

# California Personal Health Care Spending

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Personal Health Care Spending, 2014	CA	US
Total Spending (in billions)	\$292	\$2,563
As Share of GDP	12.6%	14.8%
Per Capita	\$7,549	\$8,045

Per Enrollee Spending, 2014	CA	US
Medicare	\$11,833	\$10,986
Medi-Cal	\$5,368	\$6,815
Private Health Insurance	\$4,735	\$4,551

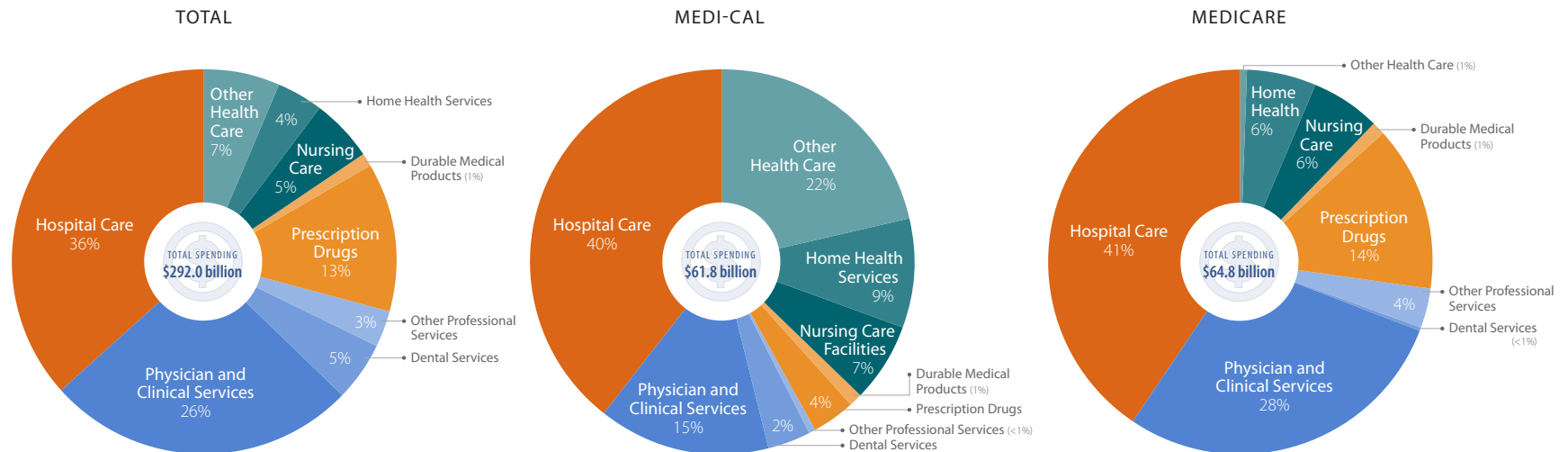
Spending, by Payer, 2014 (in billions)	Value
Medicare	\$64.8
Medi-Cal	\$61.8
Private Health Insurance	\$104.0

Change in Enrollment, 2014	Percentage
Medicare	3.4%
Medi-Cal	22.1%
Private Health Insurance	3.4%

Note: *Change* refers to percentage change in number of people covered from prior year.

Reference Points, California, 2016	Value	
Annual Wages (median)	\$40,920	
Health Care-Related Jobs		
• Number (in millions)	2.2	
• Share of Civilian Employment	12.1%	
Employer-Based Health Insurance Premiums (annual)		
TOTAL	EMPLOYEE'S SHARE	
• Single Coverage	\$7,161	\$1,020
• Family Coverage	\$19,612	\$4,918

