


**Maryland Medicaid Dental
Program CY 2012 – CY 2016**

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Overview and Highlights

Maryland Medicaid's Dental Program is called Maryland Healthy Smiles (MHSDP).

MHSDP serves pregnant women and children enrolled in Medicaid, as well as adults in the Rare and Expensive Case Management Program (REM). Former foster care children continue to receive dental services until they become 25 (effective January 2017).

In Dec 2013, Medicaid implemented its Dental Home Pilot statewide.

All participants are assigned a Dental Home upon enrollment in MHSDP.

All 9 MCOs voluntarily cover limited adult dental services to their members as a part of their benefit package using their own profits . Typically, an oral exam and cleanings 2x/year; x-rays and extractions; and fillings.



Overview and Highlights

Rates of dental visits increased across all age groups of children ages 0 to 20 who enrolled in Medicaid between CY 2012 and CY 2016.

Less than 1% of children ages 0 to 20 had an Emergency Department (ED) visit.

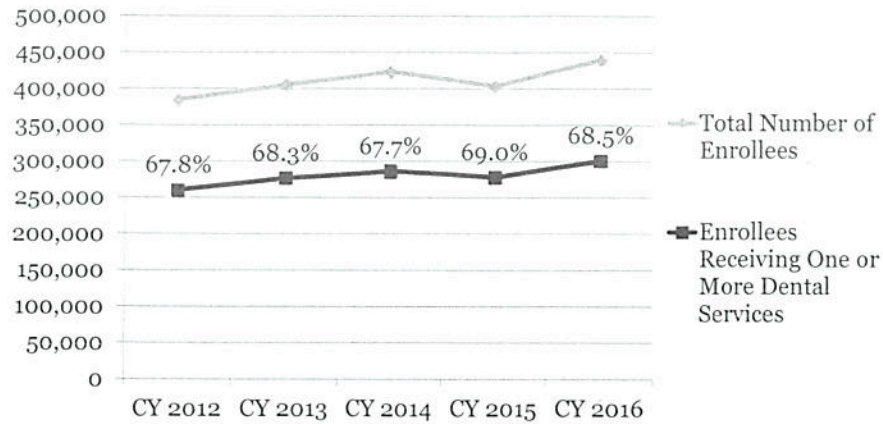
The number of pregnant women 14 and older who had at least one dental visit increased from CY 2012 to CY 2016.

The number of non-pregnant adults who received dental services increased by over 20,000 from CY 2012 to CY 2016.



Children

Number of Children Aged 4-20 Years Enrolled in Medicaid for at least 320 Days Receiving Dental Services, CY 2012–CY 2016



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Children

Percentage of Children Aged 0–20 Years Enrolled in Medicaid for Any Period who Had at Least One Dental Visit by Age Group, CY 2012 – CY 2016

Age Group	CY 2012	CY 2013	CY 2014	CY 2015	CY 2016
0–3	27.9%	29.8%	29.8%	28.9%	30.0%
4–5	64.8%	65.8%	65.2%	64.7%	66.3%
6–9	67.8%	68.9%	68.0%	68.0%	69.1%
10–14	62.9%	63.4%	62.1%	62.8%	64.7%
15–18	52.4%	53.2%	51.3%	51.6%	54.3%
19–20	35.1%	35.8%	34.3%	34.0%	36.7%
All	52.3%	53.7%	52.9%	52.8%	54.5%



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Children

Number and Percentage of Children Aged 4-20 Years Enrolled in Medicaid for 320 Days who had Dental Services in CY 2016, by Region

Region	Number of Enrollees	Number with at least One Visit	Percentage with Dental Visits
Baltimore City	74,314	48,025	64.6%
Baltimore Suburban	125,986	83,986	66.7%
Eastern Shore	41,911	28,658	68.4%
Southern Maryland	20,948	12,523	59.8%
Washington Suburban	141,188	103,908	73.6%
Western Maryland	35,429	24,103	68.0%
Out of State	324	164	50.6%
Total	44,100	301,367	68.5%



