

Aging in America: How Can States Improve Care for Older Adults with Complex Needs?

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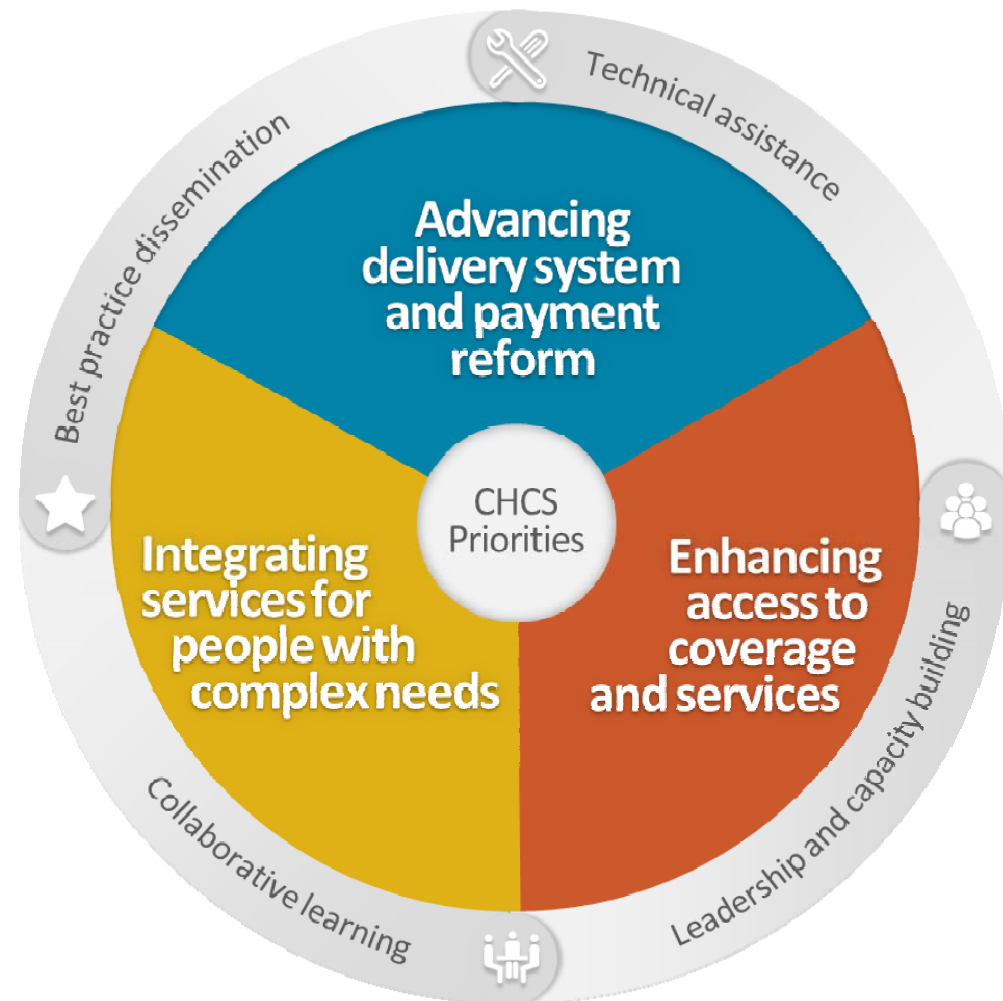
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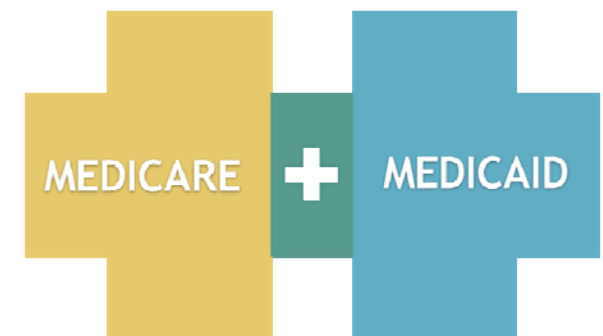
About the Center for Health Care Strategies

A non-profit policy center dedicated to improving the health of low-income Americans



Current CHCS Projects Supporting Integrated Care

- **Integrated Care Resource Center (ICRC):** Technical assistance to states pursuing financial alignment demonstrations and other integrated care models (Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services)
 - » State Technical Assistance Resource: <http://www.integratedcareresourcecenter.com/>
- **Promoting Integrated Care for Dual Eligibles (PRIDE):** Collaborative of eight integrated health plans to identify and disseminate successful strategies for integrating care for Medicare-Medicaid enrollees (The Commonwealth Fund)
- **Implementing New Systems of Integration for Dually Eligible Enrollees (INSIDE):** Collaborative of 14 states (AZ, CA, FL, ID, MA, MN, NJ, NY, OH, RI, SC, TX, VA, WA) implementing programs of integrated care and/or MLTSS for group learning and technical assistance (The Commonwealth Fund, The SCAN Foundation)
- **Advancing D-SNP-Based Policy Options for Medicare-Medicaid Enrollees:** Research and analysis of policy options to promote Medicare-Medicaid integration using Dual Eligible Special Needs Plans (DHHS Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation)



Overview of Medicaid LTSS and Rebalancing

What are Long-Term Services and Supports (LTSS)?

