

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
Pediatricians in Direct Patient Care

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*Survey of AAP Members, 2000*¹

	<u>North Dakota</u>	<u>West North Central</u> (Region includes: IA, KS, MN, MO, ND, NE & SD)	<u>US</u>
<u>Survey Sample</u>			
Number of Non-federal Pediatricians (1998) ²	66	2,844	54,988
AAP Fellows Surveyed	62	1,499	13,050
Survey Response Rate	79.0%	67.3%	66.8%
Surveys Included in this Report ¹	43	653	5,487
<u>Medicaid Enrollment and Expenditures, FY 1998</u> ³			
Total Medicaid Enrollees	62,115	2,253,058	40,377,603
Percent Child Enrollees ⁴	52.6%	59.3%	56.1%
Total Medicaid Payments	\$341 M	\$9,149 M	\$142,058 M
Percent Payments to Children ⁴	17.5%	23.0%	23.3%
Average Payments per Child Enrollee	\$1,817	\$1,574	\$1,449
<u>Pediatrician Participation in Medicaid/SCHIP</u>			
Currently Participate in Medicaid / SCHIP	100.0% / NS	93.5% / 90.2%	89.5% / 87.1%
Percent who accept ALL Medicaid/ SCHIP / Private Patients	<u>Medicaid</u> 95.3% <u>SCHIP</u> NS <u>Private</u> 93.0%	<u>Medicaid</u> 73.4% <u>SCHIP</u> 70.7% <u>Private</u> 81.2%	<u>Medicaid</u> 61.2% <u>SCHIP</u> 63.7% <u>Private</u> 74.3%
with Patient Caseload At Capacity	95.2% NS 100.0%	69.4% 63.0% 78.2%	58.4% 62.0% 70.4%
with Patient Caseload Under Capacity	100.0% NS 100.0%	77.4% 83.1% 90.6%	64.8% 67.7% 85.7%
with Patient Caseload Over Capacity	88.9% NS 66.7%	79.8% 71.6% 77.1%	64.0% 64.5% 69.5%
<u>Medicaid Reimbursement and Participation</u>			
Medicaid Payments Cover Overhead ⁵	9.3%	9.7%	13.2%
Medicaid payments Do Not Cover Overhead	48.8%	56.3%	54.4%
<i>Do not know whether Medicaid Payments Cover Overhead</i>	41.9%	33.9%	32.4%
Percent who will see more Medicaid patients with Increased Reimbursement	14.0%	24.4%	31.0%
Percentage of Customary Fee for Well-child Visit Needed to:			
Accept More, or any, Medicaid patients	80.6%	84.0%	82.0%
Accept All Medicaid patients	90.6%	89.1%	86.5%

1 - Report based on a national total of 5487 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>North Dakota</u>	<u>West North Central</u> <small>(Region includes: IA, KS, MN, MO, ND, NE & SD)</small>	<u>US</u>
<u>Reasons for Limiting Participation in Medicaid</u>			
<i>Percent Pediatricians who rated reason "Very Important"</i>			
Low Reimbursement	50.0%	57.5%	58.4%
Paperwork Concerns	30.0%	37.4%	40.6%
Unpredictable Payments	27.5%	38.5%	39.5%
Payment Delays	12.8%	29.3%	33.3%
Missed Appointments	27.5%	34.9%	33.8%
Increasing State Managed Care Requirements	12.5%	28.9%	31.1%
Medicaid Program Too Complex	15.0%	26.2%	28.6%
Emergency Room Use	39.0%	28.3%	28.4%
Medicaid Patients Less Compliant	25.0%	28.8%	29.5%
Regulations Interfere with Quality Medical Care	15.0%	17.7%	19.9%
<u>Managed Care Plans Requiring Medicaid Patients</u>³			
Acceptance of Medicaid Patients Required	7.1%	6.9%	9.6%
Acceptance of Medicaid Patients Not Required	42.9%	34.6%	39.1%
<i>Do not know</i>	50.0%	58.4%	51.3%
<u>Medicaid Patients' Payment Systems</u>			
Managed Care, capitation	11.0%	27.1%	31.1%
Managed Care, reduced fee-for-service	37.7%	46.2%	43.6%
Non-managed Care System (i.e., traditional fee-for-service)	51.3%	22.3%	22.0%
Other	0.0%	4.4%	3.3%
<u>SCHIP Patients' Payment Systems</u>			
Managed Care, capitation	NS	13.3%	31.7%
Managed Care, reduced fee-for-service	NS	64.7%	48.7%
Non-managed Care System (i.e., traditional fee-for-service)	NS	20.5%	16.7%
Other	NS	1.5%	2.9%

