of practices scored in the 50th percentile and higher <p>*Data sourced from practice-reported eCQM measure data</p>
<p>Care Management Metrics (page 5)</p> <p><i>As of September 2024</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 15.1% - beneficiaries under longitudinal care management (above the CMMI goal of 5%)² ● 86.3% - beneficiaries received follow-up after hospital admissions within two business days (above the state’s population health goal of 73.42%)³ ● 86.2% - beneficiaries received follow-up after emergency department visits within one week (above the state’s population health goal of 73.42%)³ <p>*Data sourced from Care Transformation Requirement (CTR) Reporting</p>

² For more information on the CMMI goal, please refer to the MDPCP Request for Applications <https://www.cms.gov/priorities/innovation/media/document/mdpcp-track3-rfa>

³ For more information on the state’s population health goals please visit <https://hscrc.maryland.gov/Pages/Statewide-Integrated-Health-Improvement-Strategy-.aspx>

Maryland Primary Care Program (MDPCP) Dashboard - Overview

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Inpatient Utilization per 1,000
Year over Year Percent Change

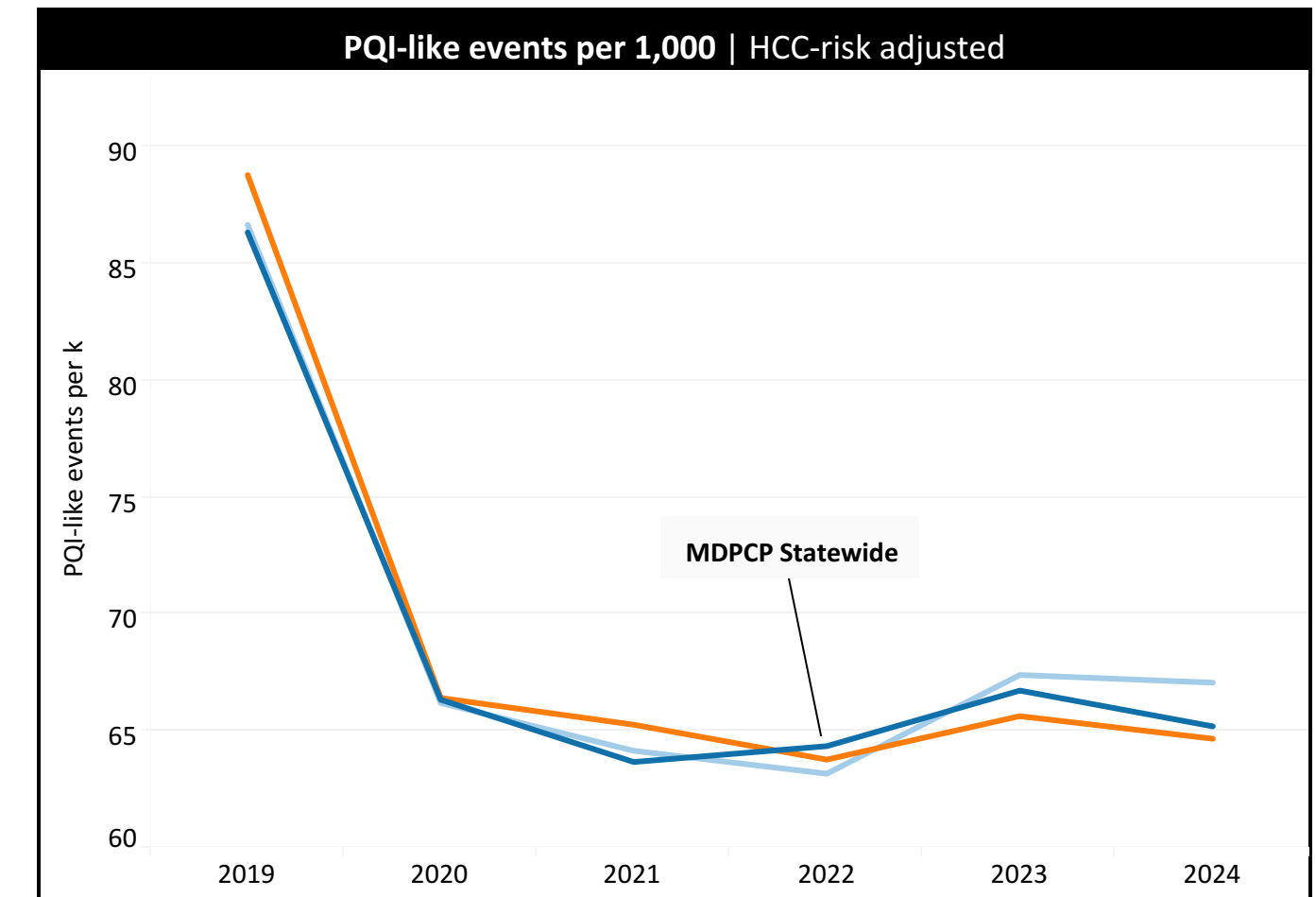
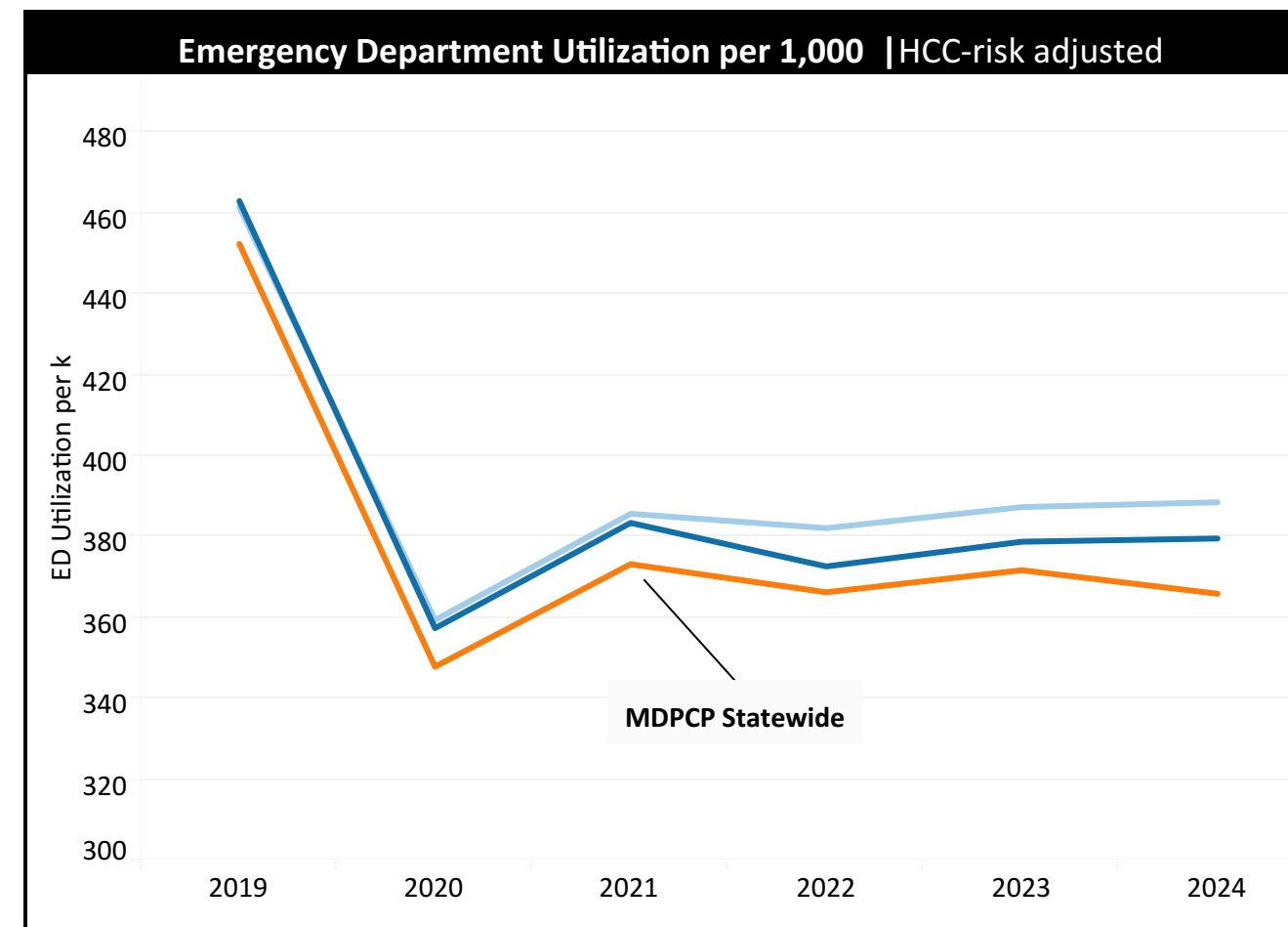
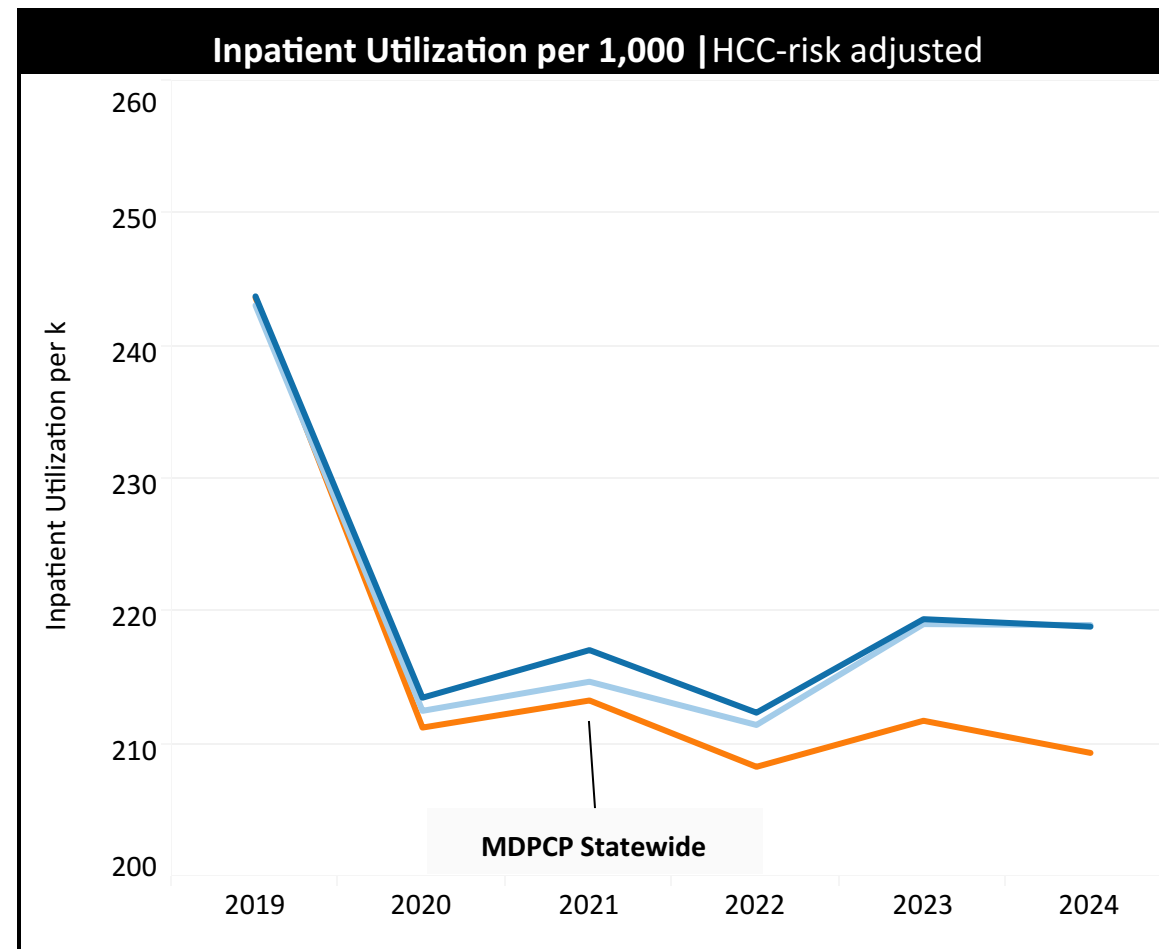
209.4
▼ -1.1%