- Services and supports used by individuals of all ages with functional limitations and chronic illnesses who need assistance with daily activities.
- Assistance with one or more of the following:
 - » Activities of daily living (ADLs):
Self-care activities (bathing, dressing, etc.)
 - » Instrumental activities of daily living (IADLs):
Routine activities (shopping, housework, etc.)
- Can be provided in home- and community-based settings or institutional settings
- 90% of LTSS population in the community rely on unpaid help

SOURCES: Woodcock, C. H. Long-term Services and Supports: Challenges and Opportunities for States in Difficult Budget Times, The Hilltop Institute for The National Governors Association, December 2011; Kaye, H. S., et al. Long-term Care: Who Gets It, Who Provides It, Who Pays, and How Much?, *Health Affairs*, 29, no. 1 (2010): 11-21.

Who Uses LTSS?

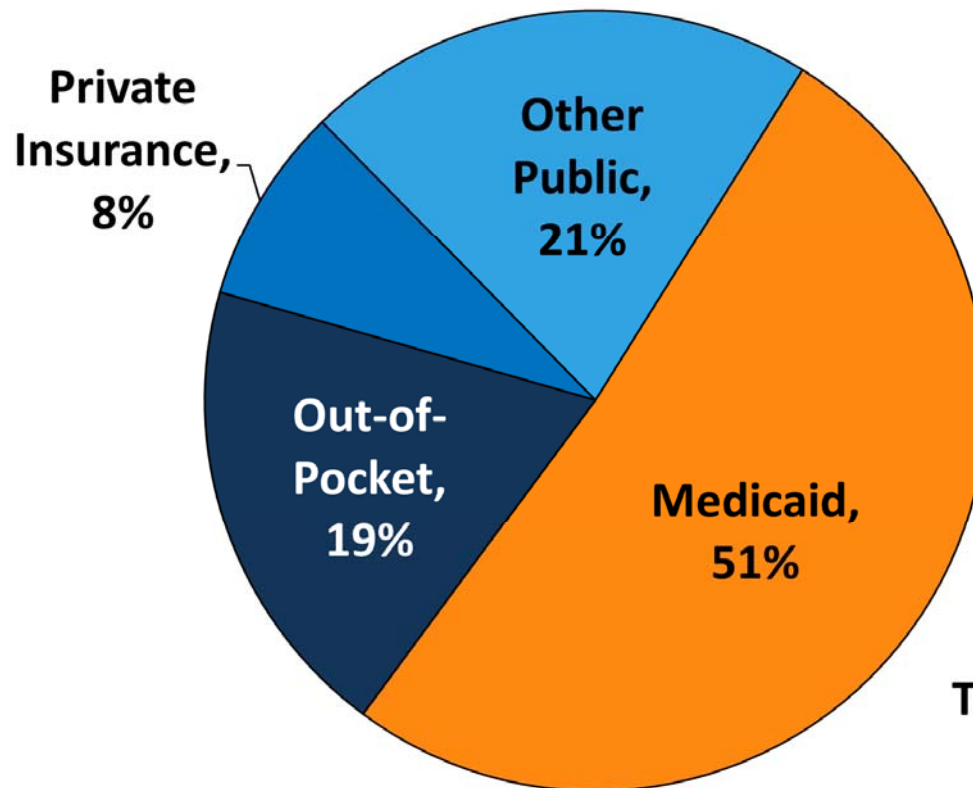


Medicaid Enrollee Population	Percent Using LTSS
Elderly	51%
Individuals with Disabilities Under Age 65	43%
Children	5%
Non-Disabled Adults	1%

- Nationally, 12 million children, adults, and seniors need LTSS due to disabling conditions and chronic illnesses
- 70 percent of individuals 65 and over will likely need LTSS at some point
- 3.8 million Medicaid enrollees used LTSS in 2010
- Medicare-Medicaid enrollees are about five times more likely to use LTSS compared to Medicare- and Medicaid-only beneficiaries

SOURCES: Kaye, H. S., et al. Long-term Care: Who Gets It, Who Provides It, Who Pays, and How Much?, *Health Affairs*, 29, no. 1 (2010): 11-21; D. Rowland. "What Would Strengthen Medicaid Long-Term Services and Supports?" The Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the Uninsured, Presentation, August 2013. E. L. Reaves and M. Musumeci. "Medicaid and Long-Term Services and Supports: A Primer." The Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the Uninsured, May 2015.

