



TOTAL ENROLLMENT — OKLAHOMA SOONERCARE (MEDICAID)

Qualifying Group	Age Group	Enrollment	% of Total
Aged/Blind/Disabled	Child	15,165	2.48%
Aged/Blind/Disabled	Adult	114,726	18.77%
Children/Parents	Child	400,005	65.45%
Children/Parents	Adult	42,733	6.99%
Other	Child	598	0.10%
Other	Adult	14,972	2.45%
Oklahoma Cares (Breast & Cervical Cancer)		2,827	0.46%
SoonerPlan (Family Planning)		20,001	3.27%
TEFRA		143	0.02%

Total Enrollment	611,170	Adults	192,372	31%
		Children	418,798	69%

OTHER Group includes—Child custody-Refugee-Qualified Medicare Beneficiary-SLMB-DDSD Supported Living and TB patients. For more information on TEFRA go to www.okhca.org under Individuals & Families and Programs. O-EPIC members are NOT included in the figures above.

Note that all subsequent figures are groups within the above total enrollment numbers (except O-EPIC). SoonerPlan (Family Planning) members are not entitled to the full scope of benefits only family planning services are covered.

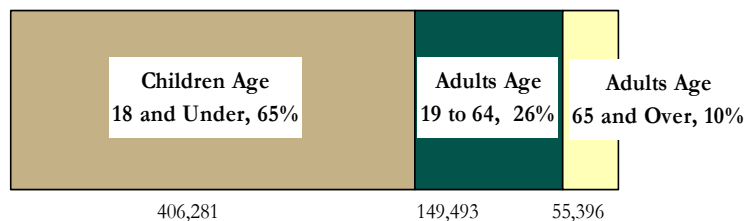
The Oklahoma Employer/Employee Partnership for Insurance Coverage (O-EPIC) is a program to assist qualifying small business owners, employees & their spouses (Employer Sponsored Insurance—ESI) and some individual Oklahomans (Individual Plan—IP) with health insurance premiums. www.insureoklahoma.org

New Enrollees

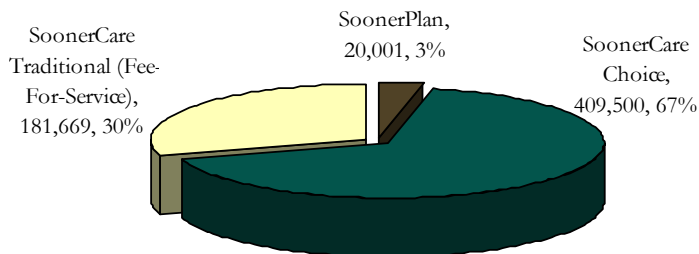
Oklahoma SoonerCare members that have not been enrolled in the past 6 months.

Adults	4,835
Children	8,299
Total	13,134

Age Breakdown of Total Enrollment



Delivery System Breakdown of Total Enrollment



Other Enrollment Facts

Unduplicated enrollees State Fiscal Year-to-Date (July through report month) — **735,446**

Other Breakdowns of Total Enrollment

Oklahoma SoonerCare (Medicaid) members residing in a long-term care facility — **16,208**

Oklahoma persons enrolled in both Medicare and Medicaid (dual eligibles) — **77,654**

Small Businesses Enrolled in O-EPIC ESI	Employees w/ O-EPIC ESI	Individual Plan (IP) Members
903	2,052	120

