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HISTORY OF OKLAHOMA MEDICAID (SOONERCARE)

Oklahoma Health Care Authority is the single state agency created through statute in 1993 to manage the Oklahoma Medicaid program, known as SoonerCare.

MEDICAID PROGRAM

- Covers 23% of the U.S. Population. Insured populations include eligible:
 - Children under 19
 - Children in foster care
 - Pregnant women
 - Aged, blind, or disabled adults and children
 - Women under 65 in need of breast or cervical cancer treatment
 - Other qualified groups



1,005,671

members enrolled through
SoonerCare and Insure Oklahoma.



1 in 4

Oklahomans were
covered by SoonerCare.

17.1%

of members were aged,
blind or disabled and
accounted for

47.4%

of all expenditures.

625,337

children ages 0-20 were
covered by SoonerCare.



3,682

businesses were enrolled
in Insure Oklahoma as of
June 2020, and

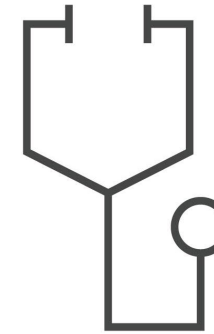
33,596

individuals were covered
during SFY 2020 through
the individual plan and
employer-sponsored plans.

69,175

providers administered
care to SoonerCare
members.

Note: Providers are counted
multiple times if they have
multiple locations.



57.4%

of births in Oklahoma were
covered by SoonerCare.

Note: The most recent data on total births
in Oklahoma is from the Oklahoma State
Department of Health as of Sept. 2020.



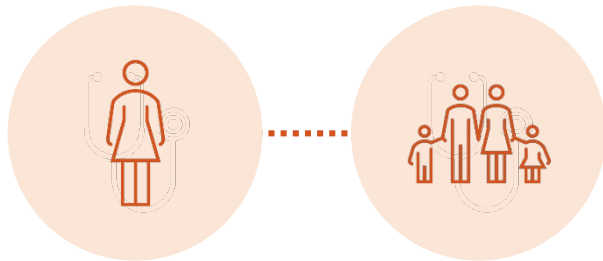
MEDICAID IN OKLAHOMA

CATEGORIES OF AID



Primarily, SoonerCare members are:

- Children
- Parent/caretakers
- Aged, blind or disabled
- Pregnant women



We also offer coverage to other qualified groups:

- Breast and cervical cancer patients
- SoonerPlan (family planning services)

WHERE WE ARE
GOING



STATE QUESTION 802

On June 30, 2020, the Oklahoma Medicaid Expansion Initiative, State Question 802, passed by a majority vote to expand Medicaid eligibility to adults ages 19-64 whose income is 138% of the federal poverty level or lower.

- This equates to an estimated annual income of \$16,970 for an individual or \$34,846 for a family of four.

SOONERCARE POPULATION

Current Coverage:

- Children
- Pregnant women
- Elderly adults
- Disabled adults

Expansion Coverage:

- Expansion will go into effect on July 1, 2021,
- Approximately 200,000 new adult members, ages 19-64
- Anticipated cost 10%, State portion \$196,000



MEDICAID EXPANSION

- Foreseen benefits to the State of Oklahoma
 - Improvement in health outcomes (United Health Foundation Rankings currently ranks Oklahoma as 43rd nationally)
 - Increase in previously uninsured seeking preventive services
 - Earlier detection of disease states
 - Cancer
 - Much less expensive to prevent cancer than to treat it
 - Although our state participates in the Breast and Cervical Cancer program, we are limited on who can perform screens and it is only for women with one of these malignant or pre-malignant conditions.
 - Diabetes
 - Cardiovascular Disease

PARTNERS WHO BENEFIT FROM EXPANSION

- Hospitals
- Medical Providers
- Oklahoma Tribal Partners
 - Can now receive reimbursement for services for this population (i.e. eliminates uncompensated care for this population)
- Overall – good for state's economy

OUR TRIBAL PARTNERS

- Recognized tribes in Oklahoma: 39
 - Part-Native American: 392,000
 - Solely Native American: 273,000



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