Medicaid is the Primary Payer for LTSS



**Total National LTSS Spending
= \$310 billion**

SOURCE: Medicaid and Long-Term Services and Supports: A Primer, May 8, 2015. Available at:
<http://kff.org/medicaid/report/medicaid-and-long-term-services-and-supports-a-primer/>

What LTSS Does Medicaid Cover?

	Institutional Services	Home- and Community-Based Services
State Plan Mandatory Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nursing facility care (age 21 and over) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Non-Emergency Medical Transportation Home health
State Plan Optional Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nursing facility care (under age 21) Intermediate care facility services for people with intellectual or developmental disabilities Institutions for mental diseases (age 65 and over) Inpatient psychiatric care (under age 21) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Case management/Targeted case management Personal care services Rehabilitation services 1915(i) State Plan Option Services (see 1915(c) waiver services below) 1915(k) State Plan Option Services (Community First Choice): personal care attendant, non-medical transportation, etc.
HCBS Waiver Services (1915(c))	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Case management Homemaker/Home health aide/Personal care Adult day health Habilitation Respite care Day treatment/partial hospitalization psychosocial rehabilitation Chronic mental health clinic services Additional services vary by state

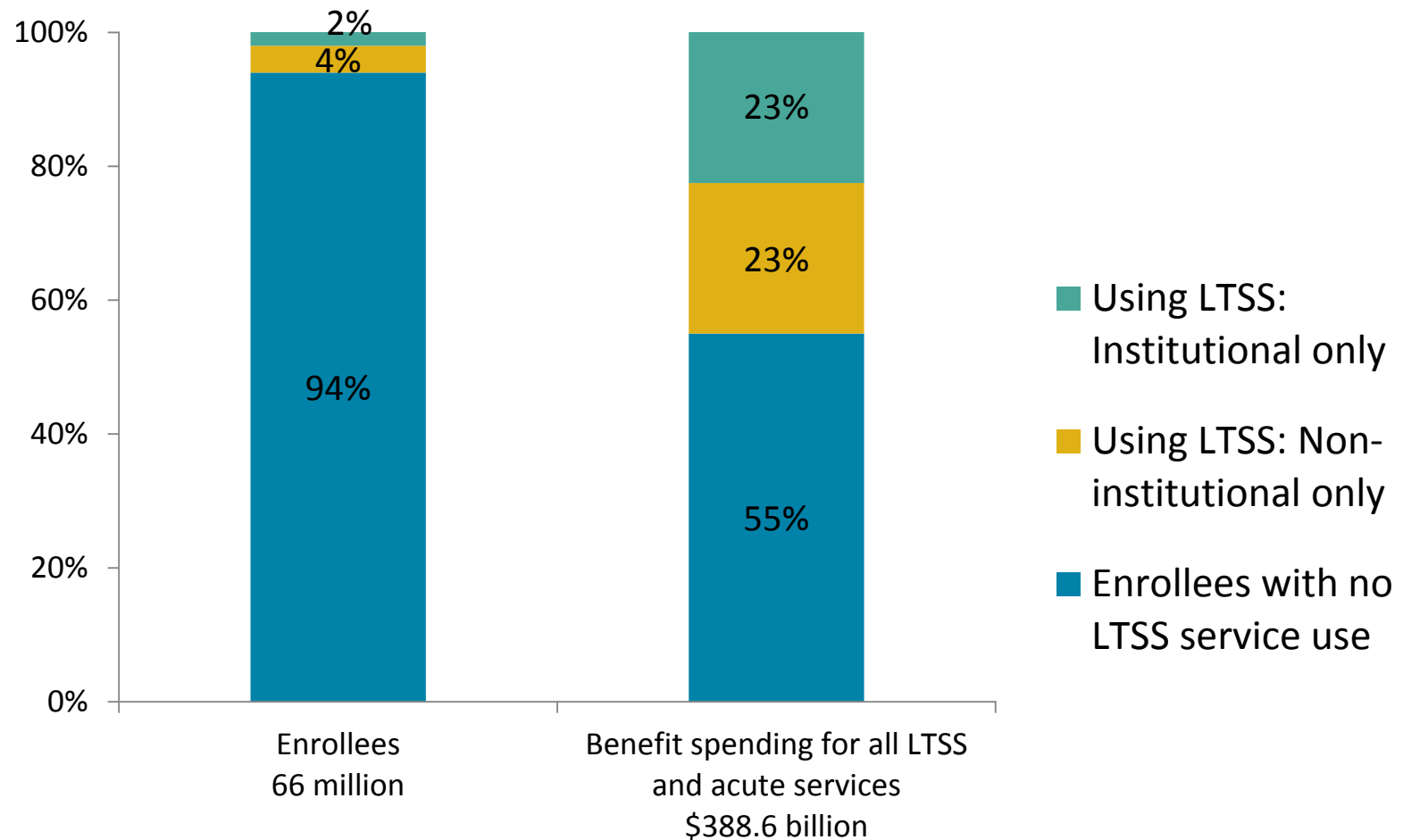
How is Medicaid LTSS Eligibility Determined?

