

Pediatrician Participation in Medicaid/SCHIP

Survey of Fellows of the American Academy of Pediatrics, 2000



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This report includes Private Office-based Primary Care
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PEDIATRICIAN PARTICIPATION IN MEDICAID / SCHIP - Ohio

Survey of AAP Members, 2000 ¹

	<u>Ohio</u>	<u>East North Central</u> (Region includes: IL, IN, MI, OH & WI)			<u>US</u>				
<u>Survey Sample</u>									
Number of Non-federal Pediatricians (1998) ²	2,245	8,016			54,988				
AAP Fellows Surveyed	340	1,601			13,050				
Survey Response Rate	63.5%	65.6%			66.8%				
Surveys Included in this Report ¹	75	425			3,773				
<u>Medicaid Enrollment and Expenditures, FY 1998</u> ³									
Total Medicaid Enrollees	1,402,364	5,689,616			40,377,603				
Percent Child Enrollees ⁴	56.8%	57.9%			56.1%				
Total Medicaid Payments	\$6,121 M	\$21,409 M			\$142,058 M				
Percent Payments to Children ⁴	19.6%	22.1%			23.3%				
Average Payments per Child Enrollee	\$1,506	\$1,408			\$1,449				
<u>Pediatrician Participation in Medicaid/SCHIP</u>									
Currently Participate in Medicaid / SCHIP	91.9% / NS		92.0% / 85.6%		87.8% / 86.4%				
Percent who accept ALL Medicaid/ SCHIP / Private Patients	<u>Medicaid</u>	<u>SCHIP</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>Medicaid</u>	<u>SCHIP</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>Medicaid</u>	<u>SCHIP</u>	<u>Private</u>
with Patient Caseload At Capacity	62.5%	NS	70.3%	51.2%	52.3%	66.2%	54.6%	60.2%	70.8%
with Patient Caseload Under Capacity	68.8%	NS	75.0%	48.6%	50.6%	58.7%	52.3%	59.0%	66.9%
with Patient Caseload Over Capacity	65.0%	NS	75.0%	56.9%	53.7%	80.0%	59.3%	65.5%	83.6%
	41.7%	NS	50.0%	46.5%	51.8%	57.1%	53.8%	56.2%	62.0%
<u>Medicaid Reimbursement and Participation</u>									
Medicaid Payments Cover Overhead ⁵	4.2%		7.0%		14.9%				
Medicaid payments Do Not Cover Overhead	62.5%		58.3%		51.5%				
Do not know whether Medicaid Payments Cover Overhead	33.3%		34.7%		33.7%				
Percent who will see more Medicaid patients with Increased Reimbursement	29.6%		34.2%		31.6%				
Percentage of Customary Fee for Well-child Visit Needed to:									
Accept More, or any, Medicaid patients	83.4%		81.7%		83.1%				
Accept All Medicaid patients	87.4%		87.1%		87.3%				

1 - Report based on a national total of 3773 returned survey. 2 - AMA Master File 1998. 3 - HCFA2082, FY 1998. Data for Oklahoma is based on fee-for-service payments per child recipient for 1997 and are not included in the regional and state totals. 4 - Under Age 21. 5 - Percent of pediatricians who indicate that Medicaid reimburses enough to cover their overhead for seeing Medicaid patients.

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<u>Reasons for Limiting Participation in Medicaid</u>			
<i>Percent Pediatricians who rated reason "Very Important"</i>			
Low Reimbursement	69.1%	60.7%	56.3%
Paperwork Concerns	41.2%	35.3%	39.4%
Unpredictable Payments	45.3%	42.7%	38.7%
Payment Delays	35.4%	38.3%	31.2%
Missed Appointments	40.3%	38.5%	34.1%
Increasing State Managed Care Requirements	27.3%	30.6%	30.5%
Medicaid Program Too Complex	24.2%	23.1%	28.1%
Emergency Room Use	33.8%	34.8%	30.0%
Medicaid Patients Less Compliant	31.3%	31.0%	30.5%
Regulations Interfere with Quality Medical Care	17.9%	20.9%	18.3%
<u>Managed Care Plans Requiring Medicaid Patients</u> ³			
Acceptance of Medicaid Patients Required	8.3%	7.7%	10.1%
Acceptance of Medicaid Patients Not Required	38.9%	43.4%	43.0%
<i>Do not know</i>	52.8%	48.9%	46.9%
<u>Medicaid Patients' Payment Systems</u>			
Managed Care, capitation	18.5%	27.7%	33.3%
Managed Care, reduced fee-for-service	52.2%	42.9%	42.7%
Non-managed Care System (i.e., traditional fee-for-service)	29.3%	25.8%	21.4%
Other	0.0%	3.6%	2.6%
<u>SCHIP Patients' Payment Systems</u>			
Managed Care, capitation	NS	13.6%	33.6%
Managed Care, reduced fee-for-service	NS	45.1%	47.2%
Non-managed Care System (i.e., traditional fee-for-service)	NS	37.4%	17.1%
Other	NS	3.9%	2.1%