## Spending Distribution, by Category, 2014



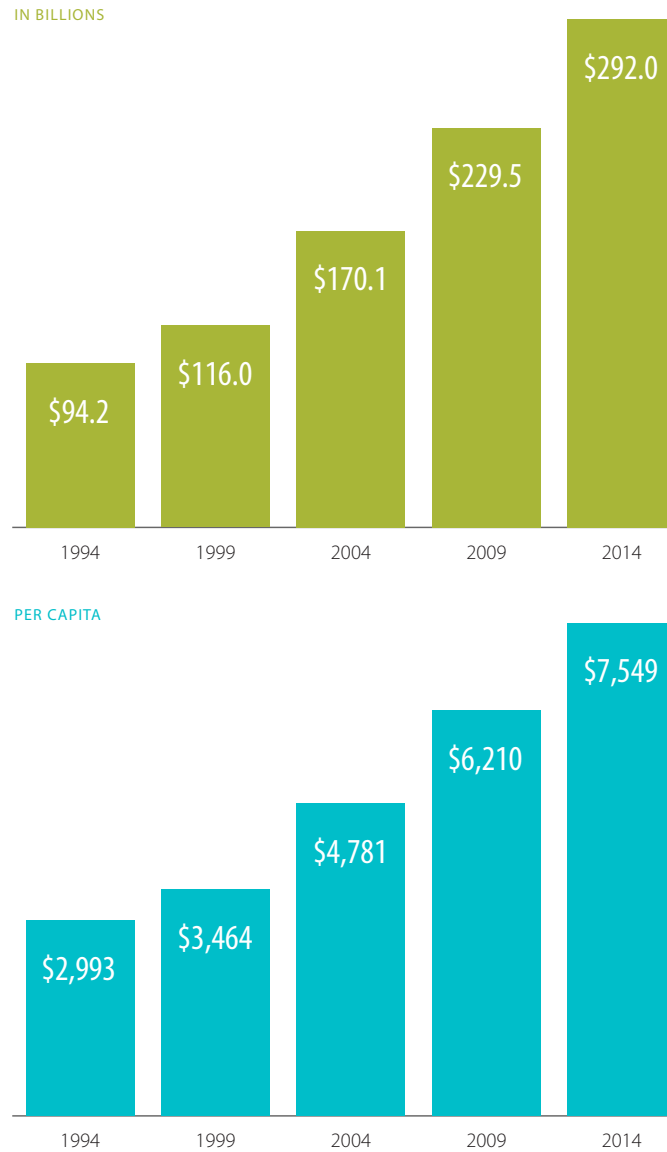
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Sources: *State Health Expenditure Accounts by State of Residence*, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS), 1991-2014, [www.cms.gov](http://www.cms.gov). California Employment Development Department, Current Employment Statistics by Industry, [data.edd.ca.gov](http://data.edd.ca.gov). *California Employer Health Benefit Survey*, NORC/CHCF, 2016, [www.chcf.org](http://www.chcf.org). California Department of Industrial Relations, "Consumer Price Index," [www.dir.ca.gov](http://www.dir.ca.gov). US Bureau of Labor Statistics, Occupational Employment Statistics. Bureau of Economic Analysis, "Gross Domestic Product by State," [www.bea.gov](http://www.bea.gov).

## Growth Rates (average annual)

PERSONAL HEALTH SPENDING	2014	2009-14	2004-2014
Total . . . . .	5.0%	4.9%	5.6%
Per Capita . . . . .	4.0%	4.0%	4.7%
<b>BY PAYER</b>			
Private Health Insurance . . . . .	7.4%	5.1%	5.4%
Medi-Cal . . . . .	10.8%	9.6%	7.5%
Medicare . . . . .	4.3%	5.0%	7.4%
<b>PER ENROLLEE</b>			
Private Health Insurance . . . . .	3.8%	4.6%	5.3%
Medi-Cal . . . . .	-9.2%	3.4%	3.6%
Medicare . . . . .	0.8%	1.5%	4.4%
<b>BY SPENDING CATEGORY</b>			
Hospital Care . . . . .	3.1%	6.2%	6.4%
Physician and Clinical Services . . . . .	5.5%	3.7%	4.5%
Other Professional Services . . . . .	4.4%	1.1%	2.9%
Dental Services . . . . .	2.9%	0.3%	2.1%
Home Health Services . . . . .	2.4%	4.8%	7.2%
Prescription Drugs . . . . .	10.1%	3.8%	5.3%
Durable Medical Products . . . . .	3.7%	3.8%	4.2%
Nursing Home Care . . . . .	7.3%	5.4%	6.6%
Other Health Care . . . . .	6.2%	12.8%	10.4%
<b>REFERENCE POINTS</b>			
GDP . . . . .	5.6%	4.2%	3.6%
CPI . . . . .	1.8%	1.9%	2.3%
Annual Wages (median) . . . . .	0.7%	1.0%	1.9%

## Personal Health Care Spending Trends, 1994 to 2014, selected years



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