Children

Percentage of Children Aged 4-20 Years Enrolled in Medicaid for at least 320 Days Receiving Dental Services, by Type of Service, CY 2012 - CY 2016

Year	Diagnostic	Preventive	Restorative
CY 2012	66.00%	62.50%	24.30%
CY 2013	66.80%	63.20%	24.40%
CY 2014	66.20%	62.60%	23.20%
CY 2015	67.60%	64.00%	24.00%
CY 2016	67.00%	63.40%	23.20%



Children

Percentage of Children Aged 0–20 Years Enrolled in Medicaid for Any Period who Received a Preventive/Diagnostic Visit Followed by a Restorative Visit, CY 2012 - CY 2016

Year	Total Number of Enrollees	Number with Preventive/Diagnostic Visit	Percent with Preventive/Diagnostic Visit	Number with Preventive/Diagnostic Visit Followed by a Restorative Visit	Percent with Preventive/Diagnostic Visit Followed by a Restorative Visit
CY 2012	645,562	331,496	51.3%	102,028	30.8%
CY 2013	661,872	349,864	52.9%	106,862	30.5%
CY 2014	706,378	367,908	52.1%	107,595	29.2%
CY 2015	709,669	369,645	52.1%	109,614	29.7%
CY 2016	702,105	377,058	53.7%	109,048	28.9%



Children

Number of ED Visits with a Dental Diagnosis or Procedure by Children Aged 0 – 20 Years Enrolled in Medicaid for any Period, CY 2012 – CY 2016

Year	Total Number of Enrollees	Number of Enrollees who had an ED Visit with a Dental Diagnosis or Procedure	Percentage of Enrollees who had an ED Visit with a Dental Diagnosis or Procedure	Number of ED Visits with a Dental Diagnosis or Procedure
CY 2012	645,562	2,899	0.4%	5,699
CY 2013	661,872	2,815	0.4%	5,464
CY 2014	706,378	2,806	0.4%	5,337
CY 2015	709,669	2,642	0.4%	5,547
CY 2016	702,105	2,741	0.4%	5,090



ED Utilization—All Ages

Number and Percentage of Medicaid Participants Aged 0 - 64 years with at least One Emergency Department (ED) Visit with a Dental Diagnosis or Dental Procedure Code, CY 2012 - CY 2016

Year	Total Participants	Number of Participants with ED Visit with Dental Diagnosis or Procedure	Percentage with ED Visit with Dental Diagnosis or Procedure	Total Number of Visits with Dental Diagnosis or Procedure
CY 2012	1,001,081	14,757	1.5%	38,421
CY 2013	1,031,029	15,093	1.5%	39,358
CY 2014	1,378,963	22,293	1.6%	57,679
CY 2015	1,437,496	21,227	1.5%	52,661
CY 2016	1,401,793	20,916	1.5%	51,168

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ED Utilization—All Ages

Number and Percentage of Medicaid Participants Aged 0 - 64 years with at least One Emergency Department (ED) Visit with a Dental Diagnosis or Dental Procedure Code, CY 2016

Age Group	Total Participants	Number of Participants with ED Visit with Dental Diagnosis or Procedure	Percentage with ED Visit with Dental Diagnosis or Procedure	Total Number of Visits with Dental Diagnosis or Procedure
0 - 3	156,936	891	0.6%	1,559
4 - 5	73,610	261	0.3%	475
6 - 9	150,612	457	0.3%	842
10 - 14	160,418	281	0.2%	514
15 - 18	112,581	416	0.5%	779
19 - 20	47,948	435	1.5%	921
21 - 39	371,936	12,368	4.1%	32,309
40 - 64	327,752	5,807	2.3%	13,769
Total	1,401,793	20,916	1.5%	51,168

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Pregnant Women

Number and Percentage of Pregnant Women Aged 14+ Years Enrolled in Medicaid for Any Period who had Dental Visits, CY 2012 – CY 2016