- Medicaid LTSS eligibility determined by income/resources and functional criteria; varies by state
- Individuals who meet state-based nursing home level of care may qualify for Medicaid with higher incomes compared to other populations
- States use various tools to determine functional status



SOURCES: Congressional Budget Office. "Dual-Eligible Beneficiaries of Medicare and Medicaid: Characteristics, Health Care Spending, and Evolving Policies" June 2013; MACPAC. "Medicaid Long-Term Services and Supports." September 2013.

LTSS Users Drive Spending in Medicaid



SOURCES: MACPAC analysis of Medicaid Statistical Information System (MSIS) annual person summary (APS) data and CMS-64 Financial Management Report (FMR) net expenditure data from CMS as of May 2013.

What Is LTSS Rebalancing?

- Historically, programs not designed to support individual choice of settings:
 - » Facility-based care is an “entitlement”
 - » HCBS often has waiting lists
 - » Limited coordination for HCBS consumers across all service areas
- Rebalancing: shifting bias by devoting a greater proportion of Medicaid spending to HCBS instead of institutional care
- Efforts are driven by:
 - » Beneficiary preferences for HCBS
 - » HCBS is typically less expensive than comparable institutional care
 - » States’ community integration obligations under the Americans with Disabilities Act and the *Olmstead* decision

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States Participating in New Rebalancing Initiatives

■ Money Follows the Person:

» AL, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, GA, HI, IA, ID, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, MA, MD, ME, MI, MN, MO, MS, MT, NC, ND, NE, NH, NJ, NV, NY, OH, OK, PA, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, VA, VT, WA, WI, WV and the District of Columbia

■ Balancing Incentive Program

» AR, CT*, GA*, IL*, IN^, IA, KY, LA^, ME*, MA*, MD*, MS*, MO, NE^, NH*, NJ*, NY*, NV*, OH, PA*, and TX*

■ Community First Choice Option:

» CA, MD, MT, OR, and TX

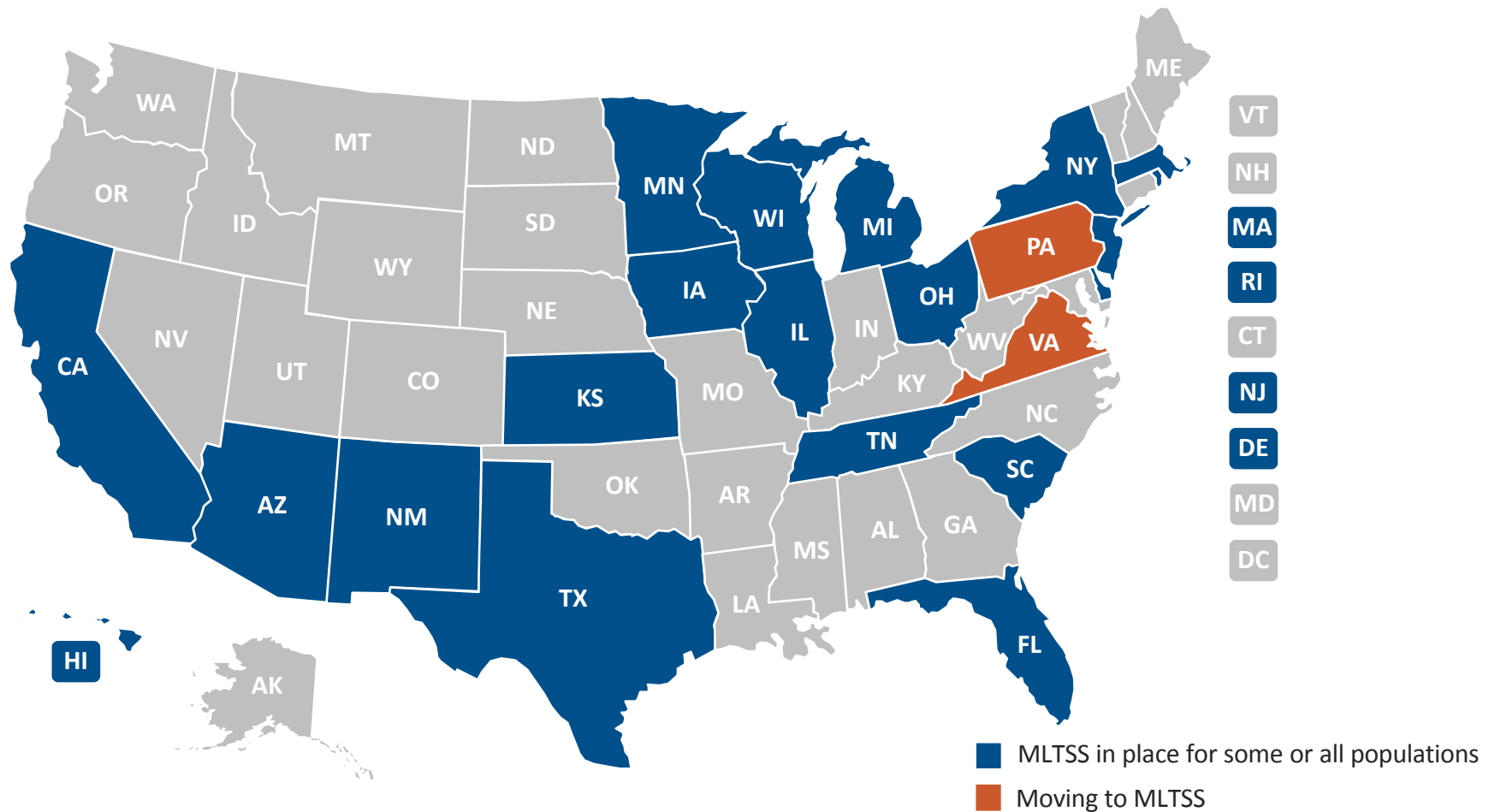
*Participating past the September 30, 2015 deadline