Race Breakdown of Total Enrollment

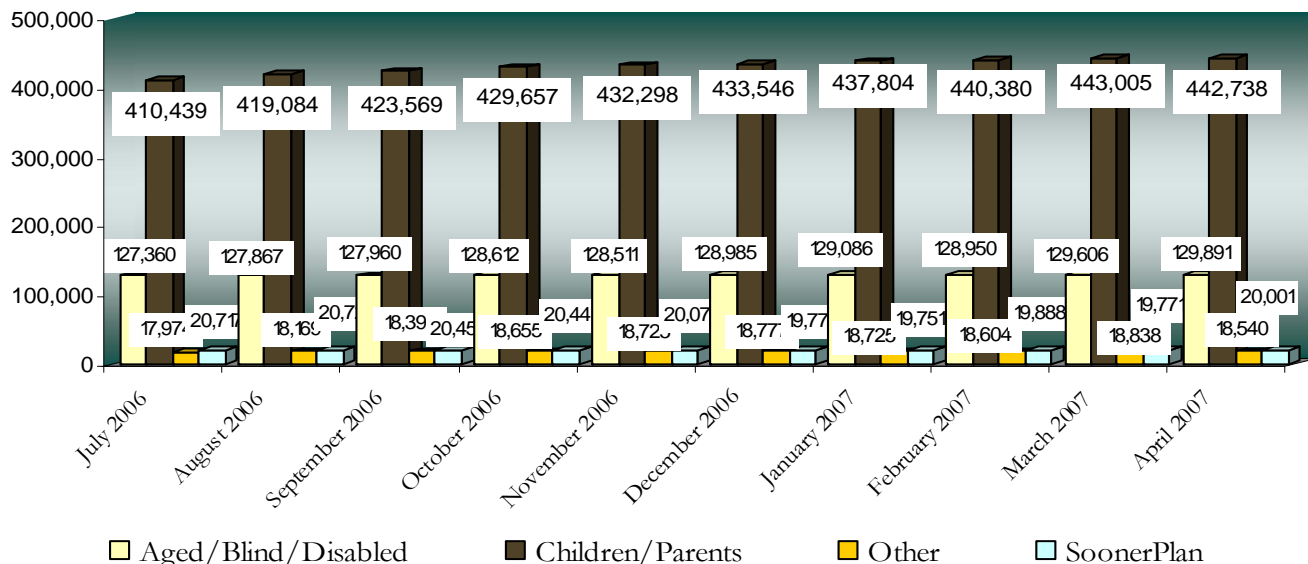
	Children	Adults	Percent	Pregnant Women
African American	68,211	27,024	16%	2,230
American Indian	59,355	17,859	13%	3,024
Asian or Pacific Islander	4,614	2,153	1%	243
Caucasian	231,901	138,222	61%	14,299
Hispanic	54,717	7,114	10%	1,818

SCHIP Breakdown of Total Enrollment

Members qualifying for SoonerCare (Medicaid) eligibility under the SCHIP program are under age 19 and have income between the maximum for standard eligibility and the expanded 185% of Federal Poverty Level (FPL) income guidelines.

Age Breakdown	% of FPL	SCHIP Enrollees
INFANT	150% to 185%	1,321
01-05	133% to 185%	12,101
06-12	100% to 185%	31,836
13-18	100% to 185%	20,113
Total		65,371

State Fiscal Year 2006 Enrollment by Aid Category



State Fiscal Year is defined as the period between July 1 and June 30 of each fiscal year. BCC is the acronym for Oklahoma Cares (Breast and Cervical Cancer coverage, included with OTHER) and FP is SoonerPlan (Family Planning) members. TEFRA is included in the OTHER category.

News Release

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SoonerCare announces dental program for pregnant members

The Oklahoma Health Care Authority (OHCA) announced today that SoonerCare members who are pregnant will have more dental care benefits available to them beginning May 1.

The OHCA is implementing the Perinatal Dental Access Program for pregnant women enrolled in the SoonerCare (Traditional, Choice or O-EPIC Individual Plan) programs. Previously, the OHCA has only been able to offer dental exams, cleanings and restorative services for children. Dental coverage for adult SoonerCare members was limited to emergency extractions. The new benefit will offer exams, x-rays, periodontal or “gum” treatments, and fillings to pregnant members. The member will have this benefit for 60 days following the end of the pregnancy.

SoonerCare, the state’s Medicaid program, pays for approximately 30,000 births a year, which is more than half of all the births in Oklahoma. Based on this fact, the OHCA is anticipating a large number of those women accessing this benefit.

About half of women experience pregnancy gingivitis. This condition can be uncomfortable and cause swelling, bleeding, redness or tenderness in the gum tissue. Periodontal disease may affect the health of a pregnant woman’s baby. Although results of the current research are mixed, periodontal disease may be a factor associated with low-birth weight babies and premature births. In addition to the direct benefit to the “mom-to-be” and the potential positive impact on the pregnancy outcome, many dentists have found that this is a good time to remind the mother of the importance of early and ongoing oral hygiene care for the infant.

The OHCA staff will be notifying qualified women of the new benefit. The agency will maintain a list of dentists who will provide dental care to pregnant women in the SoonerCare programs. If a member needs help finding a dentist in their area, they may contact the SoonerCare Helpline at 1-800-987-7767 or 1-800-757-5979 TDD.