

DIFFERENCE IN TOTAL PRIVATE MASSACHUSETTS MEDICARE PLAN MEMBERSHIP BETWEEN 2012 AND 2013

Medicare Supplement, Medicare HMO,
and Medicare Advantage Plan Total Members

	2012	2013	Change 2012-2013
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	80,986	75,113	(5,873)
Individual	389,229	404,907	15,678
Total	470,215	480,020	9,805

Medicare Supplement Plans

	2012	2013	Change 2012-2013
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	14,615	5,863	(8,752)
Individual	214,711	225,715	11,004
1. Policies issued pre-1995	7,119	8,092	973
2. Policies issued post-1994	207,592	217,623	10,031
a. Medicare Supplement Core ¹	23,177	26,861	3,684
b. Medicare Supplement 1	178,211	185,337	7,126
c. Medicare Supplement 2 ²	6,204	5,425	(779)
Total	229,326	231,578	2,252

Medicare HMO and Medicare Advantage Plans

	2012	2013	Change 2012-2013
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	66,371	69,250	2,879
Individual	174,518	179,192	4,674
1. Medicare Advantage ³	174,325	179,034	4,709
2. Medicare Wraparound ⁴	193	158	(35)
Total	240,889	248,442	7,553

Medicare Stand-Alone Prescription Drug Plans ⁵

	2012	2013	Change 2012-2013
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	29,850	29,765	(85)
Individual	429,050	419,137	(9,913)
Total	458,900	448,902	(9,998)

Medicare Supplement, Medicare HMO, and Medicare Advantage
Plan Members with Unlimited Drug Coverage

	2012	2013	Change 2012-2013
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	61,544	56,738	(4,806)
Individual	80,349	101,717	21,368
Total	141,893	158,455	16,562

Medicare Supplement Plan
Members with Unlimited Drug Coverage

	2012	2013	Change 2012-2013
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	5,854	395	(5,459)
Individual	7,625	6,709	(916)
1. Policies issued pre-1995	422	358	(64)
2. Policies issued post-1994	7,203	6,351	(852)
a. Medicare Supplement Core ¹	999	926	(73)
b. Medicare Supplement 1	0	0	-
c. Medicare Supplement 2	6,204	5,425	(779)
Total	13,479	7,104	(6,375)

Medicare HMO and Medicare Advantage Plan
Members with Unlimited Drug Coverage

	2012	2013	Change 2012-2013
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	55,690	56,343	653
Individual	72,724	95,008	22,284
1. Medicare Advantage ²	72,531	94,850	22,319
2. Medicare Wraparound	193	158	(35)
Total	128,414	151,351	22,937

¹ Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Massachusetts, Inc. ("BCBSMA") began offering an alternate innovative benefits rider with its Medicare Supplement Core Policy in 2004.

The Medex Core Plus Rider offers prescription drug benefits with an unlimited generic drug coverage but with a \$150 limit on brand name drugs per calendar quarter.

² Due to provisions in the federal Medicare Prescription Drug Improvement and Modernization Act of 2003, Medicare Supplement 2 Plans were no longer marketed after December 31, 2005.

³ The program was formerly named Medicare+Choice. The Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003 ("MMA") renamed the program Medicare Advantage ("MA").

⁴ Closed blocks of HMO Medicare "wrap-around" certificates of coverage issued prior to July 31, 1992.

⁵ Medicare Part D Plans provide coverage for drugs with or without a gap in coverage period where an enrollee would typically pay 100% of his or her drug costs.