^Ended program participation as of January 1, 2014 prior to program completion

Source: Medicaid.gov



State Migration to Managed Long-Term Supports and Services*



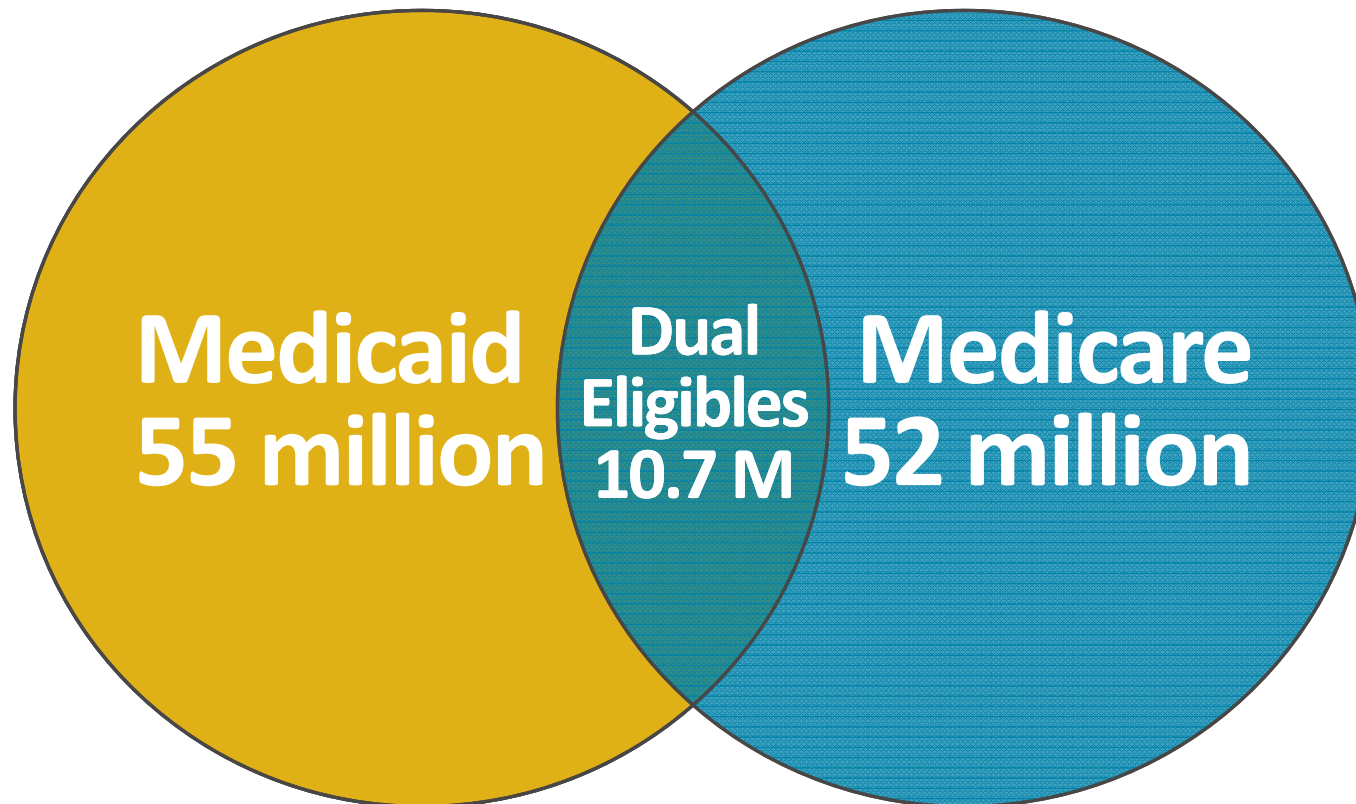
*Populations and services included vary by state

LTSS Challenges for States

- Complex, vulnerable populations with various needs
- Aging population with expanding needs
- Institutional bias
- Complicated waiver processes
- Administrative and workforce shortages – dependence on informal caregivers
- Differences between person-centered LTSS and traditional medical care models

Overview of Medicare- Medicaid Integration

Nearly 11 Million Dual Eligible Beneficiaries are Covered by Both Medicaid and Medicare



Based on 2013 Medicaid and Medicare enrollment.