ED Utilization per 1,000
Year over Year Percent Change

366.0
▼ -1.6%

PQI-like Events per 1,000
Year over Year Percent Change

64.67
▼ -1.5%



Year	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Overall Percent Change (2019 vs 2024)
Statewide Non-Participating Population	243.09	212.52	214.72	211.46	219.06	218.99	-9.91%
Equivalent Non-Participating Population	243.77	213.52	217.10	212.39	219.43	218.87	-10.21%
MDPCP Statewide	243.68	211.26	213.31	208.31	211.78	209.35	-14.09%

Year	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Overall Percent Change (2019 vs 2024)
Statewide Non-Participating Population	461.57	359.45	385.74	382.19	387.40	388.58	-15.81%
Equivalent Non-Participating Population	463.05	357.45	383.48	372.72	378.83	379.62	-18.02%
MDPCP Statewide	452.45	347.92	373.27	366.33	371.78	365.97	-19.11%

Year	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Overall Percent Change (2019 vs 2024)
Statewide Non-Participating Population	86.68	66.20	64.16	63.17	67.40	67.07	-22.62%
Equivalent Non-Participating Population	86.35	66.34	63.68	64.35	66.73	65.20	-24.50%
MDPCP Statewide	88.81	66.42	65.27	63.78	65.64	64.67	-27.18%

Population
■ Equivalent Non-Participating Population
■ Statewide Non-Participating Population
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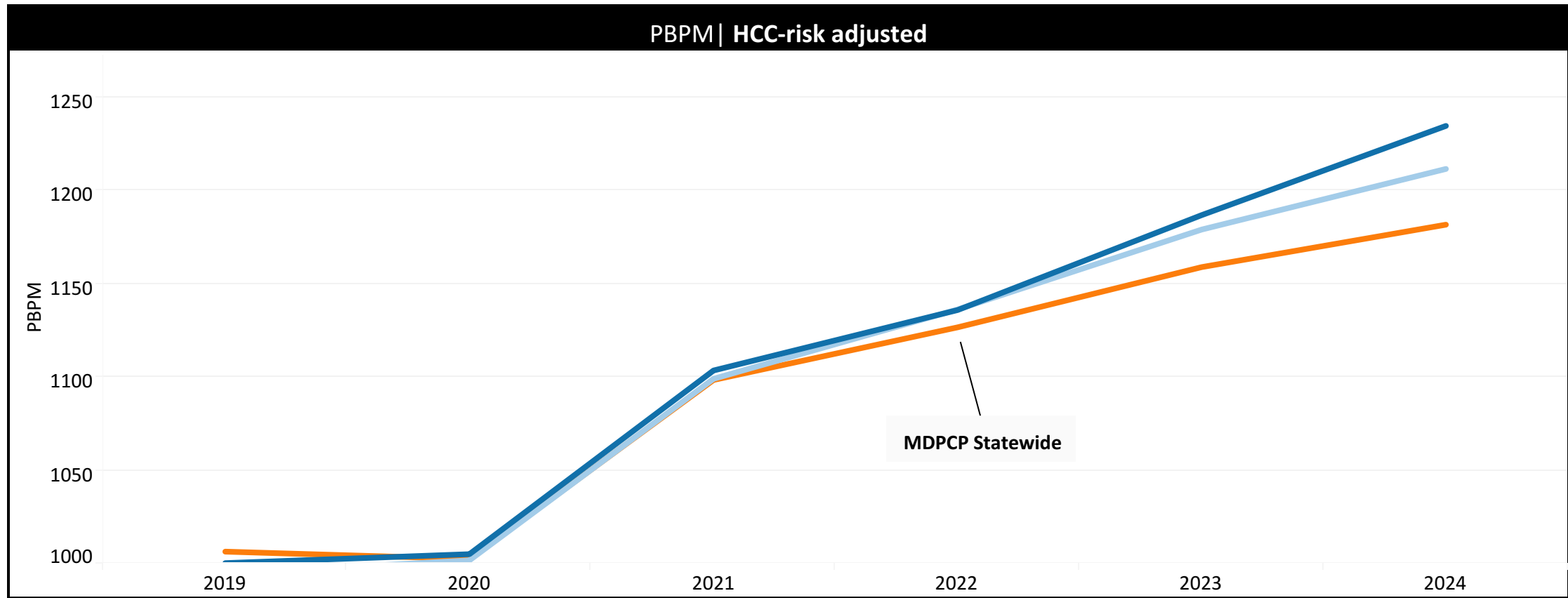
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State - MDPCP: Represents all Medicare FFS beneficiaries attributed to MDPCP participating practices.

