

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
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*Survey of AAP Members, 2000*¹

	<u>Wyoming</u>	<u>Mountain</u> (Region includes: AZ, CO, ID, MT, NM, NV, UT & WY)	<u>US</u>
<u>Survey Sample</u>			
Number of Non-federal Pediatricians (1998) ²	45	2,497	54,988
AAP Fellows Surveyed	44	1,438	13,050
Survey Response Rate	81.8%	71.9%	66.8%
Surveys Included in this Report ¹	29	668	5,487
<u>Medicaid Enrollment and Expenditures, FY 1998</u> ³			
Total Medicaid Enrollees	51,367	1,926,532	40,377,603
Percent Child Enrollees ⁴	61.7%	62.9%	56.1%
Total Medicaid Payments	\$192 M	\$6,004 M	\$142,058 M
Percent Payments to Children ⁴	24.9%	34.2%	23.3%
Average Payments per Child Enrollee	\$1,502	\$1,663	\$1,449
<u>Pediatrician Participation in Medicaid/SCHIP</u>			
Currently Participate in Medicaid / SCHIP	100.0% / NS	94.4% / 85.7%	89.5% / 87.1%
Percent who accept ALL Medicaid/ SCHIP / Private Patients	<u>Medicaid</u> 88.9% <u>SCHIP</u> NS <u>Private</u> 85.2%	<u>Medicaid</u> 60.4% <u>SCHIP</u> 64.6% <u>Private</u> 68.6%	<u>Medicaid</u> 61.2% <u>SCHIP</u> 63.7% <u>Private</u> 74.3%
with Patient Caseload At Capacity	84.6% ~ NS 69.2% ~	57.7% 63.6% 65.7%	58.4% 62.0% 70.4%
with Patient Caseload Under Capacity	87.5% ~ NS 100.0%	64.0% 62.0% 80.9%	64.8% 67.7% 85.7%
with Patient Caseload Over Capacity	100.0% NS 100.0%	66.1% 68.3% 64.7%	64.0% 64.5% 69.5%
<u>Medicaid Reimbursement and Participation</u>			
Medicaid Payments Cover Overhead ⁵	17.2%	21.0%	13.2%
Medicaid payments Do Not Cover Overhead	79.3%	46.9%	54.4%
<i>Do not know whether Medicaid Payments Cover Overhead</i>	3.4%	32.1%	32.4%
Percent who will see more Medicaid patients with Increased Reimbursement	37.9%	33.6%	31.0%
Percentage of Customary Fee for Well-child Visit Needed to:			
Accept More, or any, Medicaid patients	85.6%	80.7%	82.0%
Accept All Medicaid patients	86.8%	84.7%	86.5%

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<u>Reasons for Limiting Participation in Medicaid</u>			
<i>Percent Pediatricians who rated reason "Very Important"</i>			
Low Reimbursement	85.7%	52.9%	58.4%
Paperwork Concerns	7.4%	32.6%	40.6%
Unpredictable Payments	35.7%	30.6%	39.5%
Payment Delays	21.4%	25.4%	33.3%
Missed Appointments	39.3%	29.0%	33.8%
Increasing State Managed Care Requirements	10.7%	22.9%	31.1%
Medicaid Program Too Complex	7.4%	19.9%	28.6%
Emergency Room Use	28.6%	23.2%	28.4%
Medicaid Patients Less Compliant	28.6%	22.8%	29.5%
Regulations Interfere with Quality Medical Care	11.1%	12.1%	19.9%
<u>Managed Care Plans Requiring Medicaid Patients</u>³			
Acceptance of Medicaid Patients Required	0.0%	6.2%	9.6%
Acceptance of Medicaid Patients Not Required	58.3%	47.3%	39.1%
<i>Do not know</i>	41.7%	46.6%	51.3%
<u>Medicaid Patients' Payment Systems</u>			
Managed Care, capitation	0.0%	29.4%	31.1%
Managed Care, reduced fee-for-service	42.9%	51.2%	43.6%
Non-managed Care System (i.e., traditional fee-for-service)	57.1%	16.5%	22.0%
Other	0.0%	3.0%	3.3%
<u>SCHIP Patients' Payment Systems</u>			
Managed Care, capitation	NS	27.0%	31.7%
Managed Care, reduced fee-for-service	NS	58.8%	48.7%
Non-managed Care System (i.e., traditional fee-for-service)	NS	13.2%	16.7%
Other	NS	0.9%	2.9%

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<u>Patient Source of Payment</u>			
Commercial Insurance	50.6%	62.7%	63.1%
Medicaid	36.1%	25.4%	26.1%
SCHIP (if separate from Medicaid)	NS	2.5%	2.4%
Medicare	0.3%	1.1%	1.4%
Uninsured	12.8%	8.3%	7.0%
<i>Percent of Services to Uninsured Patients that are Uncompensated:</i>	31.7%	34.0%	38.2%
<u>Patients' Payment Systems</u>			
Managed Care, capitation	3.7%	26.0%	27.6%
Managed Care, reduced fee-for-service	20.3%	45.2%	40.2%
Non-manged Care System (i.e., traditional fee-for-service)	67.5%	24.8%	27.8%
Other	8.5%	4.0%	4.4%
<u>Patient Caseload</u>			
At Capacity	48.3%	63.4%	57.5%
Under Capacity	27.6%	18.6%	25.7%
Over Capacity	24.1%	18.0%	16.8%
<i>Average Number of Patients in Practice</i>	4,355	3,637	4,048
<u>Work Load</u>			
At Capacity	51.7%	60.3%	58.6%
Under Capacity	24.1%	17.9%	21.8%
Over Capacity	24.1%	21.8%	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)	31.0%	41.5%	41.5%
Nonmetropolitan (Population Between 2.5K to 50 K)	69.0%	18.3%	22.7%
Rural (Population 2.5 K or Under)	0.0%	1.7%	2.5%

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<u>Primary Setting</u>			
Self-Employed Solo Practice	41.4%	11.8%	13.6%
Two Physician Practice	13.8%	7.8%	8.5%
Pediatric Group Practice	31.0%	42.3%	39.5%
Multispecialty Group	13.8%	17.5%	17.8%
HMO (Staff Model)	0.0%	7.6%	4.4%
Medical School	0.0%	1.6%	1.3%
Non-government Hospital	0.0%	4.1%	7.6%
Government Hospital or Clinic	0.0%	0.4%	0.7%
Other Setting	0.0%	6.8%	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	93.6%	28	89.9%
	650	87.7%	5,300
Self-employed	89.4%	25	90.8%
	380	87.4%	2,908
Other than Self-employed	97.0%	4	81.9%
	291	78.1%	2,657
Administration	13.0%	10	10.8%
	359	13.1%	2,829
Academic Medicine	4.5%	4	9.7%
	130	11.9%	1,321
Research	5.0%	2	11.2%
	43	11.6%	476
Fellowship Training	5.0%	1	6.0%
	20	12.2%	222
Other Activity	5.0%	2	14.1%
	52	11.8%	353
<u>Percent Time Spent in (Sub)Specialty</u>²			
General Pediatrics	98.5%	27	92.9%
	562	92.0%	4,658
Other Specialty / Subspecialty Area	35.0%	4	71.4%
	195	70.3%	1,661
<u>Gender</u>			
Male	62.1%		56.7%
			55.3%
Female	37.9%		43.3%
			44.7%
<u>Age</u>			
Under 45	35.7%		49.8%
			49.5%
45 or Above	64.3%		50.2%
			50.5%
Mean Age	47.1		45.1
			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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