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<u>Patient Source of Payment</u>			
Commercial Insurance	64.5%	67.9%	66.6%
Medicaid	28.4%	24.1%	24.0%
SCHIP (if separate from Medicaid)	NS	1.0%	2.6%
Medicare	0.0%	0.8%	0.4%
Uninsured	6.6%	6.2%	6.4%
<i>Percent of Services to Uninsured Patients that are Uncompensated:</i>	45.5%	38.3%	32.7%
<u>Patients' Payment Systems</u>			
Managed Care, capitation	25.0%	24.1%	29.2%
Managed Care, reduced fee-for-service	46.9%	38.4%	39.9%
Non-manged Care System (i.e., traditional fee-for-service)	27.1%	33.8%	27.4%
Other	1.0%	3.6%	3.5%
<u>Patient Caseload</u>			
At Capacity	50.7%	55.2%	59.2%
Under Capacity	31.5%	31.0%	26.5%
Over Capacity	17.8%	13.8%	14.3%
<i>Average Number of Patients in Practice</i>	4,842	3,972	4,396
<u>Work Load</u>			
At Capacity	57.5%	58.5%	60.3%
Under Capacity	23.3%	25.9%	22.9%
Over Capacity	19.2%	15.6%	16.8%
<u>Practice Location</u>			
Large Metropolitan (Population 1 Million or Above)	29.3%	32.6%	29.1%
Small Metropolitan (Population 50K to 1 Million)	40.0%	41.1%	41.9%
Nonmetropolitan (Population Between 2.5K to 50 K)	29.3%	24.9%	26.2%
Rural (Population 2.5 K or Under)	1.3%	1.4%	2.8%

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<u>Primary Setting</u>			
Self-Employed Solo Practice	11.0%	11.5%	13.0%
Two Physician Practice	4.1%	10.4%	8.6%
Pediatric Group Practice	45.2%	38.5%	48.4%
Multispecialty Group	24.7%	28.6%	17.4%
HMO (Staff Model)	0.0%	1.6%	4.3%
Medical School	1.4%	0.4%	0.6%
Non-government Hospital	5.5%	3.6%	2.8%
Government Hospital or Clinic	0.0%	no data	0.3%
Other Setting	8.2%	5.4%	4.5%
<u>Percent Time Spent in Professional Activity²</u>			
	<u>Percent</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>Percent</u>
			<u>N</u>
Direct Patient Care	88.6%	73	91.1%
Self-employed	92.7%	35	91.0%
Other than Self-employed	78.7%	41	81.2%
Administration	12.7%	38	11.6%
Academic Medicine	12.0%	20	9.9%
Research	21.7%	3	13.1%
Fellowship Training	1.0%	1	6.5%
Other Activity	7.6%	7	12.5%
			26
			11.5%
			209
<u>Percent Time Spent in (Sub)Specialty²</u>			
General Pediatrics	100.0%	75	100.0%
Other Specialty / Subspecialty Area		0	no data
			0
			100.0%
			3,771
<u>Gender</u>			
Male	40.0%		46.1%
Female	60.0%		53.9%
			48.5%
<u>Age</u>			
Under 45	48.6%		53.5%
45 or Above	51.4%		46.5%
Mean Age	45.6		44.3
			44.8

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2 - Percent time spent in professional activity during a typical workweek. Only non-zero entries are included in the average percents. Therefore the data reflect only those who reported any activities in the specified category. Number of unweighted cases contributing to the average are italicized.

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