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	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	Overall Percent Change (2019 vs 2024)
Statewide Non-Participating Population	\$994.58	\$1,001.75	\$1,098.98	\$1,136.11	\$1,178.94	\$1,211.39	21.80%
Equivalent Non-Participating Population	\$1,000.26	\$1,005.05	\$1,103.44	\$1,135.82	\$1,186.68	\$1,234.44	23.41%
MDPCP Statewide	\$1,006.41	\$1,002.51	\$1,098.36	\$1,126.56	\$1,158.82	\$1,181.53	17.40%

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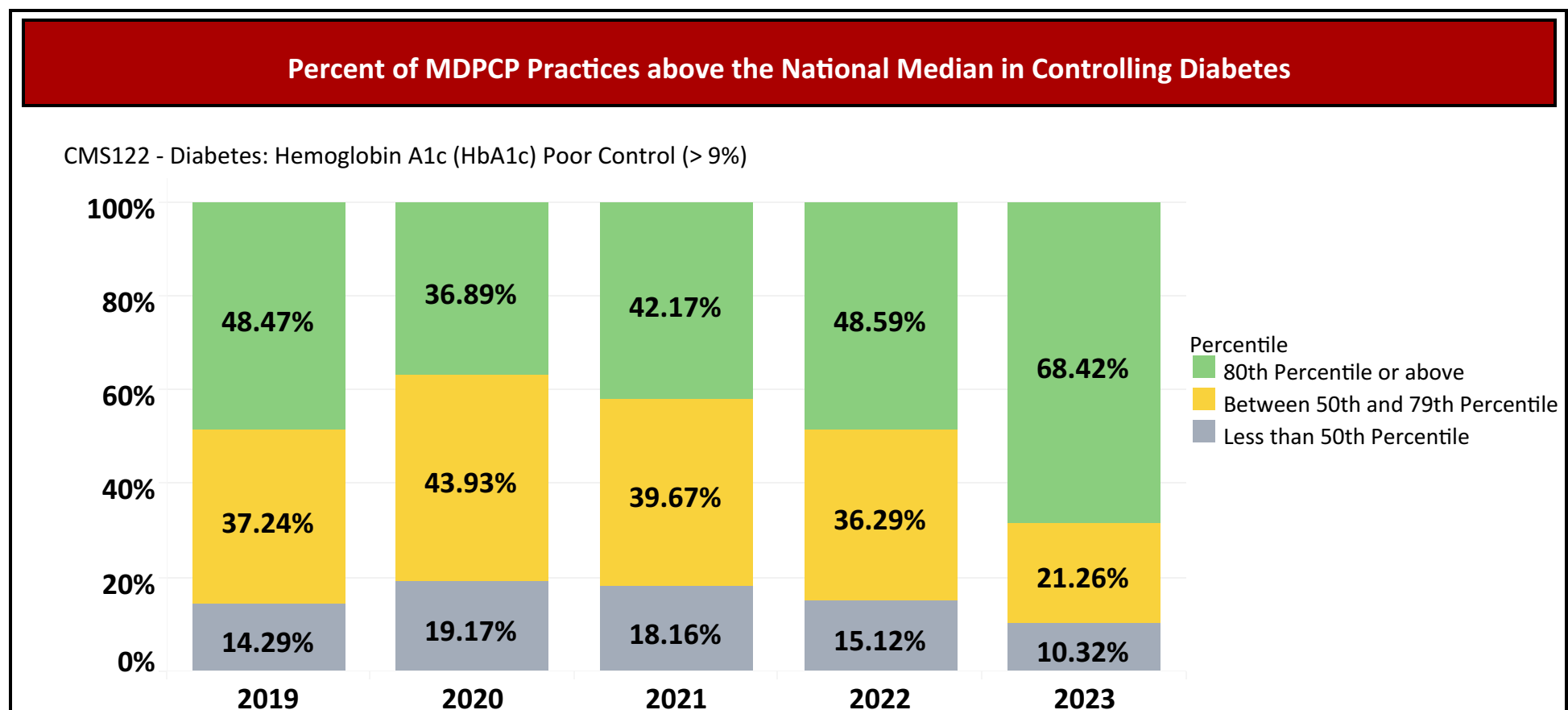
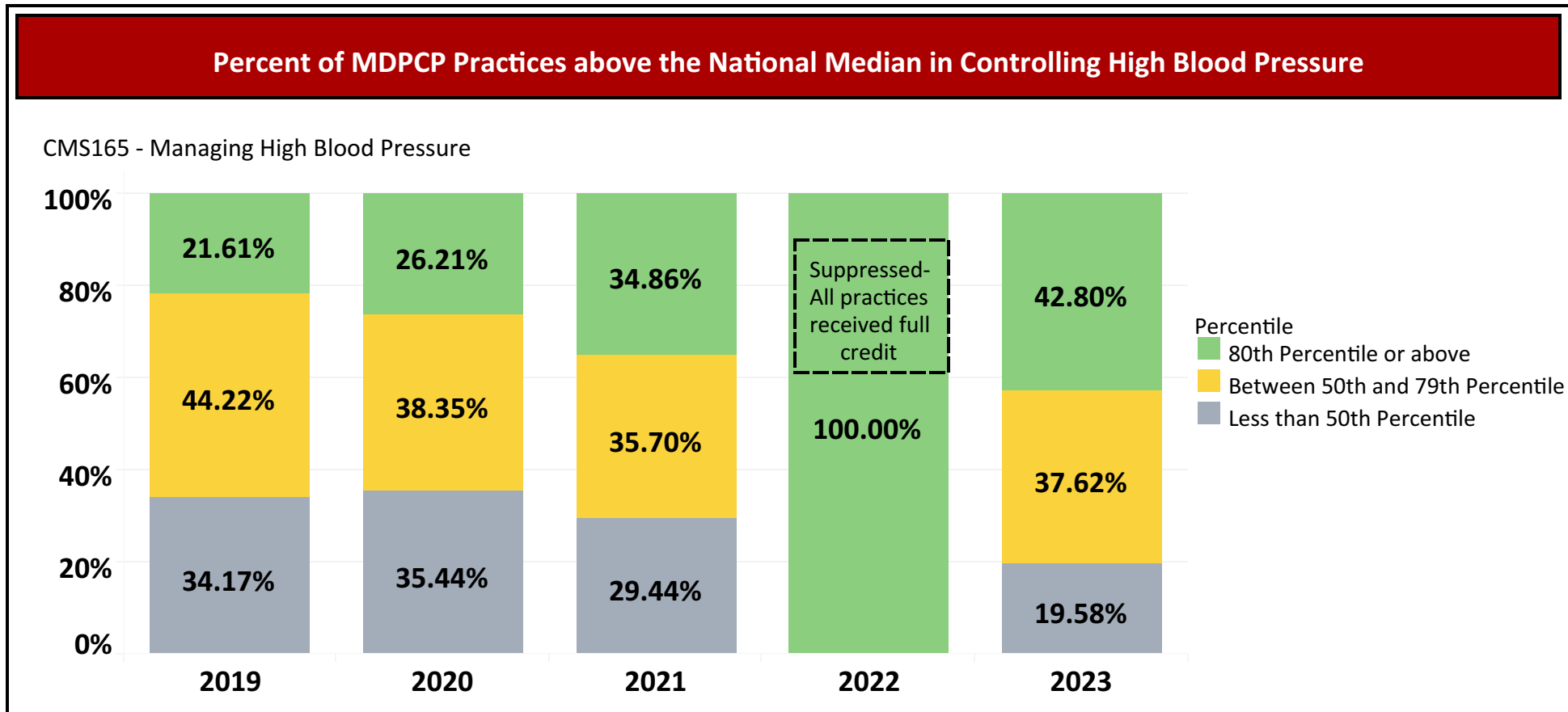