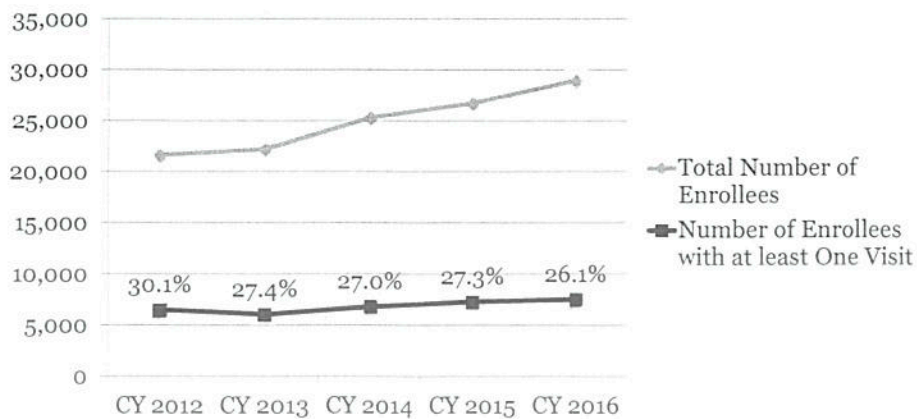
Year	Total Number of Enrollees	Number of Enrollees with at least One Visit	Percent with Dental Visits
CY 2012	27,092	8,330	30.7%
CY 2013	27,158	7,639	28.1%
CY 2014	30,743	8,228	26.8%
CY 2015	32,015	8,732	27.3%
CY 2016	34,275	8,883	25.9%

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Pregnant Women

Number and Percentage of Pregnant Women Aged 21+ Years with at least 90 Days in Medicaid who had Dental Services, CY 2012 - CY 2016



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Adults

Percentage of Non-Pregnant Adults 21-64 Receiving Dental Services, Enrolled in HealthChoice for at Least 90 Days

	Total Number of Enrollees	Enrollees Receiving One or More Dental Service	Percentage Receiving Services
CY 2012	236,205	51,619	21.9%
CY 2013	248,524	33,093	13.3%
CY 2014	486,025	65,671	13.5%
CY 2015	533,689	72,556	13.6%
CY 2016	521,954	72,318	13.9%



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Dental Providers and Access

Number of Dentists Participating in Medicaid who Billed One or More Services, By Region

Region	CY 2012	CY 2013	CY 2014	CY 2015	CY 2016
Baltimore Metro	465	471	490	536	538
Washington D.C. Suburbs	451	462	525	564	567
Southern Maryland	52	48	55	54	60
Western Maryland	126	124	117	128	122
Eastern Shore	72	84	84	89	86
Other	125	161	179	182	167
TOTAL	1,291	1,350	1,450	1,464	1,540
Unduplicated Total	1,220	1,258	1,361	1,470	1,467



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Dental Providers and Access

Number of Dentists Participating in Medicaid who Billed \$10,000 or More for Services, By Region

Region	CY 2012	CY 2013	CY 2014	CY 2015	CY 2016
Baltimore Metro	367	354	392	422	434
Washington D.C. Suburbs	319	343	417	434	450
Southern Maryland	40	39	45	44	44
Western Maryland	103	94	96	101	98
Eastern Shore	60	70	71	73	73
Other	51	57	70	136	63
TOTAL	940	957	1,091	1,137	1,089
Unduplicated Total	908	938	1,047	1,082	1,115



Looking Forward

In January 2016, Scion Dental replaced DentaQuest as the State's single dental ASO, responsible for all dental services for children, pregnant women, and REM program adults.

Scion is engaged in a comprehensive provider outreach program to encourage non-participating dentists to participate with Medicaid.

In January 2017, Maryland Medicaid began reimbursing dental services for former foster care children up to age 26 under HB 511/ SB 252

