Medi-Cal QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE

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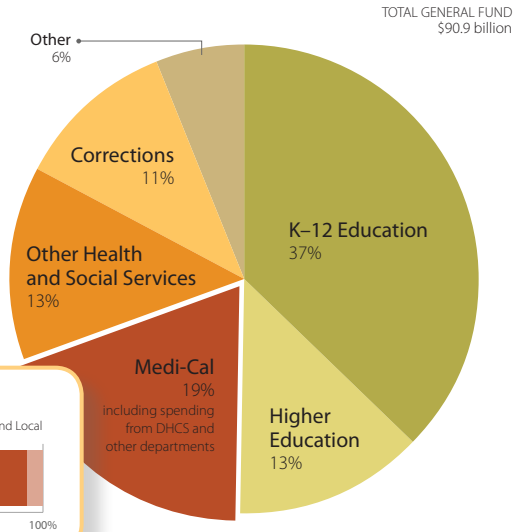
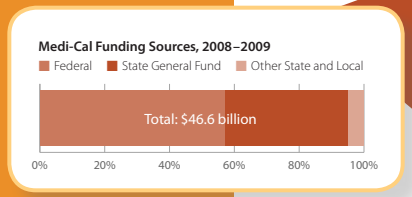
Aggregate Spending on Medi-Cal: $46.6 billion

FY 2008–09

STATE BUDGET DISTRIBUTION

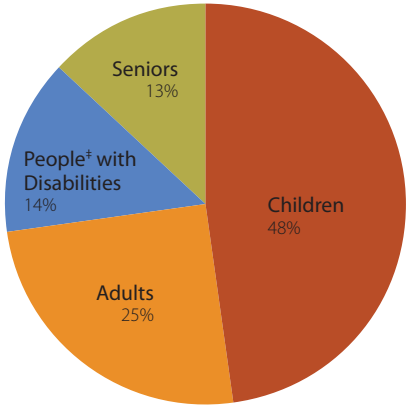




Beneficiaries: 6.9 million

FY 2008–09

BENEFICIARY PROFILE, BY AGE/DISABILITY†

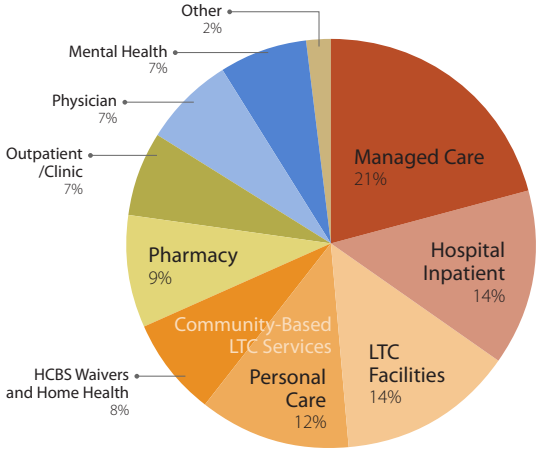


†Pie chart based on FY 2007–08 data.
‡Includes children and adults under age 65.

How Funds Were Spent: $33.6 billion#

FY 2007–08

EXPENDITURE DISTRIBUTION



#Excludes nearly $12 billion in Medi-Cal expenditures not directly attributable to beneficiaries, such as payments for disproportionate share hospitals, county administration, and the Medicare buy-in program.

Sources of Coverage

	CHILDREN	ADULTS	SENIORS
Employer/Other Private	60%	69%	5%
Medi-Cal	26%	10%	19%
Other Public	8%	3%	75%
Uninsured	6%	19%	1%

Average Annual Growth in…

	2000–09
Medi-Cal Expenditures Per Beneficiary	3.5%
Private Health Insurance Premiums	7.7%
Inflation	2.5%
Total California General Fund Outlays*	3.6%

*Source: LAO, Historical Fiscal Data.

Annual Spending Per FFS Beneficiary, FY 2007–08

	LONG TERM CARE	ACUTE CARE (AND ALL OTHER)	TOTAL
Children	$57	$1,859	$1,916
Adults	77	2,906	2,983
Seniors	7,245	2,168	9,413
Disabled (< age 65)	7,021	8,359	15,380

Eligibility by Income Limits

	% OF FPL§
Pregnant Women	200%
Infants (up to age 1)	200%
Children (ages 1 through 5)	133%
Children (ages 6 through 18)	100%
Elderly and People with Disabilities (< age 65)	133%
Parents	100%

§Federal poverty level set at $18,310 for a family of three for the period beginning April 1, 2009 and ending March 31, 2010.

Health Services Spending Per Beneficiary, IN FIVE LARGEST MEDICAID PROGRAMS, FY 2005–06

New York	$9,656
Pennsylvania	$6,653
Florida	$5,592
Texas	$4,563
California	$4,528
All States	$5,929

Enrollment

Average Annual Growth, 2000–2009	3.3%
Annual Growth, FY 2008–09 over prior year)	3.4%
Share of Beneficiaries in Managed Care	50%

Notes: Some pies may not total 100 percent due to rounding. Seniors are 65 and older. FFS stands for Fee-for-Service.
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