SOURCES: Kaiser Family Foundation. [Medicare Enrollment, 1966-2013](#), July 2013; Kaiser Family Foundation. [Medicaid Enrollment Snapshot: December 2013](#), December 2013; and CMS. [Medicare-Medicaid Coordination Office Fiscal Year 2015 Report to Congress](#), March 2016.

Medicare-Medicaid Enrollees Are a Diverse, High-Need Population. . .

- **More likely** to have multiple, chronic health conditions (compared to Medicare- or Medicaid-only enrollees)
- **Over 40%** use LTSS
- **33%** are under 65

65 AND OVER

- More likely to have been diagnosed with 3+ chronic conditions
- 25% have a behavioral health disorder
- Number of full benefit Medicare-Medicaid enrollees over the age of 65 has increased 8% since 2006

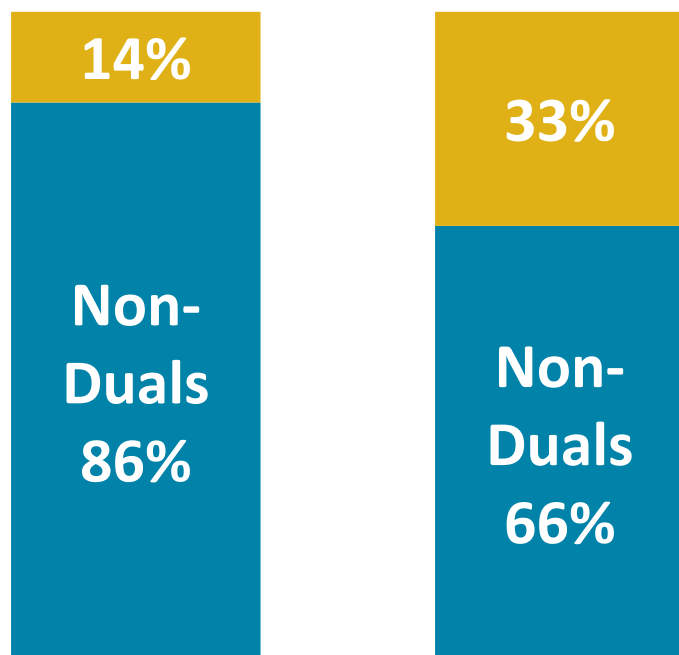
UNDER 65

- 40% have a behavioral health disorder
- Number of full benefit Medicare-Medicaid enrollees under the age of 65 has increased 20% since 2006

SOURCES: Medicare-Medicaid Coordination Office. February 2014. [Data Analysis Brief Medicare-Medicaid Dual Enrollment from 2006 through 2013](#); and Congressional Budget Office. June 2013. [Dual-Eligible Beneficiaries of Medicare and Medicaid: Characteristics, Health Care Spending, and Evolving Policies](#).

... and Account for Disproportionate Enrollment and Spending

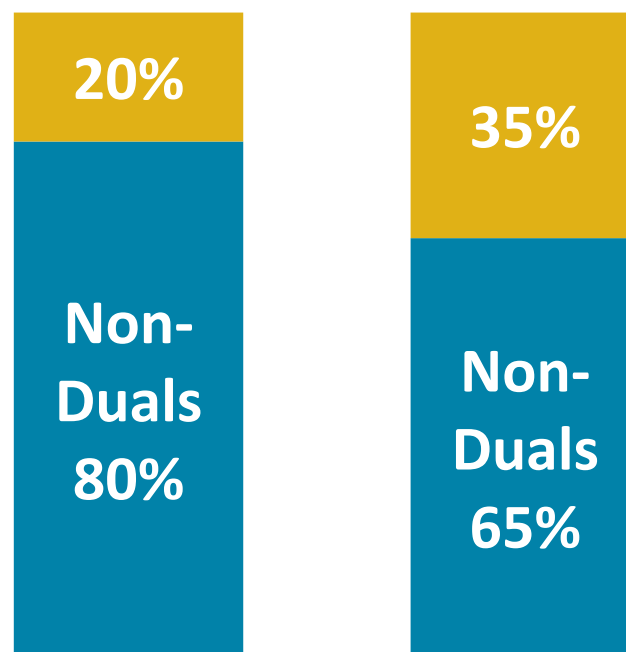
Share of Enrollment and Spending in Medicaid, 2011



