

DIFFERENCE IN TOTAL PRIVATE MASSACHUSETTS MEDICARE PLAN MEMBERSHIP BETWEEN 2021 and 2022

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

	2021	2022	Change 2021-2022
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	66,214	61,476	(4,738)
Individual	617,546	664,457	46,911
Total	683,760	725,933	42,173

Medicare Supplement Plans

	2021	2022	Change 2021-2022
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	31,498	26,117	(5,381)
Individual	289,904	289,929	25
1. Policies issued pre-1995	68	45	(23)
2. Policies issued post-1994	2,795	2,839	44
a. Medicare Supplement Core ¹	5,608	909	(4,699)
b. Medicare Supplement 1	30,161	2,823	(27,338)
c. Medicare Supplement 2 ²	5,340	48	(5,292)
d. Select	0	0	-
Total	321,402	316,046	(5,356)

Medicare HMO and Medicare Advantage Plans

	2021	2022	Change 2021-2022
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	33,417	35,359	1,942
Individual	334,334	374,528	40,194
1. Medicare Advantage ³	327,636	264,831	(62,805)
2. Medicare Wraparound ⁴	6	0	(6)
Total	367,751	409,887	42,136

Medicare Stand-Alone Prescription Drug Plans ⁵

	2021	2022	Change 2021-2022
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	103,905	100,532	(3,373)
Individual	493,422	509,045	15,623
Total	597,327	609,577	12,250

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

	2021	2022	Change 2021-2022
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	19,325	20,838	1,513
Individual	299,013	346,147	47,134
Total	318,338	366,985	48,647

Medicare Supplement Plan
Members with Unlimited Drug Coverage

	2021	2022	Change 2021-2022
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	4,086	3,877	(209)
Individual	1,678	1,438	(240)
1. Policies issued pre-1995	9	9	0
2. Policies issued post-1994	26	23	(3)
a. Medicare Supplement Core ¹	0	0	0
b. Medicare Supplement 1	0	0	0
c. Medicare Supplement 2	54	48	(6)
d. Select	0	0	0
Total	5,764	5,315	(449)

Medicare HMO and Medicare Advantage Plan
Members with Unlimited Drug Coverage

	2021	2022	Change 2021-2022
Group (Retirees of Union/Employer Plans)	15,041	16,961	1,920
Individual	304,027	344,709	40,682
1. Medicare Advantage ²	297,329	250,794	(46,535)
2. Medicare Wraparound	6	0	(6)
Total	319,068	361,670	42,602

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.