

Percent of Medicare Eligible in Massachusetts enrolled in MA Plans*, by County and Type of Plan March 2021

County	State	Metro Rural**	Medicare Eligibles	Percent Enrolled in MA+ Prepaid	Percent Enrolled in MA	Percent Enrolled in PFFS	Percent Enrolled in HMO POS	Percent Enrolled in PPOs
Barnstable	MA	Metro	78,804	18.9%	18.9%	0.0%	8.5%	10.5%
Berkshire	MA	Metro	35,220	11.3%	11.3%	0.0%	4.9%	6.4%
Bristol	MA	Metro	123,375	25.3%	25.3%	0.0%	13.9%	11.3%
Dukes	MA	Micro	5,167	4.2%	4.2%	0.0%	0.0%	4.2%
Essex	MA	Metro	162,784	28.5%	28.0%	0.0%	17.1%	10.9%
Franklin	MA	Micro	19,185	25.1%	24.9%	0.0%	14.5%	10.5%
Hampden	MA	Metro	103,524	38.6%	37.8%	0.0%	26.6%	11.2%
Hampshire	MA	Metro	35,648	24.5%	24.2%	0.0%	13.6%	10.6%
Middlesex	MA	Metro	276,514	29.3%	29.0%	0.0%	20.5%	8.6%
Nantucket	MA	Rural	2,080	3.5%	3.5%	0.0%	0.0%	3.5%
Norfolk	MA	Metro	135,323	25.8%	25.6%	0.0%	15.7%	9.9%
Plymouth	MA	Metro	115,566	23.2%	23.1%	0.0%	13.3%	9.8%
Suffolk	MA	Metro	108,002	34.3%	33.4%	0.0%	25.4%	8.0%
Worcester	MA	Metro	161,396	38.6%	38.2%	0.0%	26.3%	11.9%
Total***	MA		1,362,588	28.8%	28.5%	0.0%	18.5%	10.0%

*Excludes enrollment in any county and plan if the plan enrolls 10 or fewer enrollees in that county (due to restrictions on data release by CMS).

**Metropolitan counties are those that contain a metropolitan area. Micropolitan counties contain an urban core of at least 10,000 (but less than 50,000) population. Rural counties contain no places with a population greater than 10,000.

***State totals do not include persons with pending county designations.

Source of Data: Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) data, as of March 2021.

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