

OMAP Appendix B OHP Program Results

- ◆ Over 1.6 million people have gained access to health care through the Oregon Health Plan (OHP) since it began in 1994. Nearly one in three of all Oregonians have been on OHP at some point in their lives.
- ◆ In 2003, 633,990 Oregonians received OHP benefits that included 290,437 children under 19 years of age.
- ◆ Many of the most vulnerable Oregonians received Medicaid benefits, including in 2003, nearly 19,000 children in foster or adoptive care, 44,000 children with special health care needs and just over 104,000 elderly and people with disabilities.
- ◆ Prenatal care in the first trimester increased from 67.3 percent in 1998 to nearly 70 percent in 2003, a 3 percent increase.
- ◆ Over one third of all births in Oregon are covered by Medicaid.
- ◆ 71,898 children ages 0-18 received a total of 132,203 immunizations. Rates for young children increased from 63 percent in 1998 to 78 percent in 2003, a 24 percent increase.
- ◆ In one year over 183,000 well-person check-ups and nearly 200,000 preventive dental services were covered by Medicaid. In addition, over 32,000 mammograms were provided.
- ◆ In 2003 alone, the OHP covered over one million visits to the doctor for adults.
- ◆ Over 2,000 chronically ill fee-for-service clients each month receive telephonic nurse intervention, 24-hour nurse triage services, in home visits and written educational materials through the disease management program.

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- ◆ Approximately 84 percent of OHP clients rated their overall health care positively in 2003, which has been a consistent trend over the past five years.
- ◆ Since 2003, nine Early Childhood Cavities Prevention educational seminars were held at which 385 health care professionals were trained. Multiple educational materials were developed and distributed to address preventing early childhood cavities.