Total Medicaid Population:
69.9 million

Total Medicaid Spending:
\$350.0 billion

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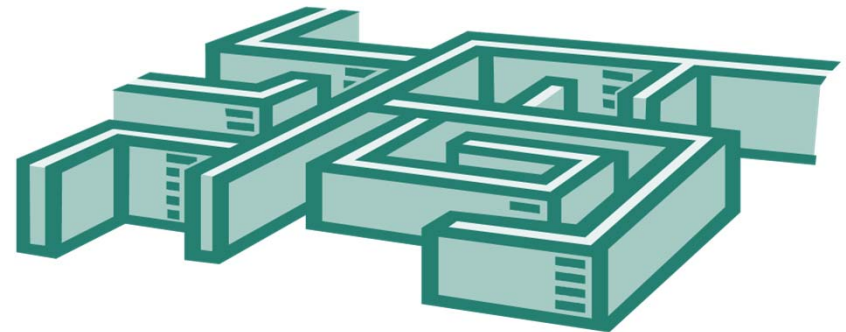
Total Medicare Population:
50.4 million

Total Medicare Spending:
\$521.9 billion

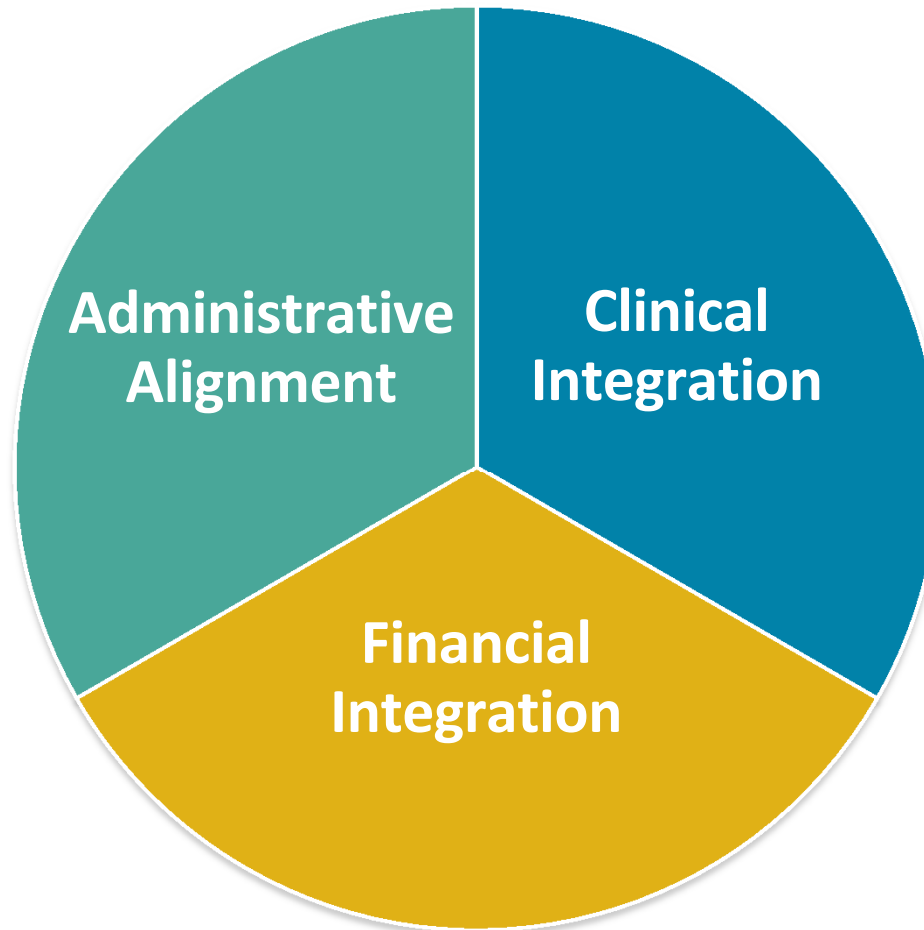
SOURCE: Medicare Payment Advisory Commission and Medicaid and CHIP Payment and Access Commission, Data Book: Beneficiaries Dually Eligible for Medicare and Medicaid (January 2016).

What Does Care Look Like Without Integration between Medicare and Medicaid?

- Gaps, duplication, fragmentation and uncoordinated care and systems
- Not community-oriented or person-centered
- Cost-shifting between states and the federal government and different providers; significant potential savings



Goals of Medicare-Medicaid Integrated Care



Medicare-Medicaid Integration by the Numbers

- 12 states with financial alignment demonstrations
 - » 10 states with capitated model demonstrations (CA, IL, MA, MI, NY, OH, RI, SC, TX, VA) and 2 with MFFS demonstrations (CO, WA)
 - » 363,585 enrolled in MMPs as of October 2016¹
- 38 states have D-SNPs that enroll 1,867,270 members²
- 9 states have Fully Integrated Dual Eligible (FIDE) SNPs (AZ, CA, ID, IL, MA, MN, NJ, NY, WI)
 - » 5 states require plans to be FIDE SNPs (ID, MA, MN, NJ, WI)
 - » 131,571 enrolled in FIDE SNPs as of September 2016³
- Almost 7 million Medicare-Medicaid enrollees remain in fragmented systems of care

Sources: ¹Monthly Enrollment in Medicare-Medicaid Plans by Plan and by State, October 2015 to October 2016. Integrated Care Resource Center, http://www.integratedcareresourcecenter.com/PDFs/MMP_Enroll_by_State_Oct_2016.pdf. ^{2,3} CMS SNP Comprehensive Report, October 2016.