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<u>Patient Source of Payment</u>			
Commercial Insurance	66.7%	66.8%	63.1%
Medicaid	24.5%	24.4%	26.1%
SCHIP (if separate from Medicaid)	NS	1.0%	2.4%
Medicare	1.0%	1.9%	1.4%
Uninsured	7.1%	5.9%	7.0%
<i>Percent of Services to Uninsured Patients that are Uncompensated:</i>	32.8%	43.1%	38.2%
<u>Patients' Payment Systems</u>			
Managed Care, capitation	8.6%	24.8%	27.6%
Managed Care, reduced fee-for-service	44.5%	42.7%	40.2%
Non-manged Care System (i.e., traditional fee-for-service)	45.5%	28.3%	27.8%
Other	1.4%	4.2%	4.4%
<u>Patient Caseload</u>			
At Capacity	50.0%	57.5%	57.5%
Under Capacity	28.6%	25.7%	25.7%
Over Capacity	21.4%	16.8%	16.8%
<i>Average Number of Patients in Practice</i>	3,965	3,505	4,048
<u>Work Load</u>			
At Capacity	53.5%	58.2%	58.6%
Under Capacity	20.9%	22.9%	21.8%
Over Capacity	25.6%	18.9%	19.6%
<u>Practice Location</u>			
Large Metropolitan (Population 1 Million or Above)	0.0%	38.4%	33.3%
Small Metropolitan (Population 50K to 1 Million)	62.8%	40.9%	41.5%
Nonmetropolitan (Population Between 2.5K to 50 K)	34.9%	18.7%	22.7%
Rural (Population 2.5 K or Under)	2.3%	2.0%	2.5%

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<u>Primary Setting</u>			
Self-Employed Solo Practice	2.3%	4.9%	13.6%
Two Physician Practice	4.7%	4.7%	8.5%
Pediatric Group Practice	9.3%	34.7%	39.5%
Multispecialty Group	81.4%	33.3%	17.8%
HMO (Staff Model)	0.0%	3.5%	4.4%
Medical School	0.0%	2.1%	1.3%
Non-government Hospital	2.3%	9.4%	7.6%
Government Hospital or Clinic	0.0%	0.6%	0.7%
Other Setting	0.0%	6.9%	6.6%
<u>Percent Time Spent in Professional Activity</u>²			
	<u>Percent</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>Percent</u>
	<u>N</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>N</u>
Direct Patient Care	90.3%	43	88.6%
			633
Self-employed	96.7%	9	88.5%
			296
Other than Self-employed	88.6%	34	81.7%
			366
Administration	11.7%	18	11.4%
			327
Academic Medicine	10.4%	17	10.7%
			187
Research	4.0%	5	10.8%
			69
Fellowship Training	1.0%	1	8.7%
			21
Other Activity	3.0%	2	14.8%
			41
<u>Percent Time Spent in (Sub)Specialty</u>²			
General Pediatrics	85.3%	40	89.8%
			541
Other Specialty / Subspecialty Area	44.4%	20	69.5%
			232
<u>Gender</u>			
Male	62.8%		59.8%
			55.3%
Female	37.2%		40.2%
			44.7%
<u>Age</u>			
Under 45	32.6%		50.6%
			49.5%
45 or Above	67.4%		49.4%
			50.5%
Mean Age	47.5		44.9
			45.5

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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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