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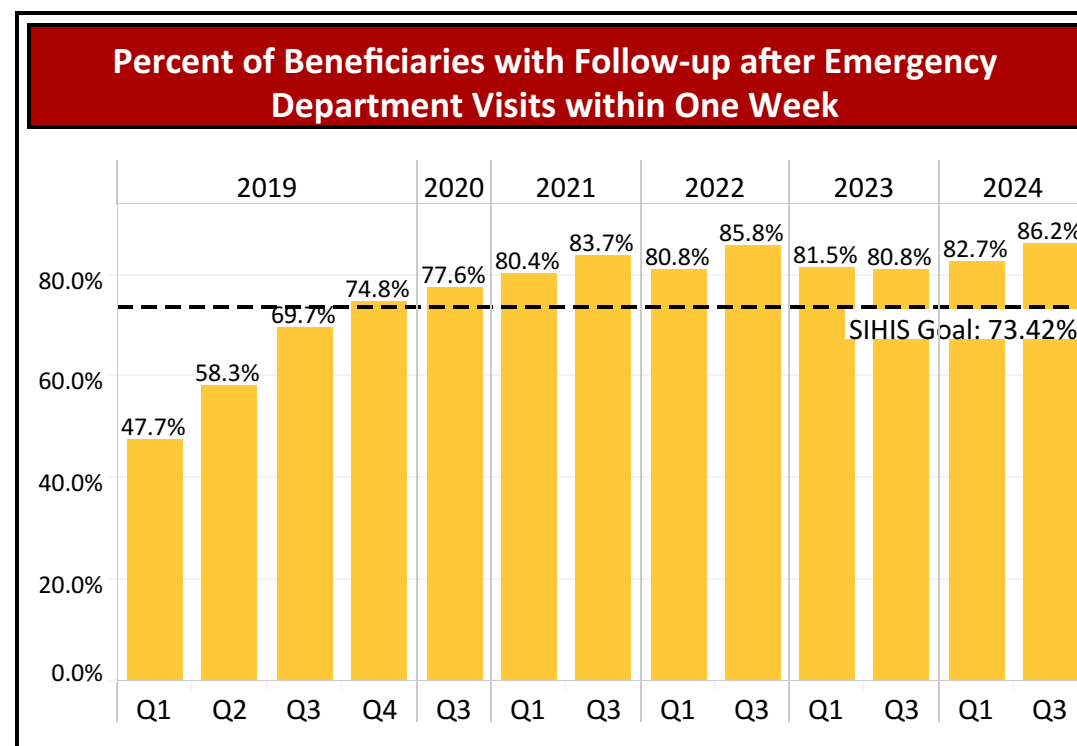
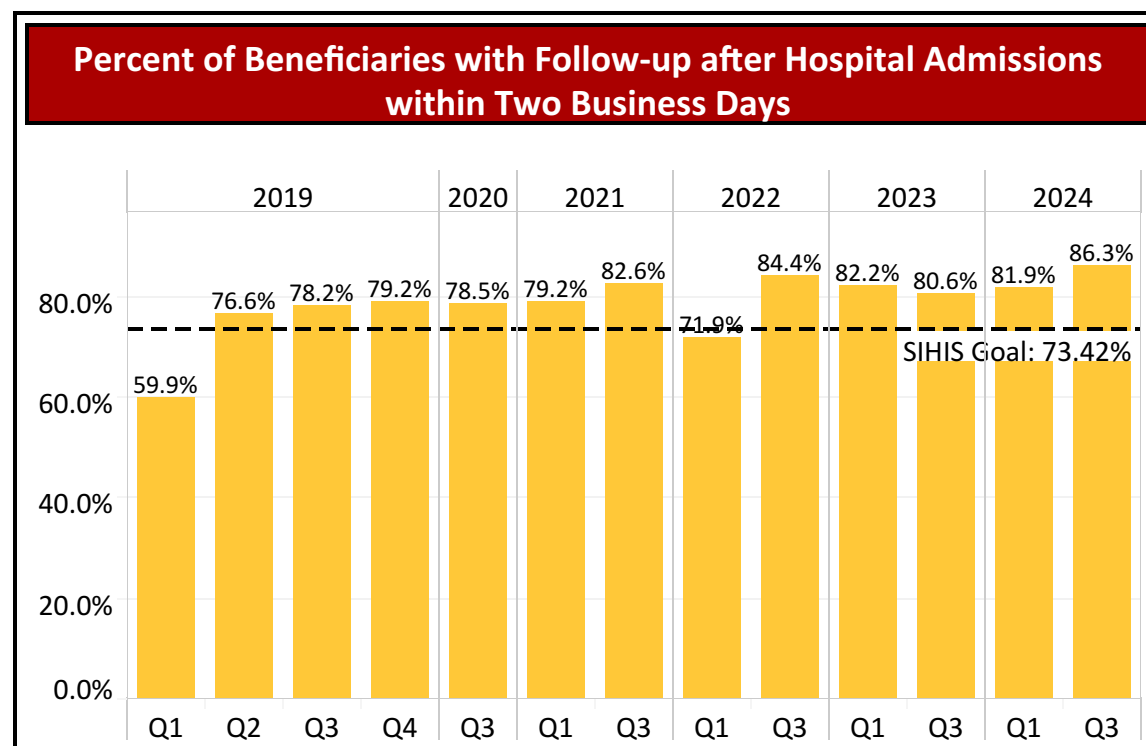
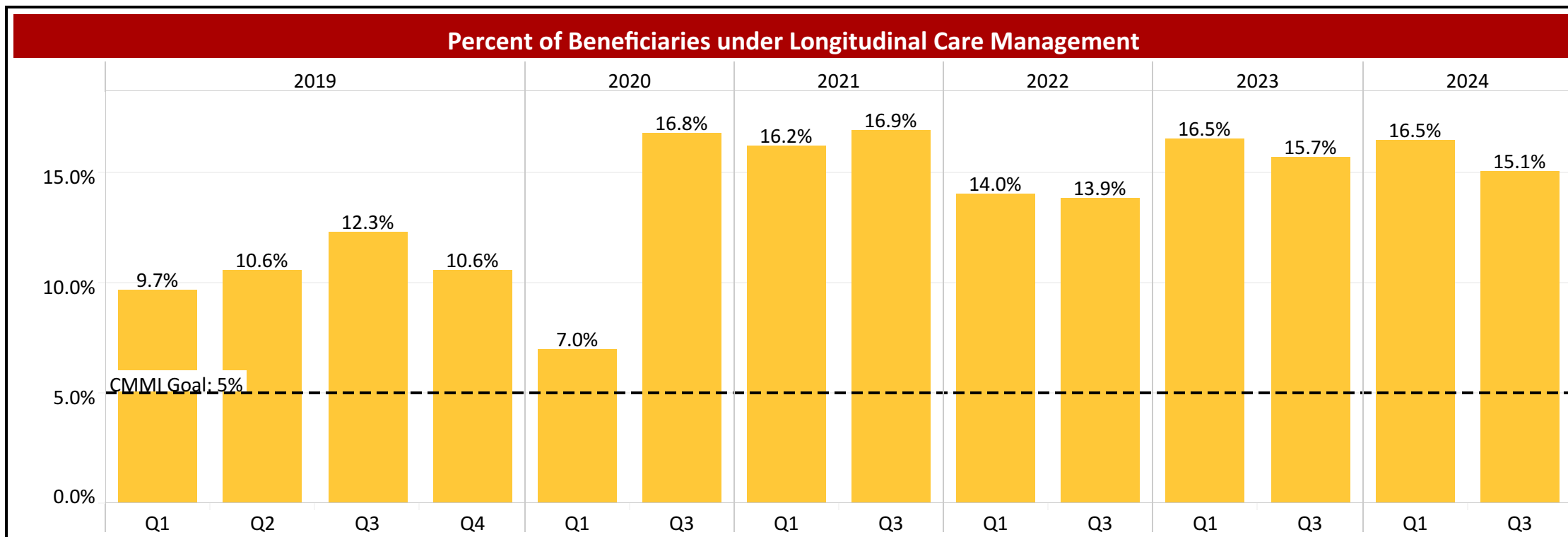
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