Federal Vehicle to Advance Integrated Care: Financial Alignment Demonstrations

Capitated: CA, IL, MA, MI, NY, OH, RI, SC, TX, VA

- Joint procurement of high-performing health plans
- Three-way contract: CMS, state, health plan
- Single set of rules for marketing, appeals, etc.
- Blended payment, built-in savings
- Voluntary, passive enrollment with opt-out provisions

FFFS: CO, WA

- Final Agreement between state and CMS
- FFS providers, including Medicaid health homes or accountable care organizations
- Seamless access to necessary services
- Quality thresholds and savings targets

- Sec. 2602 of ACA created the Medicare-Medicaid Coordination Office (MMCO) at CMS
- Promise of savings and formal evaluations
- Key themes and future focus:
 - » Sustainability of integrated care programs: stakeholder buy-in
 - » Beneficiary and provider engagement
 - » Investments in state oversight/monitoring
 - » Significant unmet need
 - » Information sharing

Medicare Advantage Dual Eligible Special Needs Plans (D-SNPs)

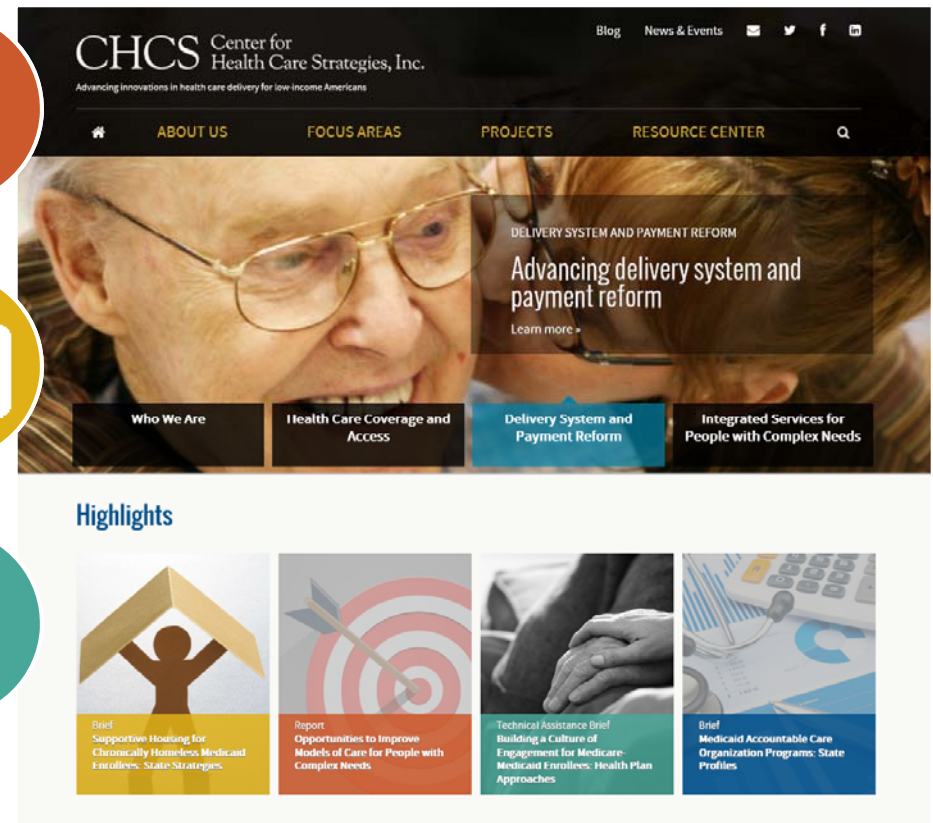
1. D-SNPs are Medicare Advantage plans that provide Medicare services and coordinate Medicaid services
2. Allow for plan-level administrative, clinical, and financial alignment
3. Prompted by MIPPA, states are using D-SNP contracting to create better linkages between Medicare and MLTSS; many by requiring their MLTSS plans to also be D-SNPs

Key themes and future focus:

- New opportunities for leveraging D-SNP contracts
 - Investments in MLTSS programs to encourage aligned enrollment
 - Expansion of MLTSS/D-SNP linkages (e.g., PA, TN, VA)
- Building Medicare expertise across states
- Positive movement at the federal level

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